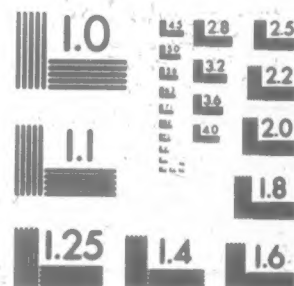
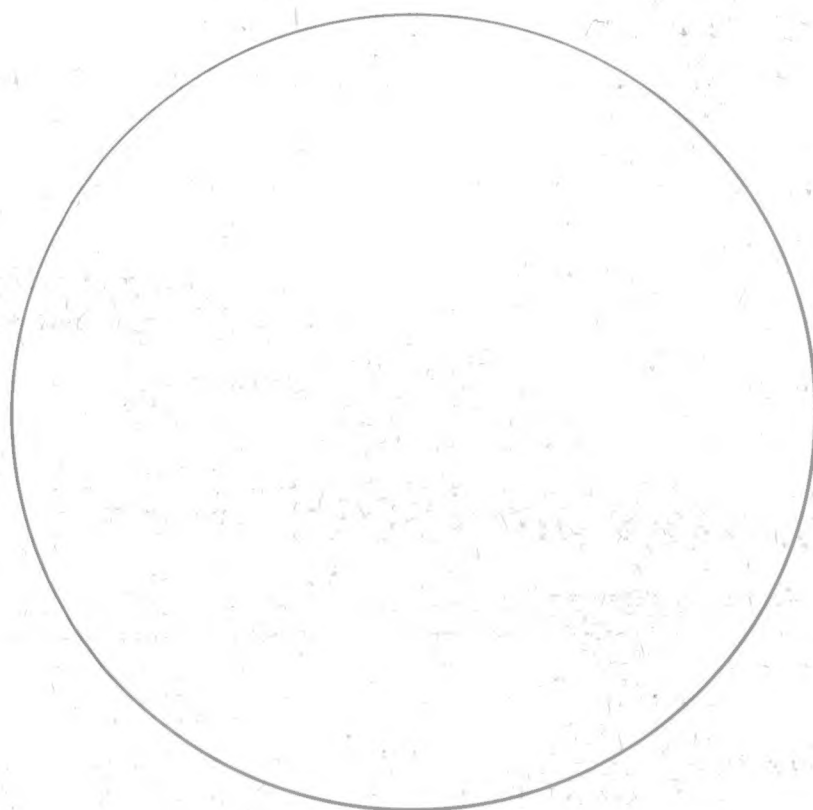
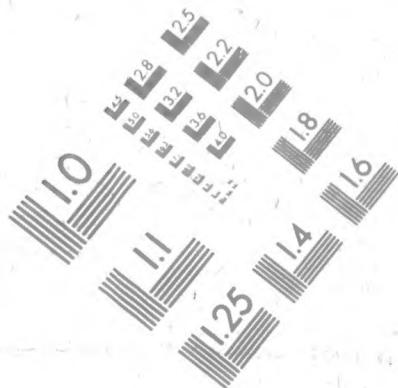


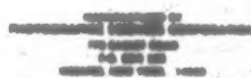
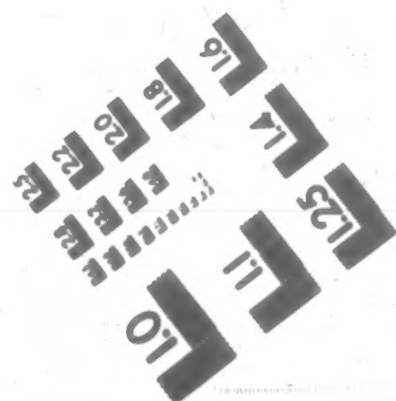
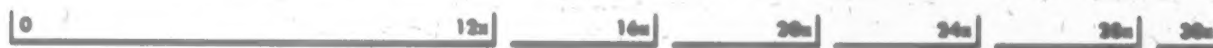




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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Fort Gibson, I.T., August 22, 1900.

In the matter of the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself and one child as Cherokees by blood and his wife as a Cherokee by intermarriage: being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A James Murray.  
Q What is your age? A 26.  
Q What is your post office address? A Bennett, I. T.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A About 1/8.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in Canadian district? A I lived there about two years.  
Q Where did you live before that? A I lived in Muskogee.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A 2 years.  
Q Where did you live before you lived in the Cherokee Nation?  
A I never lived anywhere but Muskogee.  
Q How long have you lived at Muskogee? A I don't know how long, I lived there a good while; I lived before that at Fort Gibson.  
Q How long have you lived in the Indian Territory? A I lived in Muskogee about 16 years.  
Q Continuously? A Yes, sir.  
Q And in the Cherokee Nation about 26 years? A Yes, sir.  
Q For whom do you apply? A Myself and one child and my wife.  
Q Is your father living? A No, sir.  
Q Was he a non citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was your mother a non citizen? A No, sir, she was a citizen.  
Q What was her name? A Nan Murray.  
Q Is she living? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Emma Murray.  
Q How old is she? A 24.  
Q Is that your first wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of her father and mother? A Her mother is named Jane Weddles.  
Q What is her father's name? A Richard Weddles.  
Q He a non citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your child? A Jennie Murray.  
Q How old is she? A 4 years old.  
Q When did you say you were married? A I was married in 1893.  
Q Do I understand you to say you have ~~only~~ lived in the Cherokee Nation previous to that time you lived in the Creek Nation?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q And that you have lived in the Indian Territory for how long?  
A I don't know just exactly, about 15 or 16 years I reckon.  
Q Where were you born? A I don't know, I think I was born in the Cherokee Nation, my mother can tell you.  
(On 1890 roll, page 54, No. 1479, Mamas Murry, Canadian district. Emma Murray on 1890 roll, page 81, No. 304, Emily Murry, Canadian district. Jennie Murray on 1890 roll, page 53, No. 1480, Jennie Murry, Canadian district.)  
Q Is your are a citizen by blood, why is your name not on the 1890 roll? A I can't tell you.  
Q What was your mother's name in 1890? A It was Riley.

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Mr. W. W. Hastings, representative of Cherokee Nation: Where did she live? A She lived at Fort Gibson.

Commissioner Needles: She was married after you were born to Riley.

A That was her mother's name.

Q I am talking about your mother's name: you say your mother's name was Nan Riley?

(On 1880 roll, page 572, No. 1509, Nancy Riley, Illinois district.)

Q Is your mother dead? A No, sir.

Q Did you have any sisters or brothers? A Yes, sir.

Q What were their names? A One of them is named Lizzie Carver and one named Sis Carver.

Mr. Hastings: Did Nan Riley have two daughters named Alice and Laura? What was your mother's name in 1880, 20 years ago? A I don't know, I guess it was Riley.

Nannie Murray, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Nannie Murray.

Q How old are you? A About 47 or 48.

Q What was your name in 1880? A Murray.

Mr. Hastings: Were you in Illinois district? A Canadian district.

Commissioner Needles: Do you think you were enrolled in 1880 as Murray? What was your name before it was Murray? A Riley.

Q Did you have any children at that time? A Yes, sir, Lizzie Murray and Nannie Murray and James Murray.

Q Did you enroll these children in 1880? A It seems to me like I did.

Mr. Hastings: Where were you living in 1880, 20 years ago? A I think I was in Colorado, my husband was a soldier, we were out on the frontier.

Q When did you come back from Colorado? A I think we came back right after my husband died, I think that was about 17 years ago.

Q Did he die in the army? A Yes, sir.

Q When did you go out there, how long before 1880? A In 1871 I think.

Q This boy James Murray, is your son? A Yes, sir.

Q Where was he born? A He was born away out in Dakota.

Q When did he first come back to the Cherokee Nation? A He came back with me.

Q In 1884? A Yes, sir, I brought him back.

Commissioner Needles: Was your name never on the roll of 1880?

A I don't know, sir, I think it is on the 1880 roll.

Mr. Hastings: Did you draw any strip money? A Yes, sir.

Q What was your father's name? A John Riley.

Q Your mother? A Jane Riley.

Q Your father or mother a Cherokee? A My mother.

Commissioner Needles: How long has she been dead? A Ever since I was a little girl.

Mr. Hastings: What was your mother's maiden name? A Jane Kilmore.

(On 1884 roll, page 68, No. 1472, James Murry, Canadian district.)

Commissioner Needles: Did your father and mother die before 1880?

A Yes, sir, both died when I was small, when I was a child.

Q Was your father a Cherokee? A No, sir, he was a white man.

Q Was your mother a Cherokee? A Yes, sir.

Q What degree of blood was she? A She was a half breed.

Q Where did she die? A She died up by Fifteen Mile Creek.

Q What district in the Cherokee Nation? A Illinois.

Q Do you recollect what year she died in? A No, sir.

Q You are satisfied she died before 1880? A Yes, sir.

Q You were not here in 1880? A No, sir.

Q So you don't think your name is on the 1880 roll? A No, sir, I don't think it is.

Q Did you draw your strip money? A Yes, sir.



James Murray - 2.

The name of James Murray appears upon the census roll of 1898 and the pay rolls of 1894. An examination of the roll does not disclose his name on the roll of 1900. He presents a marriage license and certificate in due form, certifying that he was married to Emma Weddles on the 23rd day of July, 1893, and the name of his wife, Emma, appears upon the census rolls of 1894. He avers that he has a child by said marriage named Jennie, 4 years of age, whose name also appears upon the census roll of 1898. By reason of the fact that his name does not appear upon the authenticated roll of 1900, final judgment as to his application and that of his wife and child will be suspended and his name will be placed upon a doubtful card.

Bruce G. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Bruce G. Jones*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 29th day of August, 1900.

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.





Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Fort Gibson, I.T., August 23, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Mammie Murray for the enrollment of herself and two children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, she testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mammie Murray.
- Q How old are you? A I am 47 or 48.
- Q What is your post office address? A Bennett, I. T.
- Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.
- Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.
- Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I guess about 1/4 maybe.
- Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.
- Q How long have you lived in the Canadian district? A I have lived in Canadian district about 2 years.
- Q Where did you live before that? A I lived in Muskogee part of and time and I lived here some.
- Q Where did you live before you came to the Canadian district, in Muskogee? A I went from here there.
- Q When did you go to Muskogee? A I don't know just exactly, what year I went to Muskogee in.
- Q How long have you lived in Muskogee? A Off and on, backwards and forwards, in and out of the Nation, about 16 years I guess.
- Q You lived between here and the Creek Nation for the last 16 years.
- Q Yes, sir.
- Q Did you live permanently in the Cherokee Nation the last time for how long? A I have lived here I guess about 2 years at a time, and a year, just backwards and forwards.
- Q You haven't been backwards and forwards for the last two years?
- Q No, sir, I have been right in the Nation.
- Q Who do you apply to enroll this morning? A I have two sons.
- Q Do you want to enroll yourself? A Yes, sir.
- Q Two sons under 21 years of age? A One is 19 and one is 21, he isn't able to come, he is home sick with slow fever.
- Q Your father a non citizen? A Yes, sir.
- Q He is not living? A No, sir.
- Q Your mother a citizen? A Yes, sir.
- Q What was her name? A Jane Riley.
- Q Is she living? A No, sir.
- Q When did she die? A She died in time of the war.
- Q What is the name of the children that you want to enroll?
- A Malcomb Murray, 19 years old.
- Q What is the name of the next one? A John Murray, 21 years old.
- Q What is the reason John isn't here himself? A He is down with slow fever.
- Q How long has these children lived in the Cherokee Nation, John and Malcomb? A They have lived with me all the time.
- Q They have been with you all the time, in and out just as you have? A Yes, sir.
- Q Your name doesn't appear upon the authenticated roll of 1890?
- Q No, sir, I don't think it does.
- Q Your name before you married was Riley? A Yes, sir.
- Q When did you marry, what was the date of your marriage to your husband Malcomb Murray? A It got burned up.
- Q About what year were you married in? A About 68.
- Q You married about 1868? A Yes, sir.
- Q You lived with your husband then until his death? A Yes, sir.
- Q You don't recollect about what year he died? A In 1888.
- Q Your husband Murray died in 1888? A Yes, sir.
- (On 1890 roll, page 54, No. 1451, Mammie Murray, Canadian district.  
John Murray on 1890 roll, page 54, No. 1452, John Murray, Canadian dist.  
On 1890 roll, page 54, No. 1454, Malcomb Murray, Canadian district.)

Hannie Murray - 2.

Hannie Murray on 1884 roll, page 98, No. 1471, Canadian district.  
Hannie Murray on 1884 roll, page 98, No. 1474, American district.  
(Hannie Murray.)

Q Did John ever strip money in 1884? A No, sir, they claimed they lost the papers.

The name of Nancy Murray appears upon the census roll of 1880 as well as the pay roll of 1884. The name of her son John also appears upon the census roll of 1880 and the pay roll of 1884. The name of her son John only appears upon the census roll of 1880. The name of Hannie Murray not appearing upon the authenticated roll of 1880, consequently final judgment as to her enrollment and that of her sons, Malcolm and John, will be suspended, and their names will be placed upon a doubtful card.

Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly reported the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Bruce C. Jones*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 25th day of August, 1900.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Name Bennett J. P.

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Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's name Nannie Murray

District Canadian Year 1896 Page 54 No. 1481

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage Jan 9 1896

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

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| 2 | <u>John</u>           | Dist. <u>Canadian</u> | Year <u>1896</u> | Page <u>54</u> | No. <u>1483</u> | Age <u>21</u> |
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1 on 1896 roll as Nannie Murray  
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**CONCLUSIONS**



Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tulsa, I. T., November 27, 1900.

In the matter of the enrollment of Nannie Carver, and also of Nannie Murray as Cherokee citizens; Nannie Murray being sworn and examined by Commissioner Woodall testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Nannie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A About 40.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Bennett.  
Q You have applied for enrollment, haven't you, to the Commission? A Yes sir, I applied at Ft. Gibson.  
Q Your name was placed on a doubtful card wasn't it? A Yes sir.  
Q Now what have you to say now as to your citizenship and that of your daughter? Nannie Carver? A They sent for me to come up here and you would look into it.  
Q Your name nor the name of your daughter Nannie Carver is on the 1880 roll either one of you, and there is no evidence introduced to show that you are entitled to Cherokee citizenship; now if you have any evidence to show that you are entitled to citizenship you can produce it? A There is Mr. Woodall, a relation of mine.

WILLIAM C. WOODALL, being sworn and examined by Com'r Woodall, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A William C. Woodall.  
Q What is your age? A 68.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Vinita.  
Q You are a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Nannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q What do you know in regard to her being entitled to Cherokee citizenship? A What I know about it is what I have heard among the folks; I had an uncle named Killmoore, - I think his first name was Moore and his Cherokee name as Killer, and his children always went by the name of Killmoore; he was a full-blood; he was my uncle; he had a daughter named Jane; she married - I wasn't very well acquainted but from what I have understood from the fact she married a man named O'iley, and this lady here is a daughter of O'iley.  
Q This woman Nannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q When was it she married O'iley? A I couldn't tell you.  
Q Where was it? A I don't know.  
Q Was it in Georgia or in the Indian Territory? A It was in the Territory.  
Q Was O'iley a Cherokee citizen by blood? A I don't think he was Nannie Murray? No sir, he was an adopted citizen.  
Q This Nannie Murray's mother was a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Lived here in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
By W. V. Hastings, Cherokee Rep'v:  
Q Are you personally acquainted with this woman's mother, Nannie Murray's mother? A I used to be.  
Q How long ago? A 31 and upwards.  
Q What became of them then? A They all died I think.  
Q Do you know where this woman was born? A No I do not.  
Q You don't know where she has been living? A They lived down here on Fourteen Mile Creek and I was raised upon Honey Creek, I was acquainted with the family, and saw them once in a while, but most I knew about them was what I heard from my mother and my relations.  
Q From family history? A Yes sir.  
Q When was the first time you ever saw this woman? A I saw her about five years ago.  
Q Where was she? A At Muskogee; she came to file a claim.

Hannie Carver at 2

Q You witnessed for her. A No I didn't witness for her.

NANNIE MURRAY RECALLED:

Com'r Needles:

Q You were before the Dawes Commission four years ago were you?

A No sir, I went to file a claim for Settlers' money.

Q Where before? A Mr. Keys.

By Hastings:

Q You didn't apply then to the Dawes Commission? A No sir.

Q Where were you born? A 14 mile creek, Cherokee Nation.

Q How old are you? A I am about 40.

Q How long have you lived on Fourteen Mile Creek? A I lived there until I was grown.

Q Until you were about 18 or 20 years old? A Yes sir.

Q Where were you married? A Ft. Gibson.

Q Who were some of your neighbors there on 14 mile creek?

A The Spears's.

Q Who do you know at Ft. Gibson? A All the old residents I guess they are gone now, there was Frenchie Miller and his wife, and Mrs Katie Daniels and her husband, I went to school to her.

Q When did you move to Muskogee? A I moved to Muskogee about 10 years ago I guess.

Q Where from? A Ft. Gibson.

Q You lived at Ft. Gibson up until 10 years ago. A No sir.

but I moved from Ft. Gibson to Muskogee and then down to Canadian.

Q You mean to say that you were born in the Cherokee Nation and you never lived out except in Muskogee?

A No sir, I haven't never lived out, I travelled a right smart.

Q Where have you traveled? A In Colorado.

Q How long were you in Colorado? A About three months I guess.

Q Any other place? A In Wyoming.

Q How long? A About three months I guess.

Q Lay your husband dead? A Yes sir.

Q Where did he die? A He died in Washington.

Q State of Washington? A He died in the State of Washington.

Q Were you there with him? A No sir.

By Com'r Needles:

Q You know why your name is not on the 1880 roll? A No sir, I guess it was just neglected and wasn't put on, I guess I was neglected.

By Hastings:

Q What did you say your mother's name was? A Jane Killmore.

WITNESS WILLIAM C. VOORHIS RECALLED:

Q Her mother was your aunt? A No sir, Killmore was my uncle, and this Jane was his daughter.

Q Who did Killmore marry? A I don't know.

Q You didn't know her mother then? A She was a white woman I think.

Applicant Name e Murray: Grand-pa's wife was a white woman.

Com'r Needles, to Nannie Murray:

Q Your mother's name was Riley? A O'Riley.

H. D. SHOWN, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November 1900.

Commissioner.

1. O. Rowson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1900.

Commissioner.



# SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TAHLEQUAH, I.T., NOVEMBER 28th, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application of  
NANNIE MARRAY et al. for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee  
Nation:

STEPHEN SPERS, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Need-  
les, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Stephen Spers.  
Q How old are you, Mr. Spers? A About 60.  
Q What is your post office address? A Tahlequah.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q About how much blood do you claim? A I do not know, I could not  
say, about half breed I guess.  
Q Do you know Nannie Marry? A Yes, I knew her when she went  
by the name of Riley.

INTERROGATORIES BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative:

Q What was her father's name? A John Riley. They called him  
Captain Riley but his name was John.  
Q Do you know whether he was a Cherokee by blood? A He was  
adopted.  
Q Do you know what her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
Q How long ago was it when you knew her? A After the war and  
before the war; it has been about, she lived down there about '69.  
Q Down where? A Fourteen mile creek.  
Q In Tahlequah district? A Yes, sir.  
Q You knew her in about '69? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you known her since? A I have seen her once or twice since  
she went to Gibson.  
Q When did you see her the last time? A About 28 years ago.  
Q What do you say her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
Q A Cherokee by blood? A Her father was a full blood.  
Q Now, do you know that this woman is the daughter of this Killmore  
woman? A That is what I think she is; I guess she is.  
Q What I am trying to get, Steve; how old was this woman when you  
first knew her? A About his high.  
Q About six or seven years old? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was she living with this Killmore woman when you knew her? A  
Yes, sir. I think she died during the war.  
Q You said that you knew her in '69, that has been since the War?  
A I said I knew her before the war and since the war.  
Q You do not know where they have been living for the last 15  
or 20 years? A No, sir.

BY COM'R NEEDLES:

Q How old was this woman when you saw her the last time on Fourteen  
mile creek? A She was a young woman then.  
Q How long was it from that time until you saw her again? A I could  
not say; I saw her at Gibson, after she was married I saw her.  
Q Had you identified her as the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q You are satisfied now that she was the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was her mother an Indian by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q Her father a so? A Her father was a white man.  
Q You do not know where she was about the year 1880, do you? A  
No, sir.

BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative; to the applicant, Nan-  
nie Marry: Q I want to ask you if you applied to the Dawes Com-  
mission for enrollment? A Yes, sir.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 19, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of Hattie Murray and others for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood.

Appearances:

Applicant, in person;  
W. W. Hastings, Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

HATTIE MURRAY being sworn and examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Hattie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A I am about 52.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Bennett, I. T.  
Q You are an applicant before this Commission for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen? A Yes sir.  
Q Is there any other statement that you desire to make relative to your enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation?  
A I understand the reason I was not here my husband was a soldier and we travelled all the time, we was on the frontier around the hostile Indians.  
Q Is that the reason you were not here in 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q Is that the reason your name does not appear on the 1880 roll?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long were you away from the Territory at that time? A I don't know exactly how long.  
Q About how long? A About 5 years I guess.  
Q How long before 1880 did you leave the Territory? A I was out and in, we was out here at Okmulgee awhile.  
Q How long before 1880 was it that you left the Cherokee Nation, what year was it in, do you remember? A '73 or '4, I don't remember.  
Q How long were you gone? A I was gone about five years.  
Q Then you were back here in the Cherokee Nation in 1880 were you not? A No sir, I was not back here at that time; I was in Colorado Springs.  
Q When did you first come to the Cherokee Nation? A I was here in 1880, but I wasn't here at the time they enrolled.  
Q Have you ever been out of the Nation since that time? A No sir.  
MR. HASTINGS waives cross-examination.  
Q Do you submit this case now to the Commission for final consideration? A Yes sir.

M. D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*M. D. Green*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 20, 1902.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

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James' do you, V you, sir.

O for myself, sir, one for the Commission, for the Court, for myself -

James, at first he said, "I am not a lawyer, I am not a lawyer, I am not a lawyer."

the second time he said, "I am not a lawyer, I am not a lawyer, I am not a lawyer."

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., February 19, 1908.

In the matter of the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself, wife and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, D-151.

Applicant present in person.  
Cherokee Nation represented by W. W. Hastings.

The said James Murray, being first duly sworn, testified before the Commission as follows:

Q What is your name? A James Murray.  
Q Where do you live? A My I live here now in Muskogee.  
Q Muskogee? A Yes, sir.  
Q You have heretofore made application to this Commission for the enrollment of your wife and child and yourself as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

It is directed that all the testimony had in the matter of the applicant's mother, Hattie Murray, be filed with and made a part of the record in this application.

Q Is there any statement that you desire to make relative to your enrollment? A No, sir. I haven't heard any only hers; only my mother's; that is all.  
Q You submit this case to the Commission now for final consideration, do you? A Yes, sir.

Arthur S. Greminger, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full the foregoing proceedings, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Arthur S. Greminger*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1908.



Commissioner

In the matter of the application of James Murray, a citizen of the United States, for admission to the Cherokee Nation, and of her husband, James Murray, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Ema Murray, wife of James Murray, duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q. What is your name? A. Ema Murray.  
Q. How old are you? A. Twenty-five.  
Q. What is your postoffice address? A. Muskogee, I. T.  
Q. It was Bennett when you made your original application? A. Yes sir.  
Q. What is your husband's name? A. James Murray.  
Q. Is he a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q. You are a white woman? A. Yes sir.  
Q. And an applicant for enrollment as an intermarried citizen? A. Yes sir.  
Q. When were you married to James Murray? A. In 1908.  
Q. Married by a preacher? A. Yes, Preacher Crosby.  
Q. Were you ever married before you married Murray? A. No sir.  
Q. Had he ever been married before he married you? A. No sir.  
Q. You and he have lived together ever since your marriage until now?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q. Never separated? A. No sir.  
Q. Were you and he living together as husband and wife on September 1st, 1908?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q. Lived in the Indian Territory all the time since your marriage to James Murray up to now? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Has James Murray lived in the Indian Territory all the time since your marriage to him? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Are these two children Jennie and Linnie your children by James Murray?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q. Lived with you all the time in the Territory since they were born?  
A. Yes sir.

Francis R. Lane, a Justice of the Peace, states that as stenographer or to the Commission to the Cherokee Nation, he has personally examined the testimony in the above entitled case and that the same is an accurate transcript of her stenographic notes.

Francis R. Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this November 12th, 1908.

Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, Joseph W. Phillips, Clerk of the United States Court in the North-  
ern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for  
record in my office the 24th day of July 1893, at        M., and duly  
recorded in Book C, Marriage Record, Page 66.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory,  
this 1st day of August, A. D. 1893.

Joseph W. Phillips Clerk.  
By D. S. Dodson Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T., February 2, 1902.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of  
the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of         
James Murray, as a citizen of the        Nation.

  
Commissioner.

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## MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
 INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT.

No. 1440

## To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between  
 Mr. James Murray, of Muskogee, in  
 the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, and Miss Emma Weddles,  
 of Muskogee, in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years,  
 according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory this 22 day of

July A. D. 1893.

S E A L

Joseph W. Phillips,  
 Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By G. H. Smith, Deputy.

## CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
 INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT,

I, David Crosby, a Minister of the Gospel, Do HEREBY CERTIFY,  
 that on the 23d day of July, A. D. 1893 I did duly and  
 according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans  
 of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 23d day of July A. D. 1893.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Ter-  
 ritory, Northern District, Book A, Page 111.

David Crosby



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
FT. GIBSON, I. T., AUGUST 22nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Lizzie Carver and children, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn by Commissioner, T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Lizzie Carver.  
Q What is your age? A Will be thirty in September.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Muskogee part of the time, and part of the time, Bennett.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What ~~degree~~ degree of blood do you claim? A About one eighth.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in Canadian District? A I can not tell exactly; off and on about - quite a while.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I was born here.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Fourteen or fifteen years.  
Q You have lived in the Cherokee Nation for the last fourteen or fifteen years? A No sir; not the last fourteen or fifteen years.  
Q How long have you been living here since the last time you came here? A About three years.  
Q What year did you come here the last time? A I think I moved to the Cherokee Nation in 1896.  
Q Have you been living here all the time since 1896? A No sir; I moved into the Cherokee Nation in 1896.  
Q When did you move out of it again? A About 1898.  
Q Where? A Muskogee.  
Q When did you move back; do you not live in Muskogee now?  
A No sir; I do not.  
Q When did you move back to the Cherokee Nation? A I do not live in the Cherokee Nation; I live just where I can get anything to do.  
Q Where do you live now? A In Kansas.  
Q How long have you been there? A Went there last June.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself and two children.  
Q Are you married? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your husband? A He is in the pen.  
Q Is your husband a citizen? A He is a white man.  
Q What was your name before you were married? A Murray.  
Q When were you married? A I was married in 1896.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Nannie Murray.  
Q Is your father living? A No sir.  
Q Is your mother an Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she living? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any children? A Two.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Walter Carver.  
Q How old is Walter? A Twelve years old.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A Pearl.  
Q How old is Pearl? A Seven.  
Q Are these children living and living with you? A Yes sir.  
Q In Kansas? A Yes sir.  
Q You say you have no certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q Were you ever married according to law? A No the Cherokee law.  
Q Any law? A Yes sir.  
Q Where were you married? A Muskogee.  
Q United States law? A I suppose so.  
By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:  
Q Your eldest child is named Walter? A Yes sir.  
Q Where was he born? A In Muskogee.  
Q Where was your second child born? A In Muskogee.

Q Did you ever live outside of the Cherokee or Creek Nations, with the exception of your living in Kansas since June last, since you were married? A Yes sir; I went to Arkansas; stayed three weeks one time, and then I went to Kansas and stayed eight months before that.

Q Your mother lived here in 1870, and went to Colorado and Dakota?

A Yes sir.

Q She testified that she returned here about ten years ago; did you return with her? A Yes sir.

Q And you have been living in the Cherokee and Creek Nations; with the exceptions you above mention, since that time? A Yes sir.

By the Commission:

Q What is your husband's name? A Lave Carver.

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1896, Page 16, #445, Lizzie Carver, Canadian District)

Identification of applicant's children:

(1896 Roll, Page 16, #446, Walter Carver, Canadian District)

(1896 Roll, Page 16, #446, Pearl Carver, Canadian District)

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1894, Page 18, #414, Lizzie Carver, Canadian District)

(1894 Roll, Page 18, #415, Walter Carver, Canadian District)

The name of Lizzie Carver appears on the census roll of 1896, and the pay roll of 1894, but her name is not found on the authenticated roll of 1890; neither is the name of her mother found there. She avers that she was married to Lave Carver in 1886, but presents no certificate of marriage: She avers that she has two children by him, named Walter and Pearl Carver: The name of Walter is found on the census roll of 1896, as is also the name of Pearl; and the name of Walter also is found on the pay roll of 1894. The fact that her name does not appear on the authenticated roll of 1890, or the name of her mother and father; and that she presents no certificate of marriage to her husband Lave Carver, the reputed father of Walter and Pearl; final judgment as to the enrollment of the said Lizzie Carver and her two children will be suspended; and their names will be placed on a doubtful card.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

B. B. Brown

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 29th day of August, 1900.

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COMMISSIONER.

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ST. GIBSON, I. T., AUGUST 22nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Mary E. Weddell and child, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn by Commissioner, T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mary E. Weddell.  
Q What is your age? A Twenty four.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A About one eighth.  
Q What District do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived there? A Ever since I was small.  
Q Always lived in Canadian District? A No sir; I have lived in Muskogee; just changed about any where my husband could get work.  
Q How long have you lived continuously in the Indian Territory?  
A About sixteen years, I guess.  
Q During that time, you have been living part of the time in the Creek and part of the time in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, most of the time in the Creek Nation.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself and child.  
Q What is your father's name? A James Murray.  
Q Is he living? A No sir.  
Q A citizen? A No sir; white man.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Mary Murray.  
Q Living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she an Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Is her name on the roll of 1880? A No sir.  
Q Does your name appear on the roll of 1880? A I guess not.  
Q Are you married? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A Emerson E. Weddells.  
Q When were you married? A In 1897.  
Q Is your husband living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is he a white man? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A In 1897.  
Q State law, or Cherokee law? A State law.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any children? A One son.  
Q What is his name? A George Nelson Weddells.  
Q How old is he? A Two years past.  
Q Have you any certificate of birth with you? A No sir.

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1896, Page 54, #1482, Mary E. Murry, Canadian District) (1896 Roll, Page 68, #1473, Mary E. Murry, Canadian District)

The name of Mary E. Weddell appears on the census roll of 1896, as well as the pay roll of 1894, as Mary Murry. She presents a certificate in due form, certifying that she was married to E. E. Weddell on the 6th day of March, 1897. Her name does not appear on the authenticated roll of 1880; neither does that of her mother. She avers that as a result of her marriage, she has one child, George Nelson Weddell, two years old, whose name does not appear on the census roll of 1896, he having been born since same were compiled.

Her name not appearing on the authenticated roll of 1880; neither the name of her mother; final judgment as to the application of herself and child will be suspended, and her name will be placed on a "White" or "Doubtful Card". It will also be necessary for her to furnish a proper certificate and proof of the birth of said George Nelson Weddell.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he has correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that

the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the original notes thereof.

A. C. C.

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 29th day of August, 1900.

A. C. C.

COMMISSIONER.



CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, James A Winston, Clerk of the United States Court in the North-  
ern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for  
record in my office the 9 day of March, 1897, at        M., and duly  
recorded in Book   E  , Marriage Record, Page 426.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory,  
this 10 day of March, A. D. 1897.

S E A L

James A. Winston Clerk.

By        Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T., February 6, 1902.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of  
the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of       

Mary E. Vaddells, as        citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

        
Commissioner.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

No. 527

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between  
Mr. E. E. Weddel, of Muskogee, in  
the Indian Territory, aged 21 years, and Miss Dollie Murray  
of Muskogee, in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years,  
according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory this 5th day of  
March A. D. 1897.

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Jas. A. Winston  
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT,

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a Minister of the Gospel, Do HEREBY CERTIFY,  
that on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1897, I did duly and  
according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans  
of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 5 day of March A. D. 1897.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Ter-  
ritory, Northern District, Book A, Page 127.

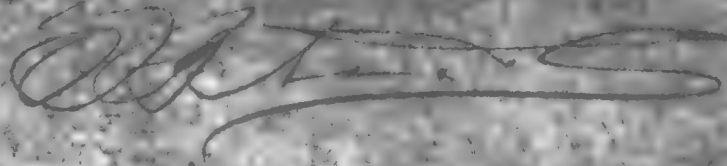
J. D. Shoemaker  
A Minister of the Gospel.



Department of the Interior  
Commissioner of the General Land Office  
Washington, D.C., February 1, 1906

In the matter of the application of Mary E. [redacted] et al to  
be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant has applied by virtue of [redacted] E.  
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Department of the Interior.  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Tulsa, Okla., November 27, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Emma Carver for the enrollment of herself and two children as Cherokee citizens; she being sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Emma Carver.  
Q How old are you? A 38 years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Bennett.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q Who do you want to enroll? A Myself and two children.  
Q Your husband living? A Yes sir.  
Applicant presents a certificate of marriage certifying that Frank Carver and Emma Carver of Muskogee were married on the 20th day of May, 1890.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Joanna.  
Q How old? A 12 years old.  
Q Next child? A Frank.  
Q How old? A 5 years old.  
Q You just apply for yourself and two children? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A Jim Murray.  
Q He living? A No sir.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Emma.  
Q She living? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they Cherokee citizens by blood? A My mother is.

By V. V. Hastings, representative of the Cherokee Nation-

- Q Where were you born? A I don't know; I think in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Where were you living when you were old enough to remember? A I lived in Gibson I think.  
Q When did you leave Fort Gibson; how old were you? A I was a child.  
Q Where did you go to? A Over to Muskogee.  
Q How long have you been living in Muskogee? A I couldn't tell you just how long; lived there some time.  
Q Living there when you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Living there ever since? A No sir, living down in the country.  
Q Canadian district? A Yes sir.

Commissioner-

- Q Did you draw your strip money in 1894? A Yes sir, been drawing all the time.

1896 roll; page 18, 1897, Emma Carver, Canadian dist.

18, 1898, Emma Carver.

18, 1899, Frank Carver, Jr.

- Q Your husband's not dead is he? A No sir.

- Q Are you applying for him? A No sir.

- Q He's in prison? A Yes sir.

1894 roll; page 18, 1897, Emma Carver, Canadian dist.

18, 1899, Frank Carver.

- Q Have you any proof of your citizenship besides what appears upon the rolls here? A I got signatures.

- Q What do you mean by the signatures? A Signatures on marriage certificate.

- Q Your husband's a white man? A Yes sir.

Commissioner Needles-

The name of Emma Carver appears upon the Census roll of 1890 as well as the pay roll of 1894. The names of her two children, Joanna and Frank, also appear upon the Census roll of 1890 and pay roll of 1894. The name of said applicant, Emma Carver, does not appear upon the authenticated roll of 1890; neither does the name



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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 11, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of HANNIE CARVER,  
ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 19, 1902, that her application for the enrollment of herself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902, and that on said date she might appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney and an opportunity would be given her to introduce any additional testimony ~~materially~~ affecting her application. The applicant having this day, to-wit: the 11th day of March, 1902, been called and failing to respond either in person or by attorney her case is considered completed, and the same will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee representative, present.

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I, J. O. Kessen, do hereby certify upon my official oath as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that I correctly recorded the proceedings had this day in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Kessen*

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of February, 1908.

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*[Signature]*

Notes thereof.

Foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his deposition recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the return to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is correct.

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There will be placed upon a separate card. her application for his enrollment will be forwarded and his be placed upon a separate card. The final decision as to how many in behalf of her husband, Henry Gerver, will also be placed upon a separate card. The application which the



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, T., January 15, 1908.

In the matter of the application of Hannie Carver for the enrollment of her husband, FRANK CARVER, as a citizen by inter-marriage of the Cherokee Nation:

Said Hannie Carver being duly sworn and examined, testified as follows: Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your name? A Hannie Carver.  
Q How old are you? A 39.  
Q Yes. A 39 years old.  
Q What is your post office address? A Bennett was.  
Q What is your post office now; where do you live now?  
A I live in town.  
Q Here in Muskogee? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q For whom do you want to make application, for your husband?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q What is his name? A His name is Frank Carver.  
Q Have you already been enrolled? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is your husband a Cherokee or white man? A He is a white man.  
Q You make application for his enrollment as a citizen by inter-marriage? A Yes, sir.

Commission: There is offered in evidence a Cherokee license issued by T. Jay Thornton, Clerk of Illinois District Cherokee Nation, on the 24th day of May, 1890, authorizing the marriage of Frank Carver, a citizen of the United States, and Miss Hannie Murray, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation. The license is accompanied by a certificate showing that the parties were united in marriage on the 26th day of May, 1890, by Mason F. Williams, a Minister of the Gospel. The license and certificate are filed herewith.

- Q Were you married to your husband under the laws of the United States before you were married to him under the Cherokee law; were you married to him twice? A No, sir.

Commission: There is offered in evidence a certified copy of a marriage license issued by W. Nelson, Clerk of the Court, First Judicial Division, U. S. A., Indian Territory, on the 28th day of June, 1890, authorizing the marriage of Frank Carver and Miss Hannie Murray. The license is accompanied by a certificate showing that they were married on the 26th day of May, 1890, by Mason F. Williams, a Minister of the Gospel.

- Q Where is your husband now? A He is in the Penitentiary.  
Q How long has he been there? A I don't know, about five or six years.  
Q Did you live with him continuously from the time you were married until he was sent to the Penitentiary? A Yes, sir, nearly all of the time.  
Q Did you ever separate from him? A No, sir, I don't believe I did.  
Q Don't you know? A No, sir, I never separated from him until he was sent to the Penitentiary.  
Q When you lived with him continuously from the time you were married until he was sent to the Penitentiary? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long has he to be confined in the penitentiary?  
A Three years.  
Q When you married since? A No, sir.  
Q What was the name of your father? A My father's name?  
Q What is the name of your father? A Jim Murray.



- Q Is he a Cherokee or white man? A Cherokee.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Nannie.  
Q Is she living? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is she a Cherokee? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is your name upon the roll of 1880? A I expect it does.  
Q Have you always resided in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you always been recognized as a citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you ever married before you married Frank Carver? A No, sir.  
Q Was he ever married before? A No, sir.  
Q Did you ever go by any other name other than Nannie Murray before you were married? A No, sir.  
Q Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you draw strip money? A Yes, sir.

1880 Authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined and name of applicant not found thereon.

1896 census roll of Cherokee citizens examined and name of applicant found thereon, page 16, #449, Nannie Carver, Canadian District.

1894 Pay roll of Cherokee citizens examined and name of applicant found thereon, page 18, #417, Nannie Carver, Canadian District.

1896 Census Roll of Cherokee citizens examined and name of applicant's husband found thereon, page 86, #450, Frank Carver, Canadian District.

- Q How old is your husband now? A About 53 or 54 years old.  
Q In what penitentiary is he confined? A I don't know.

BY MR. W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee representative:

- Q In Columbus Penitentiary? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was your husband ever married before he married you?  
A No, sir.  
Q Were you living with him as his wife at the time of his arrest?  
A No, sir, not at the time of his arrest.  
Q Were you separated from him? A Yes, sir.  
Q Now, Madam, you seem to hesitate about this, what the Commission wants to know now is how long you had separated? A Wasn't exactly separated.  
Q Well, was he on the scene? A Yes, sir.  
Q He was convicted of murder wasn't he? A Yes, sir.  
Q Well, now, up to the time that this offense is alleged to have been committed were you living with him as his wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q At the time he is said to have killed this party, you were living with him as his wife, and recognized as his wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where were you living then? A I was living in town here.  
Q In Muskogee? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where were you living when you were married to him? A I was living down in the lower end of town.  
Q In Muskogee? A Yes, sir.  
Q You and he lived then all the time in Muskogee that you lived together as husband and wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever lived in the Cherokee Nation? A No, sir.

COMMISSION: Nannie Carver applies for the enrollment of her husband, Frank Carver, who is confined in the penitentiary. She makes satisfactory proof of her marriage to her husband under a Cherokee law on the 26th day of May, 1890. She avers that she and her husband lived together continuously up to the time he was charged with murder and that neither of them was ever previously married. The applicant is not iden



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We the undersigned citizens of the Cherokee Nation hereby certify that we have known Frank Carver for the period of six months and have found him to be honest and industrious and a fit person to reside in the Indian Country.

William P. Thompson  
Wm. H. Elliott  
B. B. Cobb,  
H. C. Lowry,  
W. A. Thompson,  
J. C. Jourdan,  
Chas. Harris.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE.**

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.  
ILLINOIS DISTRICT.

TO ANY PERSON LEGALLY AUTHORIZED TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE GRANTING:

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage, between Mr. Frank Covert, a citizen of the United States and Miss Mennie Murray a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the usual customs and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this license to me for record within thirty days from the celebration of such marriage with a Certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 24th day of May A. D. 1890

( S E A L )

T. Jay Thornton

Clerk Illinois District.

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.  
DISTRICT.

I, Mason P. Williams a Minister of the Gospel hereby certify that on the 26th day of May 1890 I joined in marriage Mr. Frank Carver a citizen of the United States, and Miss Mennie Murray a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable to the authority given in the within license and the customs and laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Given under my hand this the 26th day of May A.D. 1890

Mason P.  
Williams.

Recorded on Book "A" Record of Marriages May 30 1890

T. Jay Thornton  
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T. August 15, 1902.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of said evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of Frank Carver as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Commissioner.

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CERTIFICATE OF

I, WILLIAM NELSON, Clerk of the Court in the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the marriage of the said parties was solemnized on the 26th day of May A. D. 1890 at 2 o'clock P. M. in the Indian Territory, in the presence of the following witnesses: (see page 21).

SS. ) Witness my hand and seal of said Court at the  
in said Territory, this 26th day of May A. D. 1890.  
W. Nelson Clerk.

By .....Deputy.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INDIAN TERRITORY.

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the rites and publish the bans of matrimony between Frank Carver age twenty-two years and Nanie Murray aged 18 years, according to law; and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties herein named.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 26th day of May A. D. 1890.

SS. ) W. Nelson Clerk.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INDIAN TERRITORY SS.

I, Mason F. Williams, Minister of the Gospel do hereby certify that on the 26th day of May A. D. 1890, I did duly and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing license, solemnize the rites and publish the bans of matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 26th day of May A.D. 1890.

Mason F. Williams.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T. August 15, 1902.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same in the matter of the application for the citizenship of Frank Carver as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Commissioner.



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Proceedings above, and that the foregoing is a true and complete  
 Commission to the five Civilized Tribes I hereby recognize the  
 I, J. O. Ross, do hereby certify that an acknowledgment to the

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cord.  
 Mission for this declaration. The Commission now of re-  
 case is considered complete and will be referred to the Com-  
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 Territory, on the 28th day of March, 1905, and that on any  
 signature of the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian  
 office of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for their con-  
 1905, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a  
 The subject was notified by registered letter March 2,

as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation;  
 SUBMITTAL to the matter of the enrollment of FRANK CHALKER

Muskogee, I. T., March 28, 1905.  
 Commission to the five Civilized Tribes.



Supl. C.D. #1267.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 22, 1902.

**SUPPLEMENTAL** in the matter of the enrollment of FRANK CARVER  
as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter March 5, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 22d day of March, 1902, and that on said date he might appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney and that opportunity would be given him to introduce any further evidence affecting his case. The applicant has to this day, to-wit: the 22d day of March, 1902, been called and failing to respond either in person or by attorney, the case is considered completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, J. O. Henson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the proceedings above, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

J. O. Henson



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., August 12, 1908.

In the matter of the application of Fannie Murray, for the enrollment of herself, and her children Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

TESTIMONY IN BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

Appearances:

Cherokee Nation represented by J. C. Starr;  
Applicants appear by Lissie Garver.

JOSUAH ROSS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Joshua Ross.  
Q What is your age? A Sixty-nine.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, Fannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A I have known her at least about thirty years. I think she has been here about that length of time.  
Q Do you know her children? A Yes sir.  
Q Can you name them? A One is, this young lady there is Mary.  
Q Mary B. Waddle? A Yes sir. The other is Lissie.  
Q Is her name Lissie Garver at this time? A Yes sir. And Jim Finnigan, her brother.  
Q Did she have a boy named James? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not all her children were born here in the Cherokee Nation? A I think they were, yes sir, that's my impression.  
Q What is the citizenship of Fannie Murray? A She's a Cherokee.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation?  
A No, I do not.  
Q Do you know where she was living when the roll of 1898 was made?  
A I expect she was living here at Muskogee.  
Q Do you know why her name isn't on the roll of 1898?  
A No sir, I do not unless she was living here and didn't get over. Like they left me off; I went over in the district, and they promised to put me down and didn't do it--the census takers.  
Q Have you ever heard her right as a Cherokee disputed?  
A No sir. Q Has she been continuously a resident of the Indian Territory since you have known her? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you known her continuously? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know her husband? A In a general way.  
Q Have her children all resided here continuously?  
A Yes sir.

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WILLIAM HOTT, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William Hott.  
Q How old are you? A Fifty nine.  
Q Where do you reside? A Two miles east of town here.  
Q Is Muskogee your post office? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Fannie Murray?  
A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known her ?  
A Ever since she was a child, I guess.  
Q Where was she living when you first knew her ?  
A On three mile creek.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Yes sir; she was married to a soldier, and he was ordered away and she went with him.  
Q Was that her husband, Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know where her children were born ?  
A Some of them at Fort Gibson, I think.  
Q Which ones, do you know ? A No sir.  
Q Do you know about when it was that she left the nation with her husband ? A No sir, I don't remember that.  
Q Was it prior or subsequent to 1880 ? A I don't remember, but I think it was before 1880.  
Q Do you know when she came back ? A No sir.  
Q Have you any idea ? A No sir, I don't know; don't have any idea.  
Q Did you ever hear of her right to enrollment as a Cherokee, or the rights of her children to enrollment as Cherokees, being disputed ? A No sir.  
Q Were her parents Cherokees ? A Yes sir.  
Q Both of them ? A No.  
Q Was her mother the Cherokee ? A Yes sir, her mother was a Cherokee.  
Q Had her mother always resided here up to the time she died ?  
A I guess she had; so far as I know she did.

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LIZZIE CARVER, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name ? A Lizzie Carver.  
Q What is your age and post office address ?  
A I will soon be thirty-two, and my post office is Muskogee.  
Q Are you a daughter of Hattie Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your mother living at this time ?  
A She is living here in town-in Muskogee.  
Q Where were you born ? A I was born in Fort Gibson.  
Q Where was your sister Mary E. Waddle born ?  
A She was born in Dakota.  
Q Where was your brother James born ? A In Dakota.  
Q Where was Malcomb born ? A In Colorado.  
Q Where was John born ? A In Colorado.  
Q When did your mother leave the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Sometime, I think, between 1873 and 1874. I wouldn't be sure.  
Q You were taken with her when she left ? A Yes sir.  
Q Well where did she go to at that time ? A I can't tell you, out towards where Oklahoma is now, I think.  
Q What was your father's occupation ? A He was a soldier.  
Q Was your mother married to him while he was stationed at Fort Gibson ? A Yes sir.  
Q And she accompanied him when his troop was removed ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long was it before your mother again came back to the Cherokee Nation ?  
A I think she came back in the winter of 1880.  
Q Did all these children that I named a while ago return with her at that time ? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you all come back together ? A Yes sir.



Q Are all of you now residents of the Indian Territory?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Have you been residents continuously since the winter of 1886?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Have either of you, your mother, or brothers and sisters, ever lived outside the Indian Territory since that time?  
 A No sir, not that I know of.  
 Q Have you all been recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation since you came back here in the winter of 1886? A Yes sir.  
 Q Had your mother always been recognized as a citizen prior to her departure in the seventies with your father? A Yes sir.  
 Q Your father is dead? A Yes sir.  
 Q When did he die? A In 1882, I believe.  
 Q After your return to the Nation? A Yes sir.  
 Q You were the only child born prior to the time your mother left the nation? A Yes sir.  
 Q The others were all born outside the Indian Territory?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Where was your sister, who is now known as Mamie Carver, born?  
 A In Dakota.  
 Q Did she return at the same time you all came back?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q About how old is she now? A Twenty-nine.  
 Q Has she been residing here continuously since that time?  
 A Yes sir.

The Commission: This testimony will be filed with and made a part of the record in the case at bar, being that of Mamie Murray, D 152; in the case of James Murray, D 151; in the case of Linnie Carver, D 153; in the case of Mary B. Waddle, D 155; and in the case of Mamie Carver, D 264.

H. C. Egwell, as both states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cases, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 12, 1902.

*Philip R. Carter*  
 Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Murray et al for enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of:

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| Nannie Murray et al    | Cherokee D 152 |
| James Murray et al     | " D 151        |
| Lizzie Carver et al    | " D 153        |
| Mary E. Weddells et al | " D 155        |
| Nannie Carver et al    | " D 864        |

D E C I S I O N.

The record in these cases shows that applications were made to this Commission, at the times and places hereinafter stated, for enrollment as Cherokee citizens:

B 152 By Nannie Murray, at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on August 22, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two children, Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, and November 28, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 19, and August 12, 1902.

D 151 By James Murray, at the time and place aforesaid, for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Jennie Murray, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 10, and October 30, 1902. On August 15, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for Lizzie Murray, a second child of the applicant, born since the original application.

D 153 By Lizzie Carver, at the time and place last mentioned, for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D 155 By Mary E. Weddells, at the time and place last mentioned, for the enrollment of herself and her minor child, George E. Weddells, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On August 15, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for Beulah Weddells, a second child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

D 864 By Nannie Carver, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence in these cases shows that Nannie Murray is a Cherokee Indian and that Malcomb Murray, John Murray, James Murray, Lizzie Carver, Mary E. Weddells and Nannie Carver, are her children by her deceased husband, James Murray, a white man. Neither the name of Nannie Murray nor the names of any of her children can be found on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880, and it appears from the evidence that Nannie Murray and her children were not in the Cherokee Nation at the time of the preparation of such roll. On examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of the Commission, it appears that Nannie Murray, Malcomb Murray, James Murray, Mary E. Weddells, Lizzie Carver and Nannie Carver, are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894, and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and that John Murray is identified on all of the above named rolls, excepting the roll of 1894.

Emma Murray, a white woman, was married to said James Murray on July 23, 1893, and Jennie and Lizzie Murray are the issue of that marriage. Emma Murray and her older child are identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, and the younger child, Lizzie, is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

Walter Carver, the child of Lizzie Carver, is identified on the pay rolls of 1890 and 1894 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896. Pearl Carver, her other child, is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

George N. and Beulah Weddells are the children of said Mary E. Weddells, and they are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

Nannie Carver (nee Murray), was lawfully married on May 26, 1890, to Frank Carver. Joanna and Frank Carver are the issue of that marriage. Her child, Joanna, is identified on the Cherokee pay roll of 1890 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and Frank Carver (Jr.) is identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

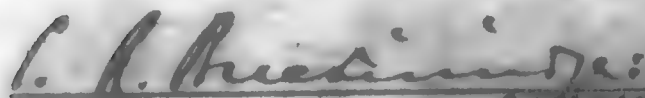
The evidence further shows that Nannie Murray was born in the Cherokee Nation and lived therein until about 1873 or 1874, at which time she accompanied her husband, who was a soldier in the United States Army, to the frontier, and that she returned to the Cherokee Nation about 1880, accompanied by her children, excepting Lizzie, who was not then born. Nannie Murray and all her children, excepting Lizzie Carver, have lived in Indian Territory since their return thereto. Lizzie Carver having been born subsequent to the return of her mother to the Indian Territory, has resided therein all her life. The evidence further shows that Emma Murray and her husband, James Murray, have been living together from the time of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902. The residence of the minor children included in this application is considered to be that of their parents, with whom they are living.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Fannie Murray, Malcomb Murray, John Murray, James Murray, Jennie Murray, Lissie Murray, Lissie Carver, Walter Carver, Pearl Carver, Mary E. Weddells, George M. Weddells, Beulah Weddells, Wannie Carver, Joanna Carver and Frank Carver (son of said Wannie Carver), should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that Emma Murray should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.


Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 3rd, 1902

**Bessie Murray,**

**Bennett, Indian Territory,**

**Madam:-**

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and two minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the **10th** day of **February**, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

**Cherokee B-132,**

**Register,**

**Yours truly,**

**Acting Chairman.**

Washington, Indian Territory, July 27th, 1900

In the matter of the application of Walter Brown and the several  
other persons and for admission as citizens of the  
Oklahoma Territory.

(Notice.)

To Walter Brown,

Hamlet, Indian Territory.

You are hereby notified to appear before the Commission  
to the Five Civilized Tribes at its office in Muskogee, Indian  
Territory, within fifteen days from date hereof, and introduce  
further testimony as to your residence and citizenship in the  
Oklahoma Territory.

Witness my hand to the Five Civilized Tribes

at Muskogee, Indian Territory, this 27th day of July, 1900.

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Cherokee  
D-151-2-3-5 and  
D-844.

Waskagee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Fannie Murray for the enrollment of herself and her two children, Malcolm and John Murray, as citizens by blood; the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself and his children, Jennie and Elsie Murray, as citizens by blood and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Elsie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood; the application of Mary E. Weddells for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, George E. and Beulah Weddells, as citizens by blood; and the application of Fannie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Jessie and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case,



a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon  
the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the  
time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman

Enc. M-4197

Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

John Murray,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two children, Malcolm and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James P. [unclear]  
Chairman.

Enc. No. 2

Respectfully,

McIntosh, Indian Territory, June 30, 1902.

James Murray,

Danforth, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are hereby notified to appear before this Commission on or before July 15, 1902, and submit further evidence as to your citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, and also as to the residence of yourself and children.

The Commission desires also to be informed more definitely concerning your parents and the date of their death. You will also be required to inform the Commission as to when you left the Cherokee Nation with your husband, James Murray; whether any children were born to you at the time you left the Cherokee Nation and whether you took such children with you and also whether any children were born to you during your absence from the Cherokee Nation. It will also be necessary to show the date of your return to the Cherokee Nation; whether you brought such children with you and where they have been living since that time.

As these matters are very important you are urged to give the same your prompt attention.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
FT. GIBSON, I. T., AUGUST 22nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Lizzie Carver and children, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn by Commissioner, T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Lizzie Carver.  
Q What is your age? A Will be thirty in September.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Muskogee part of the time, and part of the time, Bennett.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What ~~degree~~ degree of blood do you claim? A About one eighth.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in Canadian District? A I can not tell exactly; off and on about - quite a while.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I was born here  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Fourteen or fifteen years.  
Q You have lived in the Cherokee Nation for the last fourteen or fifteen years? A No sir; not the last fourteen or fifteen years.  
Q How long have you been living here since the last time you came here? A About three years.  
Q What year did you come here the last time? A I think I moved to the Cherokee Nation in 1896.  
Q Have you been living here all the time since 1896? A No sir; I moved into the Cherokee Nation in 1896.  
Q When did you move out of it again? A About 1898.  
Q Where? A Muskogee.  
Q When did you move back; do you not live in Muskogee now?  
A No sir; I do not.  
Q When did you move back to the Cherokee Nation? A I do not live in the Cherokee Nation; I live just where I can get anything to do.  
Q Where do you live now? A In Kansas.  
Q How long have you been there? A Went there last June.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself and two children.  
Q Are you married? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your husband? A He is in the pen.  
Q Is your husband a citizen? A He is a white man.  
Q What was your name before you were married? A Murray.  
Q When were you married? A I was married in 1886.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Annie Murray.  
Q Is your father living? A No sir.  
Q Is your mother an Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she living? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any children? A Yes.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Walter Carver.  
Q How old is Walter? A Twelve years old.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A Pearl.  
Q How old is Pearl? A Seven.  
Q Are these children living and living with you? A Yes sir.  
Q In Kansas? A Yes sir.  
Q You say you have no certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q Were you ever married according to law? A No the Cherokee law.  
Q By law? A Yes sir.  
Q Where were you married? A Muskogee.  
Q United States law? A I suppose so.  
By Mr. E. V. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:  
Q Your oldest child is named Walter? A Yes sir.  
Q Where was he born? A In Muskogee.  
Q Where was your second child born? A In Muskogee.

Q Did you ever live outside of the Cherokee or Creek Nations, with the exception of your living in Kansas since June last, since you were married? A Yes sir; I went to Arkansas; stayed three weeks one time, and then I went to Kansas and stayed eight months before that.

Q Your mother lived here in 1870, and went to Colorado and Dakota?  
A Yes sir.

Q She testified that she returned here about ten years ago; did you return with her? A Yes sir.

Q And you have been living in the Cherokee and Creek Nations, with the exceptions you above mention, since that time? A Yes sir.

By the Commission:

Q What is your husband's name? A Lave Carver.

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1896, Page 16, #448, Lissie Carver, Canadian District)

Identification of applicant's children:

(1896 Roll, Page 16, #448, Walter Carver, Canadian District)

(1896 Roll, Page 16, #448, Pearl Carver, Canadian District)

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1894, Page 18, #414, Lissie Carver, Canadian District)

(1894 Roll, Page 18, #415, Walter Carver, Canadian District)

The name of Lissie Carver appears on the census roll of 1896, and the pay roll of 1894, but her name is not found on the authenticated roll of 1890; neither is the name of her mother found there. She avers that she was married to Lave Carver in 1886, but presents no certificate of marriage; she avers that she has two children by him, named Walter and Pearl Carver. The name of Walter is found on the census roll of 1896, as is also the name of Pearl; and the name of Walter also is found on the pay roll of 1894. The fact that her name does not appear on the authenticated roll of 1890, or the name of her mother and father; and that she presents no certificate of marriage to her husband Lave Carver, the reputed father of Walter and Pearl; final judgment as to the enrollment of the said Lissie Carver and her two children will be suspended; and their names will be placed on a doubtful card.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

A. A. Brown

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 29th day of August, 1900.

[Signature]

COMMISSIONER.

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REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1901

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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To be filed with D-151, James Murray.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Port Gibson, I.T., August 22, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Harriet Murray for the enrollment of herself and two children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, she testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Harriet Murray.  
Q How old are you? A I am 47 or 48.  
Q What is your post office address? A Barnett, I. T.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I guess about 1/4 maybe.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in the Canadian District? A I have lived in Canadian district about 3 years.  
Q Where did you live before that? A I lived in Muskogee part of the time and I lived here some.  
Q Where did you live before you came to the Canadian District, in Muskogee? A I went from here there.  
Q When did you go to Muskogee? A I don't know just exactly, what year I went to Muskogee in.  
Q How long have you lived in Muskogee? A Off and on, backwards and forwards, in and out of the Nation, about 15 years I guess.  
Q You lived between here and the Creek Nation for the last 15 years? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you live permanently in the Cherokee Nation the last time for how long? A I have lived here I guess about 3 years at a time, and a year, just backwards and forwards.  
Q You haven't been backwards and forwards for the last two years? A No, sir, I have been right in the Nation.  
Q Who do you apply to enroll this morning? A I have two sons.  
Q Do you want to enroll yourself? A Yes, sir.  
Q Two sons under 21 years of age? A One is 15 and one is 21, he isn't able to come, he is home sick with slow fever.  
Q Your father a non citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q He is not living? A No, sir.  
Q Your mother a citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her name? A Jane Riley.  
Q Is she living? A No, sir.  
Q When did she die? A She died in time of the war.  
Q What is the name of the children that you want to enroll? A Malcomb Murray, 15 years old.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A John Murray, 21 years old.  
Q What is the reason John isn't here himself? A He is down with slow fever.  
Q How long has these children lived in the Cherokee Nation, John and Malcomb? A They have lived with me all the time.  
Q They have been with you all the time, in and out just as you have? A Yes, sir.  
Q Your name doesn't appear upon the authenticated roll of 1899? A No, sir, I don't think it does.  
Q Your name before you married was Riley? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you marry, what was the date of your marriage to your husband Murray? A It got turned up.  
Q About what year were you married in? A About '90.  
Q You married about 1890? A Yes, sir.  
Q You lived with your husband then until his death? A Yes, sir.  
Q You don't recollect about what year he died? A Oh 1898.  
Q Your husband Murray died in 1898? A Yes, sir.  
(On 1898 roll, page 54, No. 1421, Harriet Murray, Canadian District.  
John Murray on 1898 roll, page 54, No. 1421, John Murray, Canadian Dist.  
On 1898 roll, page 54, No. 1422, Malcomb Murray, Canadian District.

Hannie Murray on 1884 roll, page 22, No. 127. (Grand Roll of the Five Civilized Tribes, 1884, Roll 127, page 22, No. 127, Hannie Murray, Cherokee, Okla.)

Q Did she ever strip money in 1884? A No, Sir, they said they lost the papers.

The name of Nancy Murray appears upon the census roll of 1880, as well as the pay roll of 1881. The name of her son John only appears upon the census roll of 1880, and the name of Hannie Murray not appearing upon the authenticated roll of 1880, consequently final as to her enrollment and that of her sons, Malcolm and John, will be suspended, and their names will be placed upon a doubtful card.

Bruce G. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly transcribed the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) Bruce G. Jones.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 26th day of August, 1900.

(Signed) T. H. Needles,

Commissioner.

SUPPLEMENTAL: 1-200 and 2-152.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D.C., November 17, 1900.

In the matter of the enrollment of Hannie Carver, and also of Hannie Murray, as Cherokee Indians; Hannie Murray being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Hannie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A About 40.  
Q What is your present address? A Barnett.  
Q You have applied for enrollment, haven't you, to the Commission? A Yes, Sir, I applied at Ft. Gibson.  
Q Your name was placed on a doubtful card wasn't it? A Yes, Sir.  
Q Now what have you to say now as to your citizenship and that of your daughter, Hannie Carver? A They sent for me to come up here and you would look into it.  
Q Your name nor the name of your daughter Hannie Carver is on the 1880 roll either one of you, and there is no record in connection to show that you are entitled to Cherokee citizenship; now if you have any evidence to show that you are entitled to Cherokee citizenship, please produce it. A There is Mr. Vonnell, a relative of mine.

WILLIAM C. VONNELL, being sworn and examined by T. H. Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A William C. Vonnell.

Q What is your age? A 35.  
 Q What is your postoffice address? A Vinita.  
 Q You are a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Do you know Nannie Murray? A Yes, sir.  
 Q What do you know in regard to her being entitled to Cherokee citizenship? A What I know is that I have known her since she was a child; I had an uncle named Moore, and his Cherokee name was Killdeer, and his first name was Moore and his Cherokee name was Killdeer, and he was a Cherokee; he always went by the name of Killdeer; he was a Cherokee; he was a white man; he had a daughter named Jane; she married a man named O' Riley, and this lady here is a daughter of O' Riley.  
 Q This woman Nannie Murray? A Yes, sir.  
 Q When was it she married Riley? A I couldn't tell you.  
 Q Where was it? A I don't know.  
 Q Was it in Georgia or in the Indian Territory? A It was in the Territory.  
 Q Was Riley a Cherokee citizen by blood? A I don't think he was.  
 Q Nannie Murray? No, sir, he was an adopted citizen.  
 Q This Nannie Murray's mother was a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Lived here in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q By V. W. Hastings, Cherokee Rep.?  
 Q Are you personally acquainted with this woman's mother, Nannie Murray's mother? A I used to be.  
 Q How long ago? A 31 and upwards.  
 Q What became of them then? A They all died I think.  
 Q Do you know where this woman was born? A No, I do not.  
 Q You don't know where she has been living? A They lived here on Fourteen Mile Creek and I was raised upon Henry Creek. I was acquainted with the family, and saw them once in a while, but most I know about them was what I heard from my mother and my relations.  
 Q From family history? A Yes, sir.  
 Q When was the first time you ever saw this woman? A I saw her about five years ago.  
 Q Where was she? A At Muskogee; she came to file a claim.  
 Q You witnessed for her? A No, I didn't witness for her.

**NANNIE MURRAY testifies:**

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Q You were before the Dawes Commission four years ago were you?  
 A No, sir, I went to file a claim for Settlers' money.  
 Q Who before? A Mr. Kava.  
 By Hastings:  
 Q You didn't apply then to the Dawes Commission? A No, sir.  
 Q Where were you born? A 14 mile creek, Cherokee Nation.  
 Q How old are you? A I am about 40.  
 Q How long have you lived on Fourteen Mile Creek? A I lived there until I was grown.  
 Q Until you were about 18 or 20 years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Where were you married? A Fort Gibson.  
 Q Who were some of your neighbors there on 14 mile creek?  
 A The Spears's.  
 Q Who do you know at Ft. Gibson? A All the old residents I guess they are gone now, there was Panshie Miller and his wife, and Mrs. Katie Daniels and her husband, I went to school to her.  
 Q When did you come to Muskogee? A I moved to Muskogee about 10 years ago I guess.  
 Q Where from? A Ft. Gibson.



Q You lived at Ft. Gibson up until 10 years ago? A No, sir, but I moved from Ft. Gibson to Muskogee and then down to Indian.

Q You mean to say that you were born in the Cherokee Nation and you have never lived out except in Muskogee?

A No, sir, I never lived out, I travelled a right much.

Q Where have you travelled? A In Colorado.

Q How long were you in Colorado? A About three months I guess.

Q Any other place? A In Wyoming.

Q How long? A About three months I guess.

Q Is your husband dead? A Yes, sir.

Q Where did he die? A He died in Washington.

Q State of Washington? A He died in the state of Washington.

Q Were you there with him? A No, sir.

By Com'r Needles:

Q You know why your name is not on the 1880 roll? A No, sir, I guess it was just neglected and wasn't put on, I guess I was neglected.

By Hastings:

Q What did you say your mother's name was? A Jane Killersmore.

WITNESS WILLIAM G. WOODALL recalled:

Q Her mother was your aunt? A No, sir, Killersmore was my uncle, and this Jane was his daughter.

Q Who did Killersmore marry? A I don't know.

Q You didn't know her mother then? A She was a white woman I think.

Applicant Nannie Murray: Grandpa's wife was a white woman.

Com'r Needles, to Nannie Murray:

Q Your mother's name was Riley? A O'Riley.

M.D. SPERS, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly received the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) M. D. Spers.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1900.

(Signed) T. E. Needles.

Commissioner.

# SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TALLAHUAS, I.T., NOVEMBER 28th, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application of NANNIE MURRAY et al, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

STEWART SPERS, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Stewart Spers.

Q How old are you, Mr. Spers? A About 40.



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Q What is your post office address? A Tahlequah.  
 Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q About how much blood do you claim? A I do not know, I could not say; about half breed I guess.  
 Q Do you know Nannie Murray? A Yes, I knew her when she went by the name of Riley.  
 INTERROGATORIES BY W. V. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative:  
 Q What was her father's name? A John Riley. They called him Captain Riley but his name was John.  
 Q Do you know whether he was a Cherokee by blood? A He was adopted.  
 Q Do you know what her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
 Q How long ago was it when you knew her? A After the war and before the war; it has been about, she lived down there about '00.  
 Q Down where? A Fourteen mile creek.  
 Q In Tahlequah District? A Yes, sir.  
 Q You knew her in about '00? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Have you known her since? A I have seen her once or twice since she went to Gibson.  
 Q When did you see her the last time? A About 20 years ago.  
 Q What do you say her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
 Q A Cherokee by blood? A Her father was a full blood.  
 Q Now, do you know that this woman is the daughter of this Killmore woman? A That is what I think she is; I guess she is.  
 Q What I am trying to get, Steve; how old was this woman when you first knew her? A About this high.  
 Q About six or seven years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Was she living with this Killmore woman when you knew her? A Yes, sir, I think she died during the war.  
 Q You said that you knew her in '00, that has been since the war? A I said I knew her before the war and since the war.  
 Q You do not know where they have been living for the last 15 or 20 years? A No, sir.  
 BY COM' R NEEDLES:  
 Q How old was this woman when you saw her the last time on Fourteen Mile Creek? A She was a young woman then.  
 Q How long was it from that time until you saw her again? A I could not say; I saw her at Gibson (Gibson) after she was married I saw her.  
 Q Did you identify her as the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
 Q You are satisfied now that she was the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Was her mother an Indian by blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Her father also? A Her father was a white man.  
 Q You do not know where she was about the year 1880, do you? A No, sir.  
 BY W. V. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative, to the applicant, Nannie Murray: I want to ask you if you applied to the Dawes Commission for enrollment four years ago? A No, sir.

J. O. Rossen, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) J. O. Rossen.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of November, 1900.

(Signed) T. B. Needles,  
Commissioner.

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Date AUG 28 1900

Name Whitney

District Cherokee Year 1896 Page 16 No. 445

Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Yes

Intermarried citizen No

Married under what law Cherokee Date of marriage 1896

License 30 Certificate Yes

Wife's name Lizzie Carver Murray

District Cherokee Year 1896 Page 16 No. 445

Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Yes

Intermarried citizen No

Married under what law Cherokee Date of marriage 1896

License 30 Certificate Yes

Names of Children:

1 Walter Carver Dist. Cherokee Year 1896 Page 16 No. 446 Age 12

2 Pearl " Dist. " Year " Page 16 No. 447 Age 7

3 " Dist. " Year " Page 16 No. 448 Age 5

4 " Dist. " Year " Page 16 No. 449 Age 3

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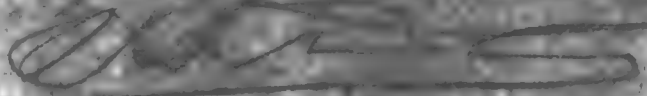
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Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., February 25, 1904.

In the matter of the application of Lizzie Carver for the  
enrollment of herself and children as citizens of the Cherokee  
Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter January 1,  
1904, that her case could be taken up for consideration by  
the Commission on the 15th instant, and that she should  
submit any additional testimony or evidence in support of her  
application. She was also notified to file with the Commission  
her application. She has now failed to appear in person or  
by counsel either in person or by attorney, and the case is closed.



Commissioner.

Q Have either of you ever been arrested or charged with a crime?

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Q Your father is dead? A Yes.

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Q You were the only child born prior to the time your mother left the home? Yes sir.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission on the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, E. T., August 28, 1904.

In the matter of the application of Hannie Murray, for the enrollment of herself, and her children Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

TESTIMONY IN BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

Appearances:

Cherokee Nation represented by J. G. Starr;  
Applicants appear by Lizzie Carver.

JOSUAH ROSS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Joshua Ross.  
Q What is your age? A Sixty-nine.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, Hannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A I have known her at least about thirty years. I think she has been here about that length of time.  
Q Do you know her children? A Yes sir.  
Q Can you name them? A One is, this young lady there is Mary.  
Q Mary M. Venable? A Yes sir. The other is Lizzie.  
Q Is her name Lizzie Carver at this time? A Yes sir. And Jim Finnigan, her brother.  
Q Did she have a boy named James? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not all her children were born here in the Cherokee Nation? A I think they were, yes sir, that's my impression.  
Q What is the citizenship of Hannie Murray? A She's a Cherokee.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation?  
A No, I do not.  
Q Do you know where she was living when the roll of 1890 was made?  
A I expect she was living here at Muskogee.  
Q Do you know why her name isn't on the roll of 1890?  
A No sir, I do not, unless she was living here and didn't get over. Like they left me off; I went over in the district and they promised to put me down and didn't do it--the census takers.  
Q Have you ever heard her right as a Cherokee disputed?  
A No sir.  
Q Has she been continuously a resident of the Indian Territory since you have known her? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you known her continuously? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know her husband? A Not generally.  
Q Have her children all resided here continuously?  
A Yes sir.

WILLIAM HOTT, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William Hott.  
Q How old are you? A Fifty-nine.  
Q Where do you reside? A Two miles east of town here.  
Q Is Muskogee your post office? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Hannie Murray?  
A Yes sir.



Q How long have you known her ?  
A Ever since she was a child, I guess.  
Q Where was she living when you first knew her ?  
A On three mile creek.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Yes sir; she was married to a soldier, and he was ordered away, and she went with him.  
Q Was that her husband, Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know where her children were born ?  
A Some of them at Fort Gibson, I think.  
Q Which ones, do you know ? A No sir.  
Q Do you know about when it was that she left the Nation with her husband ? A No sir, I don't remember that.  
Q Was it prior or subsequent to 1880 ?  
A I don't remember, but I think it was before 1880.  
Q Do you know when she came back ? A No sir.  
Q Have you any idea ? A No sir, I don't know; don't have any idea.  
Q Did you ever hear of her right to enrollment as a Cherokee, or the rights of her children to enrollment as Cherokees, being disputed ? A No sir.  
Q Were her parents Cherokees ? A Yes sir.  
Q Both of them ? A No.  
Q Was her mother the Cherokee ? A Yes sir, her mother was a Cherokee.  
Q Had her mother always resided here up to the time she died ?  
A I guess she had; so far as I know she did.

LIZZIE CARVER, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name ? A Lizzie Carver.  
Q What is your age and post office address ?  
A I will soon be thirty two, and my post office is Muskogee.  
Q Are you a daughter of Hattie Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your mother living at this time ?  
A She is living here in town—in Muskogee.  
Q Where were you born ? A I was born in Fort Gibson.  
Q Where was your sister Mary N. Waddle born ?  
A She was born in Dakota.  
Q Where was your brother James born ? A In Dakota.  
Q Where was Malcomb born ? A In Colorado.  
Q Where was John born ? A In Colorado.  
Q When did your mother leave the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Some time, I think, between 1873 and 1874, I wouldn't be sure.  
Q You were taken with her when she left ? A Yes sir.  
Q Well, where did she go to at that time ? A I can't tell you, and towards where Oklahoma is now, I think.  
Q What was your father's occupation ? A He was a soldier.  
Q Was your mother married to him while he was stationed at Fort Gibson ? A Yes sir.  
Q And she accompanied him when his troop was removed ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long was it before your mother again came back to the Cherokee Nation ? A I think she came back in the winter of 1880.  
Q Did all these children that I named a while ago return with her at that time ? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you all come back together ? A Yes sir.  
Q Are all of you now residents of the Indian Territory ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you been residents continuously since the winter of 1880 ?  
A Yes sir.

- Q Have either of you, your mother, or brothers and sisters, ever lived outside the Indian Territory since that time?
- A No sir, not that I know of.
- Q Have you all been married and are citizens of the Cherokee Nation since you have been here in November of 1900? A Yes sir.
- Q Had your mother always been considered as a citizen prior to her departure in the adventures with your father? A Yes sir.
- Q Your father is dead? A Yes sir.
- Q When did he die? A In 1900, I believe.
- Q After your return to the Nation? A Yes sir.
- Q You were the only child born prior to the time your mother left the Nation? A Yes sir.
- Q The others were all born outside the Indian Territory?
- A Yes sir.
- Q Where was your sister, who is now known as Mamie Carver, born?
- A In Dakota.
- Q Did she return at the same time you all came back?
- A Yes sir.
- Q About how old is she now? A Twenty-nine.
- Q Has she been residing here continuously since that time?
- A Yes sir.

The Commission: This testimony will be filed with and made a part of the record in the case at bar, being that of Mamie Murray, D 152; in the case of James Murray, D 151; in the case of William Carver, D 153; in the case of Mary E. Waddle, D 154; and in the case of Mamie Carver, D 155.

H. S. Bagwell, an oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly reported the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cases, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*H. S. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 12, 1903.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Murray, et al.,  
for enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications  
of:

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| Nannie Murray, et al.,    | Cherokee D-152 |
| James Murray, et al.,     | " D 151        |
| Lizzie Carver, et al.,    | " D 153        |
| Mary E. Weddells, et al., | " D 155        |
| Nannie Carver, et al.,    | " D 864        |

D E C I S I O N .

The record in these cases shows that applications were made  
to this Commission, at the times and places hereinafter stated, for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens:

D 152 By Nannie Murray, at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on  
August 22, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two children,  
Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.  
Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at  
Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, and November 28, 1900,  
and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 19, and August 12,  
1902.

D 151 By James Murray, at the time and place aforesaid, for the  
enrollment of himself and his minor child, Jennie Murray, as citizens  
by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citi-  
zen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings  
were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Terri-  
tory, on February 10, and October 30, 1902. On August 15, 1902, a  
birth affidavit was filed for Lizzie Murray, a second child of the  
applicant, born since the original application.

D 153 By Lizzie Carver, at the time and place last mentioned,  
for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and  
Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D 155 By Mary E. Weddells, at the time and place last mentioned,  
for the enrollment of herself and her minor child, George E. Wed-  
dells, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On August 15,  
1902, a birth affidavit was filed for Beulah Weddells, a second  
child of the applicant, born since the date of the original appli-  
cation.

D 864 By Hattie Carver, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence in these cases shows that Hattie Murray is a Cherokee Indian and that Malcolm Murray, John Murray, James Murray, Lizzie Carver, Mary E. Weddells and Hattie Carver, are her children by her deceased husband, James Murray, a white man. Neither the name of Hattie Murray nor the names of any of her children can be found on the authenticated tribal roll of 1890, and it appears from the evidence that Hattie Murray and her children were not in the Cherokee Nation at the time of the preparation of such roll. On examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of the Commission, it appears that Hattie Murray, Malcolm Murray, James Murray, Mary E. Weddells, Lizzie Carver and Hattie Carver, are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894, and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and that John Murray is identified on all of the above named rolls, excepting the roll of 1894.

Hattie Murray, a white woman, was married to said James Murray on July 23, 1893, and Hattie and Lizzie Murray are the issue of that marriage. Hattie Murray and her elder child are identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, and the younger child, Lizzie, is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

Walter Carver, the child of Lizzie Carver, is identified on the pay rolls of 1890 and 1894 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896. Pearl Carver, her other child, is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

George E. and Beulah Weddells are the children of said Mary E. Weddells, and they are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

Hattie Carver (nee Murray), was lawfully married on May 26, 1890, to Frank Carver. Joanna and Frank Carver are the issue of that marriage. Her child, Joanna, is identified on the Cherokee pay roll of 1890, and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and Frank Carver, (Jr.) is identified on the strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that Hattie Murray was born in the Cherokee Nation and lived therein until about 1873 or 1874, at which time she accompanied her husband, who was a soldier in the United States Army, to the frontier, and that she returned to the Cherokee Nation about 1880, accompanied by her children, excepting Lizzie, who was not then born. Hattie Murray and all her children, excepting Lizzie Carver, have lived in Indian Territory since their return thereto. Lizzie Carver having been born subsequent to the return of her mother to the Indian Territory, has resided therein all her life. The evidence further shows that Hattie Murray and her husband, James Murray, have been living together from the time of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1900. The residence of the minor children included in this application is considered to be that of their parents, with whom they are living.



TO THE HONORABLE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Respectfully,  
[Signature]

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[Signature]

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this 2nd day of MAR 1908

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IN RE  
THE DEATH OF

Lizzie Carver  
a citizen of the

Cherokee Nation.

Approved July 14, 1904  
C. R. Breckinridge  
Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Lizzie Carver  
(Here insert name of deceased)  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Muskogee, Ind. Ter., and died on the 9 day of  
June 1903  
(Here insert name of post office)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, James T. Carver, on oath state that I am 37  
years of age and a citizen, by \_\_\_\_\_, of the United States Nation;  
that my post office address is Muskogee Ind. Ter.; that I am  
husband of Lizzie Carver  
(State relationship as the father, an uncle, a cousin, etc.)  
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said Lizzie Carver died on the 9 day of  
June 1903  
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO NAME  
(Must be Two Witnesses) } R. Palmer  
Christian

James T. Carver  
mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of July, 1904  
Samuel F. Freeman  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
District.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I am \_\_\_\_\_  
years of age, and a citizen, by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
that my post office address is \_\_\_\_\_ Ind. Ter.;  
(Here insert name of post office)  
that I was personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
and that said \_\_\_\_\_ died on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO NAME  
(Must be Two Witnesses) }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1904  
Notary Public.

COMMISSIONERS  
HARRY L. DAWES  
TAMM BIRDY  
THOMAS D. NEEDLES  
C. R. BROCKENRIDGE

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 3rd 1902

Mrs. Lizzie Carver,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and two minor children

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 19th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with a marriage license.

Cherokee D-155  
Register.

Yours truly,



Acting Chairman



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to LARRY GUNTER

Respectfully,  
 [Signature]

The first survey notified to answer before the  
 to the first survey before at the office in the  
 The second survey before the first survey, and the  
 The third survey as to the residence and citizenship of the  
 mother, Maria Barrera.

Companion to the Five O'Clock



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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Nannie Murray for the enrollment of herself and her two children, Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood; the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself and his children, Jennie and Lizzie Murray, as citizens by blood and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Lizzie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Paul Carver, as citizens by blood; the application of Mary W. Weddells for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, George W. and Beulah Weddells, as citizens by blood; and the application of Nannie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case.

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a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Tams Bixby

Chairman.

Enc. M-4197.

COPY.

Cherokee D-183.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Lizzie Carver,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two minor children, Walter and Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*T. J. Carver*

Chairman.

Enc. N-4.

Register.



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Lizbeth Carroll

marriage certificate  
is required by judg-  
ment. Applicant,  
however, claims  
citizenship by blood.  
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Department of the Interior.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

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Penalty for private use, \$300.

Mrs. Lizzy Server,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

**FILED**  
FEB 2. 1902

 ACTING CHAIRMAN

General Agent.



To be filed with: B-152, James Murray.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Port Gibson, L.T., August 22, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Murray for the enrollment of herself and two children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, she testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Nannie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A I am 47 or 48.  
Q What is your post office address? A Bennett, L. T.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I guess about 1/4 maybe.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in the Canadian District? A I have lived in Canadian district about 2 years.  
Q Where did you live before that? A I lived in Muskogee part of the time and I lived here some.  
Q Where did you live before you came to the Canadian District, in Muskogee? A I went from here there.  
Q When did you go to Muskogee? A I don't know just exactly, what year I went to Muskogee in.  
Q How long have you lived in Muskogee? A Off and on, backwards and forwards, in and out of the Nation, about 15 years I guess.  
Q You lived between here and the Creek Nation for the last 15 years? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you live permanently in the Cherokee Nation the last time for how long? A I have lived here I guess about 2 years at a time, and a year, just backwards and forwards.  
Q You haven't been backwards and forwards for the last two years? A No, sir, I have been right in the Nation.  
Q Who do you apply to enroll this morning? A I have two sons.  
Q Do you want to enroll yourself? A Yes, sir.  
Q Two sons under 21 years of age? A One is 20 and one is 21, he isn't able to come, he is home sick with slow fever.  
Q Your father a non-citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q He is not living? A No, sir.  
Q Your mother a citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her name? A Jane Riley.  
Q Is she living? A No, sir.  
Q When did she die? A She died in time of the war.  
Q What is the name of the children that you want to enroll? A Malcomb Murray, 20 years old.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A John Murray, 21 years old.  
Q What is the reason John isn't here himself? A He is down with slow fever.  
Q How long has these children lived in the Cherokee Nation, John and Malcomb? A They have lived with me all the time.  
Q They have been with you all the time, in and out just as you have? A Yes, sir.  
Q Your name doesn't appear upon the authenticated roll of 1899? A No, sir, I don't think it does.  
Q Your name before you married was Riley? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you marry, what was the date of your marriage to your husband Murray? A It got burned up.  
Q About what year were you married in? A About '88.  
Q You married about 1888? A Yes, sir.  
Q You lived with your husband then until his death? A Yes, sir.  
Q You don't recollect about what year he died? A In 1898.  
Q Your husband Murray died in 1898? A Yes, sir.  
(On last roll, page 54, No. 1241, Nannie Murray, Canadian District.  
John Murray on 1898 roll, page 54, No. 1242, John Murray, Canadian Dist.  
On 1899 roll, page 54, No. 1243, Malcomb Murray, Canadian District.)

...on 1884 roll, page 82, No. 1471, ...  
...on 1884 roll, page 82, No. 1474, ...  
...strip away in 1884? A No, sir, they claimed  
they lost the papers.

The name of Nancy Murray appears upon the ...  
as well as the pay roll of 1884. ...  
...upon the census roll of 1880 and the pay roll of 1884. The  
name of her son John only appears upon the census roll of 1880.  
The name of Mamie Murray has disappeared upon the ... roll  
of 1880, consequently final judgment as to her enrollment and that of  
her sons, Malcolm and John, will be suspended, and their names will  
be placed upon a doubtful card.

Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer  
to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded  
the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing  
is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) Bruce C. Jones.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 20th day of August, 1900.

(Signed) T. B. Needles,

Commissioner.

CONFIDENTIAL: 3-584 and 3-153.

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tullesah, I.T., November 27, 1900.

In the matter of the enrollment of Mamie Garvey, and also of  
Mamie Murray, as Cherokee citizens; Mamie Murray being sworn and  
examined by Commissioner Needles testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Mamie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A About 30.  
Q What is your present place of abode? A Bartlett.  
Q Have you applied for enrollment, haven't you, to the Commis-  
sion? A Yes, sir, I applied at Ft. Gibson.  
Q And when was placed on a doubtful card wasn't it? A Yes, sir.  
Q Would you like to say now as to your citizenship and that  
of your husband, Mamie Garvey? A They sent for me to come up  
and they would look into it.  
Q And what was the name of your daughter Mamie Garvey is at the  
... either one of you, and living in ...  
... you are entitled to ...  
... to ask that you are entitled to citizenship just  
can ... it. A There is Mr. Council, ...

WILLIAM C. WOODALL, being sworn and examined by ...  
... testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A William C. Woodall.

Q What is your age? A 63.  
 Q What is your postoffice address? A Vinita.  
 Q You are a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Do you know Hattie Murray? A Yes, sir.  
 Q What do you know in regard to her being entitled to Cherokee title? A What I know about it is what I have heard from the family; I had an uncle named Killenback, - I think his name was Moore and his Cherokee name was Killee, and he was called by the name of Killenback; he was a white man, he was my uncle; he had a daughter named Jane; she married - I was very well acquainted but from what I have understood from the family she married a man named O'Riley, and this lady here is a daughter of O'Riley.  
 Q Is a woman Hattie Murray? A Yes, sir.  
 Q When was it she married Riley? A I couldn't tell you.  
 Q Where was it? A I don't know.  
 Q Was it in Georgia or in the Indian Territory? A It was in the Territory.  
 Q Was Riley a Cherokee citizen by blood? A I don't think he was.  
 Hattie Murray: No, sir, he was an adopted citizen.  
 Q This Hattie Murray's mother was a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Lived here in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 By W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Dep. Atty.  
 Q Are you personally acquainted with this woman's mother, Hattie Murray's mother? A I used to be.  
 Q How long ago? A 21 and upwards.  
 Q What name of them then? A They all died I think.  
 Q Do you know where this woman was born? A No, I do not.  
 Q You don't know where she has been living? A They lived here on Fourteen Mile Creek and I was raised upon Honey Creek, I was acquainted with the family, and saw them once in a while, but most I know about them was what I heard from my mother and my relations.  
 Q From family history? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Whenever the first time you ever saw this woman? A I saw her about five years ago.  
 Q Where was she? A At Muskogee; she came to file a claim.  
 Q You witnessed for her? A No, I didn't witness for her.

**HATTIE MURRAY recalled:**

Own'r Needles:  
 Q You were before the Dawes Commission four years ago were you?  
 A No, sir, I went to file a claim for Settlers' money.  
 Q Who before? A Mr. Kays.  
 By Hastings:  
 Q You didn't apply then to the Dawes Commission? A No, sir.  
 Q Where were you born? A 14 mile creek, Cherokee Nation.  
 Q How old are you? A I am about 40.  
 Q How long have you lived on Fourteen Mile Creek? A I lived there until I was grown.  
 Q Until you were about 18 or 20 years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Where were you married? A Fort Gibson.  
 Q Who were some of your neighbors there on 14 mile creek?  
 A The Spence's.  
 Q Who do you know at Ft. Gibson? A All the old residents I guess they are gone now, there was Frenchie Miller and his wife, and Mrs. Katie Daniels and her husband, I went to school to her.  
 Q When did you move to Muskogee? A I moved to Muskogee about 10 years ago I guess.  
 Q Where from? A Ft. Gibson.



Q You lived at Ft. Gibson up until 20 years ago? A No, sir.  
 but I moved from Ft. Gibson to Muskogee and then down to Canadian.  
 Q I want to ask that you were born in the Cherokee Nation and  
 you have never lived out except in Muskogee?  
 A Yes, sir, I never lived out, I travel a right smart.  
 Q Where have you travelled? A In Canada.  
 Q How long were you in Canada? A About three months I guess.  
 Q Any other place? A In Arkansas.  
 Q How long? A About three months I guess.  
 Q Is your husband dead? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Where did he die? A He died in Washington.  
 Q State of Washington? A He died in the State of Washington.  
 Q Were you there with him? A No, sir.  
 Q How did he die?  
 A You know why your name is not on the 1880 roll? A No, sir, I  
 guess it was just neglected and wasn't put on, I guess I was neglected.  
 By Hastings:  
 Q What did you say your mother's name was? A Jane Killamoore.  
 WITNESS WILLIAM B. WOODALL recalled:

Q Her mother was your aunt? A No, sir, Killamoore was my un-  
 cle, and this Jane was his daughter.  
 Q Who did Killamoore marry? A I don't know.  
 Q You didn't know her mother then? A She was a white woman  
 I think.  
 Applicant Nannie Murray: Grandpa's wife was a white woman.  
 Com'r Needles, to Nannie Murray:  
 Q Your mother's name was Riley? A O' Riley.

M. B. GREEN, being first duly sworn, states that he stenographer to the  
 Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly reduced the  
 testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a  
 true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) M. B. Green.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1900.

(Signed) E. B. Needles,

Commissioner.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY

BY JESS.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
 COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
 SANKAFER, I.T., NOVEMBER 28th, 1900.

EXHIBITMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application of  
 "Jesse" et al, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee  
 Nation.

WITNESS SPERS, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Need-  
 les, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Stephen Spers.  
 Q How old are you, Mr. Spers? A About 60.



Q What is your post office address? A Tahlequah.  
 Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q About how much blood do you claim? A I do not know, I could not say; about half breed I guess.  
 Q Do you know Fannie Murray? A Yes, I know her when she went by the name of Riley.  
 INTERROGATORIES BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative:  
 Q What was her father's name? A John Riley. They called him Captain Riley but his name was John.  
 Q Do you know whether he was a Cherokee by blood? A He was adopted.  
 Q Do you know what her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
 Q How long ago was it when you knew her? A After the war and before the war; it has been about, she lived down there about '80.  
 Q Down where? A Fourteen mile creek.  
 Q In Tahlequah District? A Yes, sir.  
 Q You knew her in about '80? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Have you known her since? A I have seen her once or twice since she went to Gibson.  
 Q When did you see her the last time? A About 22 years ago.  
 Q What do you say her mother's name was? A Killmore.  
 Q A Cherokee by blood? A Her father was a full blood.  
 Q Now, do you know that this woman is the daughter of this Killmore woman? A That is what I think she is; I guess she is.  
 Q What I am trying to get, Steve; how old was this woman when you first knew her? A About this high.  
 Q About six or seven years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Was she living with this Killmore woman when you knew her? A Yes, sir, I think she died during the war.  
 Q You said that you knew her in '80, that has been since the war? A I said I knew her before the war and since the war.  
 Q You do not know where they have been living for the last 15 or 20 years? A No, sir.  
 BY JOHN H. NEEDLES:  
 Q How old was this woman when you saw her the last time on Fourteen Mile Creek? A She was a young woman then.  
 Q How long was it from that time until you saw her again? A I could not say; I saw her at Gibson (Gibson) after she was married I saw her.  
 Q Did you identify her as the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
 Q You are satisfied now that she was the same woman? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Was her mother an Indian by blood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Her father also? A Her father was a white man.  
 Q You do not know where she was about the year 1880, do you? A No, sir.  
 BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative, to the applicant, Fannie Murray: I want to ask you if you applied to the Dawes Commission for enrollment four years ago? A No, sir.

J. D. Hession, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) J. D. Hession.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November, 1900.

(Signed) T. D. Needles,  
 Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
ST. GIBSON, I. T., AUGUST 22nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Mary E. Weddell and child, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn by Commissioner, T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mary E. Weddell.  
Q What is your age? A Twenty four.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A About one eighth.  
Q What District do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived there? A Ever since I was small.  
Q Always lived in Canadian District? A No sir; I have lived in Muskogee; just changed about any where my husband could get work.  
Q How long have you lived continuously in the Indian Territory? A About sixteen years, I guess.  
Q During that time, you have been living part of the time in the Creek and part of the time in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, most of the time in the Creek Nation.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself and child.  
Q What is your father's name? A James Murray.  
Q Is he living? A No sir.  
Q A citizen? A No sir; white man.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Nany Murray.  
Q Living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she an Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Is her name on the roll of 180? A No sir.  
Q Does your name appear on the roll of 1880? A I guess not.  
Q Are you married? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husbands name? A Emerson E. Weddells.  
Q When were you married? A In 1897.  
Q Is your husband living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is he a white man? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A In 1897.  
Q State law, or Cherokee law? A State law.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any children? A One son.  
Q What is his name? A George Nelson Weddells.  
Q How old is he? A Two years past.  
Q Have you any certificate of birth with you? A No sir.

(Applicant identified on the roll of 1896, Page 54, #1422, Mary E. Murry, Canadian District) (1896 Roll, Page 62, #1473, Mary E. Murry, Canadian District)

The name of Mary E. Weddell appears on the census roll of 1896, as well as the pay roll of 1894, as Mary Murry. She presents a certificate in due form, certifying that she was married to E. E. Weddell on the 6th day of March, 1897. Her name does not appear on the authenticated roll of 1880; neither does that of her mother. She avers that as a result of her marriage, she has one child, George Nelson Weddell, two years old, whose name does not appear on the census roll of 1896, he having been born since same were compiled.

Her name not appearing on the authenticated roll of 1880; neither the name of her mother; final judgment as to the application of herself and child will be suspended, and her name will be placed on a "White" or "Doubtful Card". It will also be necessary for her to furnish a proper certificate and proof of the birth of said George Nelson Weddell.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he has correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that

the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

R. R. Cravens

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 29th day of August, 1900.

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Date AUG 22 1900 1900.

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Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License 24 \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

1 Wife's name Mary E. Wadsworth

District Canadian Year 1896 Page 54 No. 1482

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage Jan 1896

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Children.

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| 2 <u>Emma E. Murregees</u>   | Dist. _____ | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ | Age _____    |
| 3 <u>George W. Murregees</u> | Dist. _____ | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ | Age <u>2</u> |
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In 1896 roll as Mary E. Murregees  
3 Affidavit of birth to the sup. file

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# MARRIAGE LICENSE.

United States of America,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

NO. 577

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage--Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. *E. E. Wead* of *Muscogee* in the Indian Territory, aged *21* years, and Miss *Sallie Murray*, of *Muscogee* in the Indian Territory, aged *18* years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at *Muscogee*, Indian Territory, this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *March*, A.D. 1897.

By

*Jos. A. Keuston*  
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

## CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, *A. M.*, a Minister of the Gospel,  
DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the *6* day of *March* A.D. 1897.

I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this *6* day of *March* A.D. 1897.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District.

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*J. D. Shoemaker*  
A Minister of the Gospel.

NOTE.—This License and Certificate of Marriage must be returned to the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, from whence it was issued, within thirty days from the date thereof, or the party to whom the License was issued will be liable in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (Money).

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*George W. Waddells*  
as a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved

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*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of George N. Waddells, born on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1898  
Name of Father: E. E. Waddells, a citizen of the United States Nation.  
Name of Mother: Mary E. Waddells, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Postoffice: Muskogee Indian Territory

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Eastern District. )

I, Mary E. Waddells, on oath state that I am 24  
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of E. E. Waddells, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the United States Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1898; that said child has been  
named George N. Waddells, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Thos. Downing  
J. H. Hargis

Mary E. Waddells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1900.

Joshua Ross  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Eastern District. )

I, Sarah Ellen Waddells, a Assistant Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Mary E. Waddells, wife of E. E. Waddells,  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1898; that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named George N. Waddells.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Thos. Downing  
J. H. Hargis

Sarah Ellen Waddells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1900.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

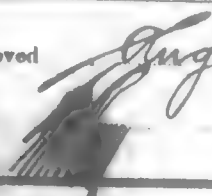
Bulah Widdelle

as a citizen of

Lebanon

Nation.

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Burlah Widdells born on the 14 day of April, 1901  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: E E Widdells a citizen of the U.S. Nation  
Name of Mother: Mary E Widdells a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Post-office Musshogee LL

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
District,

I, Mary E Widdells, on oath state that I am 25  
years of age and a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of E E Widdells, who is a citizen, by  
of the U.S. Nation; that a female child was  
(male or female.)  
born to me on 14 day of April, 1901; that said child has been  
named Burlah Widdells, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

T. J. Dorrancey.  
J. H. M. S. S.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16<sup>th</sup> day ofMay1902

Benj. Thacker  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
District,

I, Shamice Murray, a midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Mary E Widdells wife of E E Widdells  
on the 14 day of April, 1901; that there was born to her on  
said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Burlah Widdells.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

T. J. Dorrancey.  
J. H. M. S. S.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16<sup>th</sup> day ofMay1902

Benj. Thacker  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

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Witness my hand and seal this 11th day of March 1902.

opened.

It is to be noted that the subject of the above mentioned letter is the same as the one which was sent to the Commissioner of the Interior on the 18th instant. The same has been called since then and has been called several times. The subject was called on several occasions before the Commission.

He is called as a witness, the Cherokee Nation. In the letter of the Commissioner of the Interior of March 11, 1902, it is stated that

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Q Now, did you ever see any of the Indians who were  
lived outside the Indian Territory?

A No sir, not that I know of.  
Q Have you all been recognized as Indians of No Cherokee Nation  
since you came back here in the year 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q Had your mother always been known as a citizen of the  
her departure in the summer of 1880?

Q Yes, whether it was in the year 1880.  
Q When did she die?  
Q After your mother died in the year 1880, did you ever see her  
the Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q The streets were all over outside the Indian Territory?

A Yes sir.  
Q Participated and went to before the year 1880?  
A Yes sir.

Q Now, did you ever see any of the Indians who were  
lived outside the Indian Territory?

A No sir, not that I know of.  
Q Have you all been recognized as Indians of No Cherokee Nation  
since you came back here in the year 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q Had your mother always been known as a citizen of the  
her departure in the summer of 1880?

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T. August 12, 1908.

In the matter of the application of Mammie Murray, for the enrollment of herself, and her children Malcolm and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

TESTIMONY IN BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

Appearances:

Cherokee Nation represented by J. C. Starr;  
Applicants appear by Lissie Carver.

JOSUAH BOSS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Joshua Boss.  
Q What is your age? A Sixty-nine.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, Mammie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A I have known her at least about thirty years. I think she has been here about that length of time.  
Q Do you know her children? A Yes sir.  
Q Can you name them? A One is, this young lady there is Mary.  
Q Mary B. Weddle? A Yes sir. The other is Lissie.  
Q Is her name Lissie Carver at this time? A Yes sir. And Jim Piamigan, her brother.  
Q Did she have a boy named James? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not all her children were born here in the Cherokee Nation? A I think they were, yes sir; that's my impression.  
Q What is the citizenship of Mammie Murray? A She's a Cherokee.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation? A No, I do not.  
Q Do you know where she was living when the roll of 1880 was made? A I expect she was living here at Muskogee.  
Q Do you know why her name isn't on the roll of 1880? A No sir, I do not, unless she was living here and didn't get over like they left me off; I went over in the district, and they promised to put me down and didn't do it--the census takers.  
Q Have you ever heard her right as a Cherokee disputed? A No sir.  
Q Has she been continuously a resident of the Indian Territory since you have known her? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you known her continuously? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know her husband? A In a general way.  
Q Have her children all resided here continuously? A Yes sir.

WILLIAM NETT, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William Nett.  
Q How old are you? A Fifty-nine.  
Q Where do you reside? A Two miles east of Muskogee.  
Q Is Muskogee your post office? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Mammie Murray? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known her ?  
A Ever since she was a child, I guess.  
Q Where was she living when you first knew her ?  
A On three mile creek.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Yes sir; she was married to a soldier and he was ordered away, and she went with him.  
Q Was that her husband, Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know where her children were born ?  
A Some of them at Fort Gibson, I think.  
Q Which ones, do you know ? A No sir.  
Q Do you know about when it was that she left the Nation with her husband ? A No sir, I don't remember that.  
Q Was it prior or subsequent to 1880 ?  
A I don't remember, but I think it was before 1880.  
Q Do you know when she came back ? A No sir.  
Q Have you any idea ? A No sir, I don't know; don't have any idea.  
Q Did you ever hear of her right to enrollment as a Cherokee, or the rights of her children to enrollment as Cherokees, being disputed ? A No sir.  
Q Were her parents Cherokees ? A Yes sir.  
Q Both of them ? A No.  
Q Was her mother the Cherokee ? A Yes sir, her mother was a Cherokee.  
Q Had her mother always resided here up to the time she died ?  
A I guess she had; so far as I know she did.

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LIZZIE CARVER, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name ? A Lizzie Carver.  
Q What is your age and post office address ?  
A I will soon be thirty-two, and my post office is Muskogee.  
Q Are you a daughter of Mammie Murray ? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your mother living at this time ?  
A She is living here in town—in Muskogee.  
Q Where were you born ? A I was born in Fort Gibson.  
Q Where was your sister, Mary E. Weddley, born ?  
A She was born in Dakota.  
Q Where was your brother James born ? A In Dakota.  
Q Where was Malcomb born ? A In Colorado.  
Q Where was John born ? A In Colorado.  
Q When did your mother leave the Cherokee Nation ?  
A Sometime, I think, between 1873 and 1874, I wouldn't be sure.  
Q You were taken with her when she left ? A Yes sir.  
Q Well, where did she go at that time ? A I can't tell you, out towards where Oklahoma is now, I think.  
Q What was your father's occupation ? A He was a soldier.  
Q Was your mother married to him while he was stationed at Fort Gibson ? A Yes sir.  
Q And she accompanied him when his troop was removed ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long was it before your mother again came back to the Cherokee Nation ?  
A I think she came back in the winter of 1880.  
Q Did all these children that I named a while ago return with her at that time ? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you all come back together ? A Yes sir.  
Q Are all of your now residents of the Indian Territory ?  
A Yes sir.





DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Hattie Murray et al for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of

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| Hattie Murray et al    | Cherokee D 152 |
| James Murray et al     | " D 151        |
| Hattie Carver et al    | " D 153        |
| Mary E. Veddells et al | " D 154        |
| Hattie Carver et al    | " B 884        |

DECISION.

The record in these cases shows that applications were made  
to this Commission, at the times and places hereinafter stated, for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens.

D 152 By Hattie Murray, at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on  
August 27, 1909, for the enrollment of herself and her two children,  
James and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.  
Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, on November 27, and December 28, 1909, and  
at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 14, and August 12, 1908.

D 151 By James Murray, at the time and place aforesaid, for the  
enrollment of himself and his minor child, Hattie Murray, as citizens  
by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Hattie Murray, as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were  
had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
on February 10, and October 30, 1902. On August 12, 1908, a birth  
certificate was filed for Hattie Murray, a second child of the applicant,  
born since the original application.

D 153 By Hattie Carver, at the time and place last mentioned, for  
the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Pearl  
Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D 154 By Mary E. Veddells, at the time and place last mentioned,  
for the enrollment of herself and her minor child, George E. Veddells,  
as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On August 12, 1908, a  
birth certificate was filed for Bessie Veddells, a second child of the  
applicant, born since the date of the original application.

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born by Harrie Carver, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on May 27, 1899, for the enrollment of herself and her two white daughters, Frank Carver, an outcast by blood of the Cherokee Nation and Frank Carver, an outcast by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence in these cases shows that Harrie Carver is a Cherokee Indian and that Malcolm Murray, John Murray, James Murray, Lizzie Carver, Mary E. Wendell and Harrie Carver, are her children by her deceased husband, James Murray, a white man. Neither the name of Harrie Carver, nor the name of any of her children can be found in the authenticated tribal roll of 1890, and it appears from the evidence that Harrie Murray and her children were not in the Cherokee Nation at the time of the preparation of such roll. On examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of the Commission, it appears that Harrie Murray, Malcolm Murray, James Murray, Mary E. Wendell, Lizzie Carver and Harrie Carver, are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1889 and 1894, and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and that John Murray is identified on all of the above named rolls, excepting the roll of 1894.

Emma Murray, a white woman, was married to said James Murray on July 25, 1884, and Jennie and Lizzie Murray are the issue of that marriage. Emma Murray and her older child are identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1890, and the younger child, Lizzie, is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

Walter Carver, the child of Lizzie Carver, is identified on the pay rolls of 1890 and 1894 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896. Pearl Carver, her other child, is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

George L. and Sarah Wendell are the children of said Mary E. Wendell, and they are identified by birth affidavit made a part of this record.

Harrie Carver (nee Murray), who lastly resided on May 27, 1899, at Frank Carver, John and Frank Carver are the issue of that marriage. Her child, Frank, is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1890 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and Harrie Carver (Jr.) is identified on the tribal payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that Harrie Murray was born in the Cherokee Nation and lived therein until about 1873 or 1874, at which time she accompanied her husband, who was a soldier in the United States Army, to the frontier, and that she returned to the Cherokee Nation about 1897, accompanied by her children, excepting Lizzie, who was not then born. Harrie Murray and all her children, excepting Lizzie Carver, have lived in Indian Territory since their return thereto. Lizzie Carver having been born some time in the return of her mother to the Indian Territory, has resided therein all her life. The evidence further shows that Emma Murray and her husband, James Murray, have been living together from the time of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1895. The residence of the said children included in this application is considered to be that of their parents, with whom they are living.

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SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 3rd,

1902

Mrs. Mary B. Veddells,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and minor child

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 18th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

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Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.



Mustache, Indian Territory, May 1900

In the matter of the application of John H. [Name] for the removal  
of [Name] and sale as children of [Name] of the [Name]

Section 1

To Mary E. Washburn,

Mustache, Indian Territory,

You are hereby notified to appear before the Commission  
to the Five Civilized Tribes at its office in Muskogee, Indian  
Territory, within fifteen days from date hereof, and introduce  
evidence as to the residence and citizenship of your mother,  
Bernie Murray.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes

By \_\_\_\_\_

Witness.



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D-264.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Nannie Murray for the enrollment of herself and her two children, Malcolm and John Murray, as citizens by blood; the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself and his children, Jennie and Linnie Murray, as citizens by blood and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Lizzie Garver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Pearl Garver, as citizens by blood; the application of Mary E. Weddells for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, George L. and David Weddells, as citizens by blood; and the application of Fannie Garver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Garver, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case.

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a copy of which protest you will be required to carry upon  
the agreement. If you fail to file protest within the  
time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James P. [unclear]  
Chairman.

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Wahkegee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Mary E. Weddelle,

Wahkegee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two minor children, George E. and Beulah Weddelle, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James D. Kirby.

Chairman.

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Trans. from D.M.





Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Fort Gibson, I.T., August 28, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Mansfield Winton for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood and his three children as Cherokees by blood and his wife as a Cherokee by intermarriage; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mansfield Winton.  
Q What is your age? A I am about 34.  
Q What is your post office address? A Wagoner.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I guess I am about 1/16.  
Q Who do you apply for? A Myself, and wife and three children.  
Q What district do you live in? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q How long have you lived there? A I have been there about 15 years I guess.  
Q Where did you live before that? A I was raised in Going Snake.  
Q Have you always lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, I was born in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q What is the name of your father? A William Winton.  
Q Is he living? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Elizabeth I believe.  
Q She living? A No, sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Annie Winton.  
Q She a Cherokee by blood or a white person? A White person.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Annie McHenry.  
Q When did you marry her? A Between 13 and 15 years ago.  
Q Her father and mother non citizens? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A No, sir, I was married according to Cherokee laws, with two witnesses.  
Q Have you anything to show you were married according to Cherokee laws? A No, sir.  
Q What is the name of your children? A The eldest one is named Ola Pearl, about 11 years old.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A Clarence Edward, about 2 years I guess.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A Leonard, between five and six.  
Q These children all alive and living with you? A Yes, sir.  
Q What proof have you got of your marriage: who married you?  
A A minister by the name of Thompson.  
Q Is he living? A No, sir, he isn't here at present.  
Q Do you know where he is? A He is somewhere in Kansas, I have got a couple of witnesses to it.  
Q You will have to prove your marriage before we can enroll your wife or children. Is your certificate recorded anywhere? A I had him to make out a certificate but I never got it.  
Q What did he do with it? A I guess maybe he has got it yet, I never went back for it.  
Q Anybody see you married that is here? A Not that is here at present, they are living in Cooweescoowee district.  
(On 1880 roll, page 486, No. 1862, Mansfield Winton, Going Snake Snake district. On 1880 roll, page 277, No. 3000, Mansfield Winton, Cooweescoowee district. Annie Winton on 1880 roll, page 330, No. 1021, Cooweescoowee district. Ola Pearl Winton on 1880 roll, page 277, No. 3001, Ola P. Winton, Cooweescoowee district. Clarence Edward Winton on 1880 roll, page 277, No. 3002, Clarence Winton, Cooweescoowee district. Leonard Winton on 1880 roll, page 277, No. 3003, Leonard Winton, Cooweescoowee district.)  
Q Are these children alive and living with you? A Yes, sir.

The name of Mansfield Winton appears upon the authenticated roll of 1880, as well as the census roll of 1890, and he being duly

Mensfield Winton - 2.

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Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly reduced the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 5th day of September, 1900.

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Intermarried citizen Parents of William Hinton

Married under what law Georgia Date of marriage 1880

Licence Annie Hinton Certificate nee M. H. Hinton

Wife's name Annie Hinton nee M. H. Hinton

District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 330 No. 1091

Citizen by blood 16 Mother's citizenship Parents of William Hinton

Intermarried citizen Parents of William Hinton

Married under what law Georgia Date of marriage 1880

Licence Annie Hinton Certificate nee M. H. Hinton

Names of Children:

Oliver Hinton

Clarence Hinton

Leonard Hinton

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Ft. Gibson, I. T., August 29, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Mansfield Winton, for the enrollment of Annie Winton and her children, his wife and children; Martha Brimm, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles testifies as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Martha Brimm.  
Q What is your age? A Thirty.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Wagoner.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.  
Q You know Mansfield Winton? A Yes sir.  
Q You know Annie Winton? A Yes sir, she is my sister.  
Q I have known him about fifteen years or under.  
Q You know whether they are married or not? A Yes sir, I was standing right by them.  
Q You were present were you? A Yes sir.  
Q Who married them? A Calvin Thompson.  
Q Was he a mind ster? A Yes sir.  
Q Have they been living together as man and wife ever since?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Where were they married? A Up here about four or five miles from Wagoner, in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q When was that? A It will be thirteen years this coming February 20th.

M. D. Green, being first duly sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly read and the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Sept 1900.



Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Witness: I. J. Lepina 20, 1902.  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Department of the Interior.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Court, at the City of New York, this 1st day of January, 1901.

CLERK OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.



CLERK OF COURT.

testified as follows:

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., April 3, 1908.

In the matter of the application of ANNIE WINTON for the enrollment of herself and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

G. D. SLEPPER, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A G. D. Slepper.

Q Where do you live? A Vagoner.

Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case? A Yes sir.

Q What is her husband's name? A Mansfield Winton.

Q How long have you known him? A Eleven years.

Q Have they been living together continuously since that time as man and wife? A Yes sir.

Q Living together at this time? A Yes sir.

Q They are generally recognized in the neighborhood as man and wife, are they?

A Yes.

Q You didn't see them married? A No sir, I was not there at the time.

JOHN BRUMMET, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A John Brummet.

Q Where do you live? A Vagoner.

Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, Annie Winton?

A Yes sir.

Q Know her husband? A Yes sir.

Q What is his name? A I know him by the name of Ben.

Q Did you see him and his wife married?

A No sir, they was at my house, and was going to get married at my house, but before they came my little child died, and they went to Old Man Thompson's, and got married and came back.

Q How long ago was that? A It was in 1900.

Q Have they been living together continuously since that time as man and wife? A Yes sir.

Q Living together now? A Yes sir.

Q They are generally recognized throughout the community as man and wife? A Yes sir.

MANSFIELD WINTON, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Mansfield Winton.

Q How old are you? A I guess I am about 35.

Q What is your post office address? A Vagoner.

Q You are the husband of Annie Winton? A Yes sir.

Q You have been living together continuously since you were married? A Yes sir.

Q Was she ever married before? A No sir.

Q Are you living together now? A Yes sir.

I, Wm. Hutchinson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, I correctly recorded the proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.



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Application for Placement of

INFANT CHILD

*Minnie Belle White*

as a child of

*Charles*      Mother

Accepted      Oct 31, 1902

*L. N. Hutchinson*

(Witness)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Minnie Belle Winton, born on the 29 day of April, 1902  
(Date of birth of child)  
Name of Father: Manufiel Winton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Name of Mother: Annie Winton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Place of Birth: Wagoner, Okla.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northwest

District.

I, Annie Winton, do hereby state that I am 36  
years of age and a citizen, by adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Manufiel Winton, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a Female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1902, that said child has been  
named Minnie Belle Winton, and is now living.

SUBSCRIBED TO AND

Annie Winton

(Name in Full)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1902Charles W. Stafford

1902

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northwest

District.

I, Mrs. M. H. Shaw, a neighbor, do hereby state that I  
attended on Mrs. Annie Winton, wife of Manufiel Winton,  
on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1902, that there was born to her an  
child, that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Minnie Belle Winton.

SUBSCRIBED TO AND

Mrs. M. H. Shaw

(Name in Full)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1902Charles W. Stafford

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Notary Public

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Cherokee D-211.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 4, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Annie Winton for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of her children, Ola P., Clarence B. and Leonard Winton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation; Mansfield Winton, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mansfield Winton.  
Q What is your age? A About thirty-five.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Wagoner.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Annie.  
Q What is her age? A I believe she is thirty-six.  
Q Is she the same Annie Winton for whom application was made for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you and Annie Winton married? A Along about '88, as well as I recollect.  
Q Have you filed your marriage certificate with the Commission? A Yes sir, I brought proof.  
Q Were you ever married prior to your marriage to your wife, Annie? A No sir.  
Q Was she ever married prior to her marriage to you? A No sir.  
Q You her first husband and she is your first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q You and Annie have lived together from the time of your marriage up to the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q You never been separated? A No sir.  
Q She never was married to any other man? A No sir.  
Q You were living together as husband and wife on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has Annie Winton lived in the Cherokee Nation? A She has lived in the Cherokee Nation for the last twenty years.  
Q All the time? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation for the last twenty years? A Yes sir, was born and raised here.  
Q Are these children, Ola P., Clarence B. and Leonard, your children by your wife, Annie? A Yes sir.  
Q Are these three children living at this time? A Yes sir.  
Q Have they lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives? A Yes sir.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. J. Rothburger*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of October, 1902.

*P. P. Jones*  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Annie Winton as a citizen by intermarriage, and for Ola Pearl, Clarence Edward, Leonard and Minnie Belle Winton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on August 28, 1900, Mansfield Winton appeared before the Commission at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of his wife, Annie Winton, as a citizen by intermarriage, and for their minor children, Ola Pearl, Clarence Edward and Leonard Winton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The application also included himself, but as he is differently classified he is not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings were had at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on August 29, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on April 3, and October 4, 1902. A birth affidavit was filed with this Commission showing that Minnie Belle Winton was born on April 29, 1902.

The evidence shows that Annie Winton, nee McHenry, a white woman, was married on February 20, 1887, to Mansfield Winton, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880. As a result of that marriage the minor applicants in this case were born. The principal applicant is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896 as an intermarried white person, and three minor children hereinbefore named are identified thereon as native Cherokees. Minnie Belle Winton is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of the record herein.

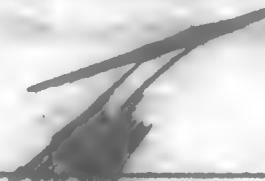
The evidence further shows that Annie Winton has lived with her said husband continuously in the Cherokee Nation since her marriage to him, up to and including September 1, 1902. The minor applicants have lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Annie Winton should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage, and that Ola



Pearl Winton, Clarence Edward Winton, Leonard Winton and Winona Belle Winton should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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C. R. Buckner.

Mated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903

# Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

## DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |     |                     |     |
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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulae Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Palone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Susie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1964 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2167 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2189 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2261 |
| Tim Croeden          | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2286 |
| Odie Pideock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2361 |
| Eliaz A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2371 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2392 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1540 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2630 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadus       | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Eliza O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Winfield S. Nance     | 3007 | Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley    | 3010 | Lathan Lumbard         | 3891 |
| Mollie Daugherty      | 3039 | Micajah P. Haynes      | 3897 |
| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
| Alice A. Edwards      | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| Derinda Adsir         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William R. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3950 |
| Dora B. Caulk         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| Jose M. Gallman       | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3990 |
| Martha E. Garrett     | 3162 | Seth R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Artie E. Large        | 3164 | Wiley Hanna            | 4016 |
| Andrew A. Kelley      | 3191 | Martha M. Woods        | 4093 |
| Anna B. Ryne          | 3193 | Lizzie Gray            | 4117 |
| Eliza Henderson       | 3198 | Nancy C. Carey         | 4121 |
| David E. Jenkins      | 3212 | Annie E. Kenney        | 4165 |
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| Nancy J. Kinney       | 4225 |
| Sydney E. Bell        | 4232 |
| Isaac H. Jordan       | 4235 |
| Charles Parks         | 4244 |
| Dora Frenchman        | 4262 |
| James R. Fugate       | 4275 |
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| Anna Thornton         | 4291 |
| Robert T. Morrison    | 4294 |
| Perley Israel         | 4295 |
| William A. Long       | 4304 |
| Mollie Swannock       | 4319 |
| Frances Guess         | 4324 |
| Allen H. Gibson       | 4327 |
| John McFall Jr.       | 4343 |
| Albert W. Fitzsimmons | 4360 |
| George S. Ford        | 4386 |
| Quinn Carr            | 4387 |
| William A. Powell     | 4390 |
| Austin Hasley         | 4400 |
| Anna Bible            | 4414 |
| Elisabeth Riley       | 4428 |
| John P. Sudderth      | 4449 |
| Anderson Keen         | 4450 |
| Ida M. Adams          | 4451 |
| Martha J. Randall     | 4457 |
| Mollie Conner         | 4477 |
| Jane McGhee           | 4491 |
| Jennie Riley          | 4525 |
| Hannah Randall        | 4528 |
| Charles W. Childers   | 4542 |
| Nannie B. Riley       | 4543 |
| John W. McDaniel      | 4544 |
| Minnie Armstrong      | 4548 |
| Ada Chouteau          | 4549 |
| Mary Thompson         | 4571 |
| Ota Armstrong         | 4593 |
| Mary Spencer          | 4594 |
| Clarkson F. Woody     | 4603 |
| James M. McConnell    | 4604 |
| Annie E. Coker        | 4605 |
| Jennie Long           | 4606 |
| Julia Gilstrap        | 4607 |
| Laura E. Smith        | 4608 |
| Annie Nicholas        | 4609 |
| Minnie R. Taylor      | 4611 |
| Mary E. Rogers        | 4614 |
| Ernest Downing        | 4615 |
| William Stearns       | 4619 |

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| Roxie J. Ketchum       | 4623 |
| Lissie Love            | 4626 |
| Robert K. Wann         | 4632 |
| Frederick Metzner      | 4633 |
| John C. Bratcher       | 4634 |
| Pigrow L. Jones        | 4641 |
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| Alice Robbins          | 4644 |
| Jane Dougherty         | 4649 |
| Samuel Francis         | 4650 |
| Clemon C. Peek         | 4652 |
| Mont C. Frazier        | 4653 |
| Frank J. Mayberry      | 4656 |
| Charles W. Moore       | 4660 |
| Jefferson D. Edmondson | 4661 |
| Alonso H. Boone        | 4662 |
| Thomas C. Mock         | 4668 |
| Sallie Allison         | 4669 |
| Elizabeth E. Burgess   | 4671 |
| LaFayette Breeden      | 4673 |
| James M. Boling        | 4676 |
| Francis A. Neilson     | 4681 |
| John F. Smith          | 4689 |
| Rufus S. Steward       | 4691 |
| John I. Haddock        | 4694 |
| Maggie O. Walkley      | 4695 |
| George W. Talbert      | 4698 |
| Mary Miller            | 4700 |
| Henry C. White         | 4707 |
| Mattie E. Hill         | 4760 |
| Alice A. Bible         | 4772 |
| Katie Coker            | 4785 |
| John Creek             | 4801 |
| Ruby R. Bean           | 4804 |
| William J. Dodson      | 4836 |
| Blackburn Reed         | 4882 |
| Viola Lowther          | 4891 |
| William B. Ritchson    | 4910 |
| Henry D. McDonald      | 4950 |
| Della McDaniel         | 4956 |
| Dorothy Rattinggourd   | 4991 |
| Ida McCay              | 5093 |
| Henry M. Lyon          | 5100 |
| Alice J. Wofford       | 5101 |
| Nancy Morris           | 5187 |
| Ella Sullivan          | 5140 |
| Winfield Williams      | 5144 |
| Bessie M. Smith        | 5145 |
| May Humphrey           | 5207 |
| Donnie Burgess         | 5285 |



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| Nora B. Burgees       | 5236 | William A. Polson    | 5613 |
| John E. Etter         | 5239 | Paulina P. Pitcher   | 5614 |
| Harriette Rogers      | 5240 | Charley Headrick     | 5615 |
| Amanda Foreman        | 5244 | William N. Stinson   | 5616 |
| William H. Wells      | 5261 | Lenora A. Henry      | 5621 |
| John T. Gaylor        | 5266 | Effie M. Adams       | 5622 |
| Annie Sweeten         | 5269 | John H. Shimp        | 5624 |
| Rosalee Hendricks     | 5278 | Thomas B. Dickson    | 5625 |
| Emma Chambers         | 5328 | Minnie Henry         | 5628 |
| James H. Thomas       | 5329 | Thomas J. Simpson    | 5629 |
| Melville B. Baird     | 5332 | Cap L. Lane          | 5630 |
| James R. Goodall      | 5356 | Reuben E. DeLozier   | 5631 |
| Charles Horton        | 5390 | John Heape           | 5640 |
| James W. Goddard      | 5417 | Perry G. Brock       | 5645 |
| Dora Cox              | 5425 | Mary J. Newcomb      | 5650 |
| Nannie G. Alberty     | 5438 | George W. Seigel     | 5660 |
| Sallie Ward           | 5455 | Martha A. Parks      | 5666 |
| William H. Sutherland | 5484 | Zelda C. Mills       | 5674 |
| Lissie Hall           | 5487 | Lissie Rogers        | 5675 |
| Cyrus B. Essex        | 5489 | Emma Pigeon          | 5676 |
| Eda Taylor            | 5493 | Nellie Bluejacket    | 5677 |
| Laura Taylor          | 5494 | Lucy Bacon           | 5679 |
| Electer D. Miller     | 5496 | Thomas B. Wood       | 5681 |
| Emerson M. Arnold     | 5498 | Asa W. Simerson      | 5683 |
| Stella Henry          | 5499 | William J. Kuhn      | 5686 |
| William E. Oneal      | 5506 | Elsie Couch          | 5688 |
| John M. Sharp         | 5509 | William H. Robinson  | 5692 |
| John L. Davis         | 5514 | Rachel Washington    | 5693 |
| Sarah E. Downing      | 5518 | Isaiah B. Blackwood  | 5700 |
| Samantha C. Glass     | 5524 | John R. Johnson      | 5701 |
| Harry Jones           | 5525 | Dennis W. Smith      | 5702 |
| Aggie Paris           | 5532 | William H. Chestnut  | 5705 |
| James W. Hallford     | 5535 | William H. Durham    | 5707 |
| Phoebe Coker          | 5537 | Albert B. Buckmaster | 5710 |
| Anthony K. Douglas    | 5538 | Maud Crutchfield     | 5730 |
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| Alice Glass           | 5553 | Juan N. Corn         | 5748 |
| Addison Reeves        | 5566 | Robert N. Crafton    | 5750 |
| Alice Coats           | 5572 | Benjamin F. Coffee   | 5756 |
| Julia Kidd            | 5575 | Frank McSpadden      | 5760 |
| William R. Greer      | 5576 | Charles D. Pendleton | 5775 |
| Rosa M. Sixkiller     | 5581 | Harden H. Green      | 5776 |
| Nancy Inlow           | 5587 | Emma J. Ward         | 5778 |
| Daisy H. Owen         | 5599 | Robert C. Fuller     | 5781 |
| Annie R. C. Owen      | 5600 | Henry F. Extine      | 5796 |
| Jesse McKnight        | 5602 | Ida Wily             | 5803 |
| Cleora J. Strange     | 5610 | Richard L. Fite      | 5815 |
| Henry Westenhaver     | 5611 | Edward Lutz          | 5816 |
| Emma H. Roach         | 5612 | John F. Woodworth    | 5839 |

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| Horace H. Huddleston  | 5832 | George C. Duffield    | 6081 |
| William R. Sartain    | 5837 | Amelia Reese          | 6083 |
| Joseph A. Lawrence    | 5843 | Alexander West        | 6086 |
| William H. Hinton     | 5846 | John Tootle           | 6087 |
| Joseph Lehr           | 5851 | Florence G. Langley   | 6088 |
| Euin M. Young         | 5852 | John T. Ham           | 6042 |
| Mary C. Barnes        | 5853 | Mary L. Jordan        | 6048 |
| Matilda Thompson      | 5861 | John W. Bradshaw      | 6076 |
| William W. Young      | 5872 | James L. Dean         | 6070 |
| Farley F. Ellis       | 5874 | Amanda J. Thompson    | 6082 |
| Rosa B. Alberty       | 5877 | Malissa Hubbard       | 6089 |
| Sarah Cannon          | 5879 | Jane Bengé            | 6111 |
| Mamie Beck            | 5887 | John D. Ryals         | 6113 |
| Jack H. Merchant      | 5888 | John C. DeLozier      | 6117 |
| John D. Merchant      | 5889 | Jessie Willis         | 6118 |
| Sarah E. Ghormley     | 5894 | Mary A. Clark         | 6124 |
| Jerry Young           | 5906 | Mary J. Tipton        | 6120 |
| James H. Brickey      | 5916 | Leander Newton        | 6136 |
| Mary Hicks            | 5919 | William A. Qualls     | 6138 |
| George W. Weems       | 5922 | Henderson B. Thomas   | 6144 |
| Albert Crain          | 5923 | Hugh T. Watkins       | 6163 |
| James M. Jones        | 5932 | Nancy Keys            | 6172 |
| Alfred W. Shelly      | 5935 | Berry Hutchins        | 6186 |
| John M. Stratton      | 5936 | Eli Parker            | 6189 |
| Waddie Hudson         | 5937 | Sarah E. Shaw         | 6194 |
| Robert C. Johnson     | 5939 | Julia Keys            | 6211 |
| Mary T. Thompson      | 5941 | Boon J. Grey          | 6214 |
| Edith A. Parris       | 5943 | John Grubb            | 6216 |
| Addie Hubbard         | 5949 | William M. Costephens | 6230 |
| John A. Lowry         | 5962 | Jane Bean             | 6232 |
| John R. W. Brantley   | 5963 | Lillie I. Taylor      | 6236 |
| James T. Carroll      | 5964 | Abbie B. Adair        | 6239 |
| Christopher F. Jordan | 5965 | Mack C. Watkins       | 6246 |
| Minerva E. Stover     | 5966 | Robert W. Murray      | 6261 |
| John W. Twilley       | 5967 | John G. Petty         | 6269 |
| Joseph W. Mounce      | 5970 | Lucinda Poorboy       | 6279 |
| Cornelius P. Potter   | 5971 | Sarah Mayes           | 6286 |
| Amanda C. Thompson    | 5972 | Henry W. Pyeatt       | 6300 |
| John M. Rusk          | 5976 | Isaac A. Wilson       | 6306 |
| Harrison L. Hughes    | 5978 | John T. Hall          | 6310 |
| Silas B. Dildine      | 5983 | Edward L. King        | 6315 |
| Lewis M. Payne        | 5985 | Katie Still           | 6325 |
| Nancy Beamer          | 5988 | Emmer Carlile         | 6336 |
| Sarah F. Selvidge     | 6002 | Bird Webster          | 6347 |
| Posy F. Buckner       | 6006 | Fannie Morris         | 6353 |
| John A. Moreland      | 6010 | Leonard Lee           | 6357 |
| Alice Welch           | 6015 | James R. Miller       | 6368 |
| Mary C. Thompson      | 6022 | James Brackett        | 6370 |
| Ida Beck              | 6029 | Nora Allen            | 6371 |
| William B. Tittle     | 6060 | John T. Washington    | 6373 |

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| James J. Snider        | 6375 | James L. Lee        | 6717 |
| William H. Winget      | 6376 | Rosa Phillips       | 6723 |
| Ida R. Wilkerson       | 6383 | Kate Brown          | 6735 |
| George A. McBride      | 6385 | Laura B. Barnett    | 6743 |
| Matilda Cookson        | 6387 | Elizabeth Sanders   | 6745 |
| William A. Fisk        | 6392 | William T. Neff     | 6747 |
| William O. Ames        | 6394 | William R. Scott    | 6751 |
| Thomas Wilkerson       | 6396 | Laura Fish          | 6770 |
| Alice C. Springston    | 6407 | Maggie Ketcher      | 6779 |
| Fanny N. Witt          | 6413 | Dora A. McDonald    | 6783 |
| Lillie M. Adair        | 6424 | Rosie B. Willis     | 6785 |
| Mark F. Matheson       | 6428 | Daniel Hubbard      | 6787 |
| Ida L. Wilson          | 6431 | Mary R. Tadpole     | 6801 |
| George E. Marra        | 6441 | Magnus A. McSpadden | 6811 |
| Ulysses S. Reeves      | 6443 | Sarah F. Pathkiller | 6824 |
| Daniel A. Smith        | 6447 | Clara Twist         | 6845 |
| Henry J. Dawson        | 6450 | Mattie M. Welch     | 6846 |
| Sarah Adair            | 6452 | Cora Griffin        | 6850 |
| Ida F. Wilson          | 6455 | John S. Hyatt       | 6853 |
| Mary E. Taylor         | 6459 | Jefferson K. Tyner  | 6855 |
| Catherine Henson       | 6468 | Flora R. Miller     | 6859 |
| Charles C. Fitzsimmons | 6471 | Lizzie Craig        | 6872 |
| Mary E. Campbell       | 6476 | Jacob C. Johnson    | 6876 |
| Columbus N. Long       | 6478 | George W. Ware      | 6897 |
| Mary Wilkerson         | 6480 | James B. Deatherage | 6901 |
| Myrtle Ward            | 6484 | Lucinda F. Hartness | 6943 |
| Belle Manus            | 6499 | Frances E. Tehee    | 6961 |
| Martha E. McLain       | 6508 | James M. Burt       | 6965 |
| Mary A. Brown          | 6517 | Rady Tipton         | 6975 |
| Marion M. Ballew       | 6530 | Laura Hendricks     | 6976 |
| Mellie Mayfield        | 6540 | Laura V. Smith      | 6979 |
| Sarah Blevins          | 6541 | Lorenzo C. Darnell  | 6986 |
| Frank Powell           | 6542 | Robert M. Mitchell  | 7004 |
| Georgia Jackson        | 6546 | William Henry Reeve | 7005 |
| Leonard S. Simpson     | 6549 | James Pyle          | 7009 |
| Almira Ureay           | 6560 | Willie Hilderbrand  | 7015 |
| James McInerney        | 6561 | Alice M. Roberson   | 7031 |
| Fannie Carlile         | 6578 | Charles Morris      | 7043 |
| Sadie A. Mayfield      | 6580 | Minerva J. Trent    | 7051 |
| Silas A. Bryan         | 6581 | John H. Keith       | 7073 |
| William S. Martin      | 6585 | Katie E. Ratley     | 7080 |
| Emma J. Thompson       | 6589 | Etta Patrick        | 7081 |
| Lydia McDaniel         | 6593 | Nannie Martin       | 7090 |
| David W. Lamb          | 6595 | Rosa B. Harris      | 7094 |
| Gus R. Hart            | 6603 | Samuel Brown        | 7100 |
| Posea Phillips         | 6632 | William H. Turner   | 7101 |
| Lois E. Daniel         | 6678 | Florence Mayes      | 7104 |
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| Lillie B. Blackstone   | 6714 | Mary Belle Cordry   | 7113 |
| Mary Lillard           | 6715 | Benjamin Haner      | 7119 |

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| James Maher           | 7128 | Robert B. Collins    | 7556 |
| Terry A. Parkinson    | 7146 | Nancy I. Brown       | 7579 |
| Cora L. Hanks         | 7147 | Mary B. Walkingstick | 7642 |
| Otto J. Zufall        | 7149 | Robert T. Kelleam    | 7653 |
| Rufus M. Norman       | 7155 | Mollie Morton        | 7797 |
| Mary F. Foreman       | 7158 | Mattie Girty         | 8006 |
| Alma West             | 7159 | Mack Alfred          | 8018 |
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| Francois M. Crowell   | 7163 | Ida McCoy            | 8417 |
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THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, ~~February~~ 4th, 1902

Mr. Mansfield Vinton,

Vagener, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of Annie, Ole P. Clarence E.  
and Leonard Vinton

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the  
30th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney,  
when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your applica-  
tion.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same  
time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enroll-  
ment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such  
testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

(Enclosure 3-611)

Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM DIXIE,  
THOMAS B. HEDDLES,  
C. B. BRICKNIDGES  
ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 24, 1902.

Mr. Mansfield Winton,  
Wagoner, Indian Territory.

Sir:

On the 4th day of March, 1902, you were notified by registered letter, that the application of Annie, Ola P., Clarence E., and Leonard Winton, for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 20th day of February, 1902. You were requested to appear before the Commission in person, or by attorney, when an opportunity would have been given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application. It appears however, that you failed to avail yourself of that opportunity.

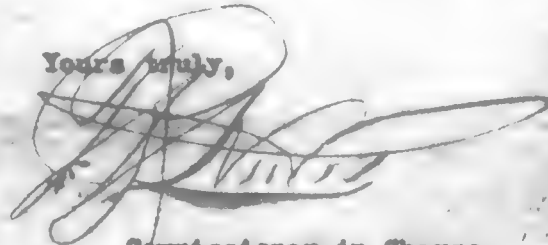
You are now reminded that upon examination had in the matter of the applicants hereinbefore named, the proof of your marriage with your wife Annie Winton, has not been satisfactorily established. For the purpose of introducing further evidence you are hereby granted until the 5th day of April, 1902. Upon your failure to avail yourself of this last opportunity your case will be deemed to have been submitted to the Commission for final consideration.

You are reminded that the information desired is extremely

Manefield Winton - 2 -

important in the disposition of the case of the applicants herein-  
before named, and your prompt attention to it is requested and  
urged.

Yours truly,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, likely belonging to the Commissioner in Charge, is written over the typed name.

Commissioner in Charge.

In answering refer to  
Cherokee D. 211  
Register.

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Cherokee Land Office,  
Vinita, I. T.,  
Jan. 26, 1903.

CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT.

Encl. evidence and original  
records in case of Cher-  
okee D.211, Annie Winton,  
et al.



COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAVIS.  
TAMM BIXBY.  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BRECKINRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee D-211.

ADDRESS IN NAME  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Vinita, Indian Territory, January 26, 1903.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Referring to the list of Cherokee doubtful cases held for further testimony, transmitted with the Commission's recent letter, the following note appears thereon opposite Cherokee D-211, Annie Winton, et al: "Evidence as to status of No. 1 on September 1, 1902; presumably this is covered by the supplemental testimony taken October 4, 1902, but that has not yet been filed."

The testimony referred to in this note is on file in the jacket in this case. The record forwarded to this office, together with the original jacket and records in this case are herewith returned to the Commission.

Respectfully,

  
Clerk in Charge.

Encl. P-6.

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COPY.

Cherokee D-21.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1903.

Mansfield Winton,

Wagoner, Indian Territory.

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, Annie Winton, as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your four minor children, Ola Pearl, Clarence Edward, Leonard and Missie Belle Winton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tamm Bixby.

Chairman.

Enc. H-9.

Register.

COPY

Cherokee B-211

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Mansfield Winton for the enrollment of his wife, Annie Winton, as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his children, Ola Pearl, Clarence Edward, Leonard and Minnie Belle Winton, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

*John Brady*

Chairman.

Enc. B-211

COPY.

Cherokee D-211

McKagge, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Mansfield Winton for the enrollment of his wife, Annie Winton, as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his children, Edna Pearl, Clarence Edward, Leonard and Winnie Belle Winton, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to return upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Jame T. ...  
Chairman

Enc. D-21197

Cherokee 10187

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Anna Weston,

Wagoner, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 16, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for year enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Encl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.



Cherokee  
10187

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Annie Winton,  
Wagoner, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by  
intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

ME

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
S et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. V. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Washoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

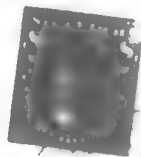
You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Encl. 8-100  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
IN THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
FILE NO. 100

EXHIBIT - 4

that he might have obtained from his first marriage.  
The fact that he was not in the service of the United States  
at the time of his marriage to the first wife, and that he  
was not in the service of the United States at the time of  
his marriage to the second wife, does not constitute a  
bar to his claim for a pension for his first wife.

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The said complaint is based on the fact that the said  
complainant was not in the service of the United States  
at the time of his marriage to the first wife, and that he  
was not in the service of the United States at the time of  
his marriage to the second wife, does not constitute a  
bar to his claim for a pension for his first wife.

Given to and subscribed before me this 6th day of September, 1900.

*John P. Quinn*

County agent.



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Fort Gibson, I.T., August 29, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Marian Evans for enrollment as a Cherokee by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife and two children and one stepchild as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner B. Beckenridge, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your full name? A Marian Evans.
- Q How old are you? A 45.
- Q What is your post office? A Tulsa.
- Q What district do you live in? A Cooweescoowee.
- Q Who is it you want to have put on the roll? A I want to have me and my family, wife and three children, one stepchild.
- Q One of these is a stepchild? A Yes, sir.
- Q Your wife's child? A Yes, sir.
- Q Your wife and these three children are living now, are they? A Yes, sir.
- Q These children all under 21 years of age, and unmarried? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A No, sir, by adoption.
- Q Do you apply for your wife as a Cherokee by blood, do you? A Yes, sir, I have been married twice.
- Q When were you married to your present wife? A In 1893.
- Q Have you got a certificate of marriage? A No, sir; I have a certificate for my first wife, a copy of my first certificate, I lost my first certificate.
- (The applicant presents a duly authenticated copy, issued by the clerk of Canadian district under date of November 5, 1896, of his Cherokee license, dated February 20, 1888, to be married to Miss Annie Stanclil, and the certificate shows that he was married in accordance with said license by the Rev. Yong Coleman on March 4, 1888. This is filed with the record.)
- Q Now your first wife is dead, is she? A No, sir, we are separated.
- Q Did you get a divorce? A No, sir.
- Q When did you separate? A I separated in 1898, I was married before that and wasn't married according to Cherokee laws and then went and married again according to Cherokee laws.
- Q You separated from your wife Annie Stanclil in 1898? A Yes, sir, I think it was 1898.
- Q You got no divorce? A No, sir.
- Q Did you leave her or did she leave you? A Well, she left me.
- Q When did you marry the second time? A In 1893.
- Q You separated from your first wife in 1898 and married your second wife in 1893? A No, sir, in 1888.
- Q You say you have no marriage license or certificate of your second marriage? A No, but the preacher married me.
- Q What was the name of your second wife? A Her name was Springston.
- Q What was her given name? A Ruth B. Springston.
- Q She a white woman or a Cherokee? A She is a Cherokee.
- Q That is the wife you are living with now? A Yes, sir.
- Q Was Springston her maiden name? A Yes, sir.
- Q How old is she now? A She is about 35.
- Q Give me the names of these children? A Bettie Ross.
- Q That is the stepchild? A Yes, sir.
- Q How old is Bettie Ross? A She is about 11 years old.
- Q Your next child? A Mattie Evans, she is 8 years old.
- Q The next child? A Henry Evans, 2 years old.
- Q You told me that your present wife was a Springston when you married her? A Well, she was the widow Ross; Springston was her maiden name.
- Q I want to know what her name was when you married her? A Ross.

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she was a widow.

Q When was she married to Ross? A I can't just tell you that.

Q What was Ross' full name? A Pomp Ross.

Q Is he a Cherokee or a white man? A He is a Cherokee.

Q Is he dead or alive? A I haven't heard from him for some time, he was alive the last time I heard from him.

Q Was she ever divorced from this man Ross? A No, sir.

Q What is the name of your father? A Joseph McCullough Evans.

Q White man? A Yes, sir.

Q Dead or alive? A He is dead.

Q The name of your mother? A Martha Evans.

Q White woman? A Yes, sir.

Q Dead or alive? A She is alive.

Q What is the name of your present wife's father? A John L. Springston.

Q Cherokee or white man? A He was a Cherokee.

Q Is he dead or alive? A He was alive the last time I heard of him.

Q The name of your wife's mother? A I can't give her given name, Springston.

Q Cherokee or white woman? A She is a Cherokee.

Q Dead or alive? A She is dead.

Q How long has she been dead? A She has been dead a long time, ever since my wife was a small girl.

Q More than twenty years? A Yes, sir, I guess she has.

Q Your wife's father living in the Cherokee Nation now? A Yes, sir.

Q What was your wife in 1880, was she a Springston or a Ross.

A She was a Springston, she told me she was.

Dec (On 1880 roll, page 47, No. 1320, Alice Stansell, Canadian district; Ruth B. Evans on 1880 roll, page 811, No. 2245, J. R. Springston, Tahlequah district. Marian Evans on 1896 roll, page 303, No. 328, Cooweescoowee district.)

A I was admitted by the Council, they put me on the roll.

(Ruth B. Evans on 1896 roll, page 154, No. 1632, Ruth Evans, Cooweescoowee district. Bettie Ross on 1896 roll, page 24, No. 1415, Cooweescoowee district. Mattie Evans on 1896 roll, page 154, No. 1633, Martha Evans, Cooweescoowee district.)

Q You say you were admitted by the Cherokee Commission? A Yes, sir, at Tahlequah.

Q When were you admitted by the Cherokee Commission? A It was just after the census taker had taken the roll.

Q Do you know what year it was? A It was 1896, I think it was.

Mr. J. L. Baugh, representative of Cherokee Nation: Your name was just placed on the roll? A I guess that was all, they just placed me on the roll, I didn't get my certificate.

Commissioner Breckenridge: What do you mean by being admitted, that you were just simply put on the roll? A Yes, sir.

Q I understand you to say that you didn't get out a license for your marriage to your second wife, your present wife? A No, I never got any license.

Q You got no license for your marriage to your present wife? A No, sir.

Mr. Baugh: When did you say you were married to your first wife?

A It was in 1897 or 1898.

Q 1898 don't you mean? A Yes, 1898 I believe it was.

Q How long did you live with her? A We lived together about a year.

Q When did you separate from her? A We separated along in the summer, the summer after that marriage.

The summer after this marriage? A Yes, sir.

Wasn't that in 1899? A Yes, sir.

Q You were married March 15, 1898, wasn't you? A I believe that was right; I am kinder mixed up whether it was 1897 or 1898.

Q You separated from her the summer following your marriage?

A Yes, sir.

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Q Did you go from here to Cooweescoowee and marry this woman then?  
A I married there or four years after that.

Q You never got a divorce? A We went to Tahlequah to get a divorce before Council and when we got there Council had passed an ordinance that they wouldn't grant any divorces there.

Q Didn't you know the proper place was before the courts to get a divorce? A No, sir, they told us to go there and Council had passed a law not allowing any divorces to be granted through Council.

Q Did you leave your wife? A No, sir, she left me.

Q Did you remain at your home? A Yes, sir.

Q Were you and her living in Cooweescoowee at the time of the separation? A No, sir, we were living up here and went down on a visit to her mother and she refused to go back with me.

Q Did she give any reason why she objected to living with you?

A Why, none particularly; I was married before that and the Sheriff sent out word that all that didn't marry according to Cherokee law they would have to pay a permit, and then I turned in and got this license and married over.

Commissioner Breckenridge: You had been married first by United States law? A Yes, we got a preacher and got married that time.

Q How long did you live with your wife altogether before you and she separated? A Something like a year, eight or ten months or twelve months or something like that.

Q You have no children by the first wife? A No, sir, I only had one and it died.

Q Have you got anybody here who knew your first wife in her early days? A Nobody here that I know of at all.

Q Have you anybody here who knew her 20 years ago? A I don't think that there is anybody in here that knew her at all.

The applicant is shown by the official copy of the marriage license and certificate filed herewith and cited in the testimony to have been married on March 4, 1888, to one Allis Stanell. That woman is identified on the roll of 1880. According to the applicant's testimony he and that wife separated in 1888, and no divorce proceedings have been had. Since that separation the applicant claims that in 1893 he married one Ruth B. Ross, a widow, and that her maiden name was Springston. The applicant is identified on the roll of 1896.

This second wife is identified under her alleged maiden name on the roll of 1880 as a native Cherokee and on the roll of 1896 she is identified as his wife. His first wife in her enrollment in 1880 is indicated as a native Cherokee. The question is raised as to whether or not the applicant forfeited his rights by the abandonment of his first wife, and if that question be decided in his favor, it remains to be established whether the Ruth B. Evans, his present wife, is the identical Ruth B. Springston enrolled in 1880. He married her as a Ross and there is no evidence presented at present to identify this woman through her changes of name. The applicant's application for himself will now be placed upon a doubtful card. As for his application for his wife, there being no written or personal testimony in confirmation of his claim that this Ruth B. Evans who when he married her was named Ross as alleged, is identical with the Ruth B. Springston enrolled in 1880, the application for her will be placed upon a doubtful card. As for the application for the three children, Bettie Ross, and Mattie and Henry Evans, the two first of these children are identified on the roll of 1896. The third child is too young to be upon any roll. The applicant is desired to supply this Commission with a duly authenticated certificate of the birth of the youngest child, Henry, but the right of all three of these children to enrollment depends upon the identification of their mother as the Ruth B. Springston enrolled in 1880. That identification not being established fully at this time, the application for these three children will be placed upon a doubtful card.

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The question is also to be considered whether in marrying his second wife without having produced a divorce from his first wife, he was guilty in contracting an illegal marriage, and the finding is that he might have obtained from his first wife a divorce.

Bruce G. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he has correctly reported the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Bruce G. Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 21st day of October, 1900.

[Signature]


Commissioner.



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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN.



# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Name Marion Crane Tula, D.T. Date August 29 1900.

District COOWESCOOWEE Year 1846 Page 303 No. 328

Citizen by blood No Mother's citizenship Jos. M. Crane - white - dead  
 Intermarried citizen Yes Parents Martha " - " - living

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License 38- Certificate Sanctified  
 Wife's name Ruth B. Crane

District TA Year 1880 Page 111 No. 2246-

Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Jos. L. Springston - ch - liv  
 Intermarried citizen No Parents " " - " - dead

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

## Names of Children:

|                     |                          |                  |                 |                 |               |
|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| <u>Bettie Ross</u>  | <u>J. P. Coowescowee</u> | Year <u>1846</u> | Page <u>245</u> | No. <u>415</u>  | Age <u>11</u> |
| <u>Mattie Crane</u> | <u>" "</u>               | Year <u>"</u>    | Page <u>154</u> | No. <u>1633</u> | Age <u>3</u>  |
| <u>Henry "</u>      | <u>" "</u>               | Year <u>"</u>    | Page <u>"</u>   | No. <u>"</u>    | Age <u>2</u>  |
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\* 2 On 1880 Roll as J. P. Springston  
 \* 4 " 1846 " Martha Crane  
 \* 5 - Affidavit of birth to be supplied.  
 Marriage license and certificate attached

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

CHEROKEE NATION.

*Can*

DISTRICT.

TO ANY PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO GIVE

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony and celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage between *Ms Marian Evans* a citizen of the United States and *Miss Allie St* a citizen of the Cherokee Nation and to return this License for record within thirty

days from the celebration of such marriage with a certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you

Given under my hand and seal of office this the

*Canadian*

Dist

Indian Secretary

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Young Calmon hereby certifies, that  
on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1888 I joined in, and  
Marion Evans a citizen of the United States  
and Miss Allen a citizen of the State of  
California to the authorities given in  
the above named case and the Court has

given under my hand  
Young Calmon

My Credentials are recorded in Van Buren  
Crawford County Ark.  
I certify, that the above is a true copy of  
original made on March 13<sup>th</sup> 1888

This copy as received on the Clerk's  
by me the Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1896  
George Jennings, Clerk.  
Canadian Dist. Ct.

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Application for Enrollment  
of

Mattie Evans &

Henry Evans.

Citizens of the Cherokee  
Nation.

*9*  
Approved Aug 29th 1900.

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
F. I. R. D.  
AUG 29 1900  
*[Signature]*

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

In re Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of  
Maudie Evans, born on the 15 day of January, 1895, and Henry Evans,  
born on the 21 day of April, 1898 Name of father: Marion Evans, a citizen  
of the Cherokee Nation. Name of mother: Ruth B. Evans, a citizen of the Cherokee  
Nation.

Post Office: Tulsa, Ind. Ter.

Affidavit of Mother.

United States of America,  
Indian Territory,  
Northern District.

I, Ruth B. Evans, on oath, state that I am 34 years of age  
and a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Marion  
Evans, who is a citizen by marriage, of the Cherokee Nation; That a female child  
was born to me on the 15 day of January, 1895, and that a male child  
was born to me on the 21 day of April, 1898; that said children have  
been named Mattie Evans and Henry Evans respectively, and are now living.

Ruth B. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1900.

Geo. Brillman

Notary Public.

United States of America,  
Indian Territory,  
Northern District.

I, E. J. Warren U.S., on oath, state  
that I attended on Mrs. Ruth B. Evans, wife of Marion Evans on the 15 day of  
January, 1895, and on the 21 day of April, 1898; that  
there was born to her on the former date a female child, and on the later date a  
male child; that said children are now living and are said to have been named  
Mattie Evans and Henry Evans respectively.

E. J. Warren

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August A.D. 1900.

Thomas J. Gandy  
Notary Public



Approved and signed: [Signature] [Title]

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskegee, I.T. February, 27th 1901.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY taken in the matter of the application of  
Marian Evans et al for enrollment as Cherokee citizens. P 219.

George W. Richie being called as a witness for the applicant, and  
having been first duly sworn before Commissioner T. B. Needles, tes-  
tified as follows:

Examined by Will E. Linton attorney for applicant:

- Q State your name in full? A. George W. Richie.  
Q Where do you reside? A. Texanna, I. T.  
Q What is your citizenship? A. Cherokee.  
Q What is your age? A. 33.  
Q How long have you resided in the Cherokee Nation? A. Been there  
about 23 years.  
Q Are you acquainted with Marian Evans? A. Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known him? A. I have known him I think—best of  
my knowledge—since '87 I believe.  
Q Did you know his first wife? A. Yes sir.  
Q What was her name? A. Alice Stanford.  
Q What relation if any, was she to you or your family? A. She was my  
great grand daughter.  
Q How long did Evans and his first wife live together? A. I cannot  
tell exactly how long they lived together, they lived here, then  
went to Texas and then came back again and after they came back they  
went together to live in the Choctaw Nation and Mr. Evans worked  
in a mill.  
Q Did they ever live with you? A. Came to my house and staid with  
his mother and staid at my house.  
Q Did they ever live in Coconawcawcaw district about Oatessa? A. I  
know of it only through letters, kept writing me from there.  
Q Do you know when they came from Oatessa to the neighborhood where  
you live? A. Don't remember exactly.  
Q About how long had they been married at that time? A. They had  
been married about two years I believe.  
Q Were there any children as the fruits of that marriage? A. There  
was one.  
Q What became of it? A. Died.  
Q Where? A. At his wife's mother's place.  
Q How far did his mother in law then live from you? A. Live about  
a mile and a half at that time, afterwards they moved closer.  
Q How long did Mr. Evans stay there at that time—do you know what  
his business was at that time? A. Yes sir he was working as engine  
on the railroad and part of the time worked in a mill across the river.  
Q Did they separate? A. They quit, yes sir.  
Q Do you know why? A. No sir.

By Gen'l Needles:-

- Q What do you mean by "quit"?      2 That they separated?  
A. Yes sir quit living together.

By Mr. Linton:-

- Q Did she marry after they separated? A. Well I don't really know how  
long it was.  
Q Did she marry is what I want to know? A. Yes sir.  
Q About how long after they separated did she marry, and to whom?

Q Really I can't tell you how long.  
 Q Just about how long? A As well as I can remember it was about a year.  
 Q From the time they separated? A Yes sir.  
 Q Who did she marry? A. George Pettijohn.  
 Q While they were living together as man and wife were they at your place frequently? A Yes sir.  
 Q I will ask you to tell what his treatment of her was. A As well as any man can be expected to treat a wife.  
 Q How was she clothed? A. In very good decent clothing.  
 Q What provision did he make for her for eating? A. I have eaten there some and always got just about what the balance of the people had.  
 Q I believe you stated you didn't know the cause of the separation.  
 A No sir.  
 Q Do you know whether she refused to live with him? A Yes sir.  
 Q She refused to live with him any longer? A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know whether or not she procured a divorce before she married Pettijohn? A Cannot tell.

By Sam'l Needles-

Q How do you know she refused to live with him? A. Because she didn't live with him.  
 Q Do you know whether he refused to live with her? A. No sir he never. They separated right there, for what cause I never knowed.  
 Q Do you know whether he wanted to live with her or not? A. Yes sir he wanted to live with her.  
 Q How do you know it? A Heard him say so.  
 Q Did you ever hear her say that she would not live with him? A Yes sir I believe I heard her say so.

Examination continued by Mr. Starr, Cherokee Representative:

Q You say that Mr. Evans taken his wife Alice to his mother's house? A Yes sir.  
 Q And left her there? A Yes sir and went across the street to work-- you sir taken her to his mother's.  
 Q Did he leave her with his mother or with his mother? A. With his mother.

(Witness excused.)

ANDY HARVEY, called as a witness for the applicant and having been first duly sworn before Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Examination conducted by Mr. Linton, attorney for applicant.

Q State your name to the Commissioner? A. Andy Harvey.  
 Q Where do you reside now? A. Benton, Tenn.  
 Q What is your business? A. Railroading.  
 Q Are you acquainted with Mr. Martin Evans? A Yes sir, I am.  
 Q Were you acquainted with his first wife? A He was living at my house when he was married and brought her to my house.  
 Q How long did they live at your house? A I expect it was three or four weeks, he was sick about two months.  
 Q What was his conduct towards his wife while he was living there?  
 A All right.  
 Q If you know how long they lived together as man and wife? A. No sir, I don't, they left there; she came back somewhere about Delta.

Q Did you know her after she and Mr. Evans separated? A No sir, never seen her but the one time while they staid at my house. When he first came I was in St. Louis, he had been at my house some time when I came back.

Q Did he make suitable provisions for his wife living? A. Yes sir.

By Sam'r Needles,-

Q How did she conduct herself while he was there? A I have seen people conduct themselves better.

Q Did she wait on him while he was sick? A No sir my wife waited on him.

Q His wife was there? A. She was there when she was not up in town. My wife and Mr. Evans were brother and sister.

By Cherokee Representative Starr-

Q Did they live together continuously up to the time they left your house? A She was there most times.

Q They separated after they left your house? A. I dont know anything about that, have never seen her since.

By Mr. Linton- " That is all Mr. Survey "

MARION EVANS, the applicant called and sworn as a witness before Commissioner T. B. Needles, and testified as follows:

Examined by Mr. Linton-

Q What is your name? A Marion Evans.

Q Where did you live when you carried your wife to your mother in law's the last time? A. Near Catoosa, worked in a saw mill.

Q How came you to go down to your mother in law's? A. Well went on a visit down there. I had promised a fellow there to work in his cotton gin that season.

Q How long was it now after you went to your mother in law's before your wife refused to live with you? When did you get ready to go to this other place to work? A Dont think it was more than a couple of months.

Q Did she refuse to go with you when you got ready to go? A. Yes sir.

Q Did she state any reasons for it? A. No sir.

Q How many trips did you go down there to get her to go and live with you? A Went two or three trips and then I went to Texas and went by there and she refused to go; this man Pettijohn was keeping company with her then.

Q How long after that did you hear that this man Pettijohn and her were married? A Seen after she had refused to live with me.

Q Who is your present wife? A Ruth Evans.

Q Any other name besides Evans? A Yes sir Springston.

Q Were you ever married to any other woman from the time you married your first wife until you married your present wife? A No sir.

By Mr. Starr-

Q You taken your wife to her mother's house and left her? A We went down there and she refused to go back with me.

Q And you left her there? A. I couldn't take her back.

Q Did you ever lived with her after that? A No sir.

Q Why did you take her there? A We went on a visit and I had promised to work for a man there.

Q Did you secure a divorce from her? A No sir.

Jeshnah Ross, called and sworn as a witness for applicant, before Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Examined by Mr. Linton:

Q What is your name? A Jeshnah Ross.

Q Are you acquainted with this lady, Mr. Ross? A. I am.

Q What is her name now? A. Ruth Evans.

Q Wife of Marian Evans? A Yes sir.

Q What was her name before she married Mr. Evans, if you know? A Ruth Ross, and her maiden name was Ruth Springston; she was a daughter of John Springston and Betty Springston, Cherokee Indians both of them; lived in Saline District, and I think she was born about 1888, somewhere about there.

Q How long have you known her? A. Ever since she was born, since '88 or '89.

Q What is her citizenship? A. Citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Q Is she a Cherokee Indian by blood? A. Cherokee Indian by blood.

By the commission-

Q What is your age? A. 68.

Q Do you know that Ruth B. Evans is the identical person who is enrolled in the Cherokee Nation as Ruth B. Springston? A. Yes sir.

Q Was her name Ross before she married Springston? A No sir her maiden name was Springston and she married a nephew of mine.

Q Married Ross? A Yes sir.

MYR EVANS, called and sworn as a witness before Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows on behalf of the applicant-

Examined by Mr. Linton-

Q What is your name? A Ruth Evans.

Q Who was your father? A. John Springston

Q What was your mother's name? A. Bettie Hecley Springston.

Q Were they recognized citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q By blood? A Yes sir.

Q Are you the wife now of Marian Evans? A Yes sir.

Q How many children have you? A I have two by Mr. Evans and two by Mr. Ross.

Q Give their names. A Constance Ross, Bettie Ross, Mattie Evans and Henry Evans.

Q State whether or not these children were born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q And are your children? A Yes sir.

Q Have you ever lived anywhere else than in the Cherokee Nation? A

No sir only for a few months, went to Texas on a visit.

Q How long were you gone? A. Three months.

Q And returned? A Yes sir.



Q Was Mr. Ross, your former husband, dead when you married Mr. Ross?  
A He is living.

By the Commission-

Q Was you divorced from him? A I was away from him three years, and  
want to get a divorce and the lawyer told me that if he was going  
supported me or the children I would not have to get a divorce from  
him.

By Mr. Hinton-

Q What was that? A Yes.

Q And he marry again? A I don't know whether he has married again or  
not.

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Chas. von Waide, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Com-  
mission to the First Civilized Court he has taken in full all the pro-  
ceedings in the above case and that the foregoing is a full, true  
and correct transcript of his stenographic notes therein.

*Chas. von Waide*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th of February, 1901.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

submit the case.

and therefore her testimony would not be taken, and therefore the first wife of Marion Evans is not a party, when the wife, MR. HASTINGS: DE MR. HASTINGS, Charles Nathan states that

MR. LINTON: Yes, sir. Q

De You suggest the case being to the Commission for Lint's consideration. Having now with a Charles Nathan, a wife and there showing that and that it was no fault of his. He is understand it. His wife, Charles Nathan, we have offered direct testimony was taken. The Charles Nathan's certificate is regular as I remember the testimony. It has been sometime since the testimony. MR. LINTON: There is nothing and nothing from this as I Mr. Linton.

and statement you desire to make relative to this case, BY COMMISSIONER of Mr. Linton:

W. L. Hastings, attorney for the Charles Nathan.

Abolition: William E. Linton, Major, I. T., attorney for the

Marion Evans et al., for enrollment as Cherokee citizens.

SUBJUNCTIVE PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of

Major, I. T., February 20, 1902.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Statement of the Indian Agent, Mr. Linton.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 20, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of  
Marion Evans et. al., for enrollment as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

William B. Linton, Muskogee, I. T., attorney for the  
applicants;  
W.W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSIONER, OF MR. LINTON:

Any statement you desire to make relative to this case,  
Mr. Linton?

BY MR. LINTON: There is nothing any further than this as I  
remember the testimony. It has been some time since the tes-  
timony was taken. The marriage certificate is regular as I  
understand it. His wife died, we have offered proof  
there showing that and that it was no fault of his. He is  
living now with a Cherokee woman, - a white man.  
Do you submit the case then to the Commission for final con-  
sideration?

MR. LINTON: Yes, sir.

MR. HASTINGS: BY MR. HASTINGS: Cherokee Nation states that  
the first wife of Marion Evans is marked "dead" upon the roll,  
and therefore her testimony could not be gotten, and therefore  
submits the case.

M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the  
testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a  
true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*M.D. Green*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 21, 1902.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., June 18, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Marion Evans for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, two children and stepchild as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Applicant appears in person and by Will E. Linton, his attorney.

Cherokee Nation appears by W. W. Hastings.

COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter June 2, 1902, to appear before the Commission and submit additional testimony as regards his application for the enrollment of himself and family as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

MARION EVANS, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

MR. LINTON: Give your name in full? A Marion Evans.  
Q Where do you reside now? A I am at Wealaka, near Wealaka, about three miles east, little southeast.  
Q What Nation and Territory? A That's in the Creek Nation.  
Q Indian Territory? A Indian Territory.  
Q How long have you been living there? A Ever since the 25th day of December.  
Q Last December? A Yes, sir.  
Q That would be December where did you go from when you went there?  
A I went from Bennett down there.  
Q Bennett in what nation? A Cherokee Nation.  
Q Indian Territory? A Yes, sir.  
Q Canadian District? A Canadian District.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I have been in the Cherokee Nation ever since about '95.  
Q Has that been your home? A Yes, sir, it's been my home.  
Q Continuously since that time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever lived in the States? A Yes, sir.  
Q That is, since then, since you first came to the Cherokee Nation? A No, sir, I went down on a visit in Texas and stayed about four months, just went on a visit and came back about that time.  
MR. HASTINGS: Where did you marry your present wife? A In Oklahoma.  
Q In Oklahoma? A Yes, sir, it was on the strip at that time.  
Q That was before it became a part of Oklahoma? A Yes, sir, about that time.  
Q Well what year did you marry? A '95.  
Q That time? A I was in November.  
Q '95? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long did you continue to reside out there? A Why we was out there six or eight months off and on, we was back in the Cherokee Nation, but then I worked out there, went out there and worked a while.  
Q Well you were there when you married, weren't you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you go to housekeeping out there? A Yes, sir.  
Q Well now can't you tell us how long you kept house there before you came over here? A Well it wasn't very long.  
MR. LINTON: Well tell him about how many months or years or weeks or days. A Well it was but about four or five months I went to Texas after we were married.



MR. HASTINGS: Well you went from Oklahoma to Texas? A We went back to the Cherokee Nation and Oateosa and went to Texas.

Q How long did you stay at Oateosa on your trip to Texas? A A couple of weeks I think it was, ten days or something like that.

Q Well where did you go to in Texas? A Went to Benbrook.

Q Did you keep house down there? A I went there on a visit to my brother's and my mother's, just visited around, and then come back up here.

Q How long did you visit? A I believe I was about four months, I reckon, in the neighborhood of four years all together.

Q When did you come back to the Cherokee Nation from Texas? A About the first of May.

Q Of what year? A That was '94.

Q '94? A Yes, sir.

Q Well now where did you come to? A Now we-let me see, excuse me there a minute, let me see, yes, in '94 we come to Oateosa, back to my place up there, had a place there.

Q Well now have you continued to reside there since then? A Yes, sir.

Q Where, at Oateosa? A Right at Oateosa there; I traded places with a fellow, then moved to Tulsa, six miles north of Tulsa.

Q Now that's ever since May, 1894? A Yes, sir; then I moved last winter down here to Bennett, last winter's a year ago, then back up here, and I stayed there at Oateosa, and then I traded places with Cochran and went to Tulsa, and stayed there till we got into this lawsuit here and get beat out of my place, and then I went down to Bennett and traded for a place down there, and then I went back up there to see about getting my eighty acres that I bought from Cochran last fall, and there was a man wanted to rent it, and I rented it to him, and I just went to work for that fellow, but we put in some land making a crop this year.

Q Then you haven't lived out of the Territory since 1894? A No, sir, I have not.

Q Is your first wife dead? A Yes, sir.

Q Did she die before you married this second one? A I couldn't tell you that; I never learned that; you see she married another man and left and never heard anything about her, whether she was dead.

Q You claim citizenship through your first wife? A Yes, sir.

Q Where did you and she separate? A Down there at her mother's, down there in Canadian District.

Q Were you living down there when you separated? A Yes, sir.

Q Now this is the first time you had been married was it? A Yes, sir.

Q Was it the first time she had been married? A No, sir, I think she had been married before, yes, sir, I know she had, she had been married before.

COMMISSIONER: Any children by her former marriage? A No, sir.

Q You know whether her former husband was dead or not? A No, not.

Q Well do you know whether she was divorced from him? A They said she was, her and her mother both told me she was divorced.

Q Well did you ever know her former husband? A Yes, sir, I was acquainted with him.

Q You saw him after you were married to her? A Yes, sir, I seen him.

Q What was his name? A Bennett.

Q Well, his first name? A John Bennett.

Q Did you get a divorce from her? A No, sir.

Q Did she from you? A Not that I know of; I didn't know anything about it.

Q You then, without any divorce, married this second woman? A Yes, sir.

Q When did you separate from your first wife? A It was in July, 1888, I believe; best I can recollect, I think 1888.

Q You don't mean 1889? A Why 1888, excuse me, I am kind of hard of hearing, and then I can't recollect names nor dates very well, in 1888 or 1889, I think, July.

Q Did you have any children by her? A One.

Q Did she have any child? A Yes, sir.

Q Did she keep the child, retain it? A It died.

Q You say the child died? A The child died.

Q Did it die before your separation? A Yes, sir, it died a little while after it was born.

Q How long did you live with her? A Why we lived together over a year, something over a year, don't recollect just how long. Now I married first, just preacher; married by a preacher, and I was firing on the railroad then, and after we came back up here we got married then according to the Cherokee laws.

Q Did you live with her all the time in Canadian District? A No, sir, I lived with her up here at Ocateos part of the time.

Q Did you have any place? A Yes, sir.

Q Who kept the place, you or she? A You mean the place that we lived on?

Q Yes, sir, that you had when you and her were living together? A I just bought me a place up there when we separated.

Q Well tell me who kept the place? A I kept the place.

Q You might have stated that. A I couldn't understand; I am a little bit hard of hearing, and I don't understand good.

Q When were you married to your first wife, what year? A I think we married according to Cherokee law in 1888.

Q When were you married to her the first time under any law?

MR. LINTON: You mean 1888? You have been corrected on that two or three times, 1888? A 1888, yes? I think it was, we was married first.

COMMISSIONER: You married first in 1887? A I think it was.

Q Then were you remarried according to Cherokee law? A In 1888.

Q 1888? A Yes, sir.

Q How long did you continue to live with your wife? A We separated about the first of July, 1888, I think it was.

Q Do you mean July 1888? A Yes, sir, or 1888, now excuse me.

Q Now which is it, 1888 or 1889? A 1888.

Q How long did you live with your wife? A Something over a year; I don't know just what from the time we was first married; that's what I have reference to.

Q How long after your separation was it before your wife died or before you heard of her death? A I never heard of her death until this summer's two years ago I think it was, or a year ago.

Q When were you married to your second wife? A In November, 1888.

Q Now when you appeared before the Commission in August, 1890, in answer to the question, When did you separate (meaning from your first wife) you answered, I separated in 1888; I was married before that, and wasn't married according to Cherokee laws, and then went and married again according to Cherokee laws? A Yes, sir, that's just a mistake of mine, a mistake; I don't know how I did it, just in calling the figures I made it.

Q Now which is the correct date of your separation? A 1888.

Q When you said 1888 you were mistaken? A Well I was mistaken, I didn't mean it, didn't know that I had said it because I just said mistakes that way in dates.

MR. MAXWELL: What is your first wife's name? A Alice Smith.

COMMISSIONER: Where were those two children, Nellie and Mary, born? A They was both born at Ocateos.

1. The first step is to identify the problem. This involves understanding the nature of the problem, its scope, and its impact on the organization. It is important to gather all relevant information and to consult with key stakeholders to ensure a comprehensive understanding of the problem.

Arthur Boninger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1904.

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Cherokee D-219.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 31, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Marion Evans for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Ruth B. and children, Mattie, Henry and Albert Lee Evans, and stepchild, Mattie Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation; he being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Marion Evans.  
Q How old are you? A Forty-six.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Wealata and Tulsa.  
Q Letters addressed to Tulsa will reach you? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a white man? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you claiming the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A I have been married twice.  
Q The one through whom you are claiming? A Alice Stansil.  
Q Was she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A In '88 I believe.  
Q That was your first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you married to her under a Cherokee marriage license? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did you live with her? A Something over a year.  
Q Did she live just a year after you were married to her? A No sir, we separated.  
Q What was the cause of the separation? A I blamed her mother more than anything else.  
Q Did she leave you? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever give her any cause to leave you? A No sir.  
Q Always a kind and indulgent husband were you? A Yes sir.  
Q Made proper provisions for her? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever try to get her to come back to live with you? A Yes.  
Q She wouldn't come? A No sir.  
Q Did you have any particular trouble, any quarreling? A No sir, nothing in particular. I wanted to go and her mother objected; it was too far for her mother.  
Q You wanted to go where? A To Catosa, where I had a place.  
Q And her mother didn't want her to go because it would be too far from her? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you go? A Yes sir.  
Q And your wife wouldn't go with you? A No sir.  
Q Is your wife dead? A Yes sir.  
Q When did she die? A She was dead some three or four years before I knew she was dead.  
Q When did you marry your present wife? A In '95.  
Q What is her name? A Ruth B. Springston.  
Q She a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q You didn't marry her under a Cherokee marriage license did you? A No sir.  
Q Are you living with her now? A Yes sir.  
Q And have seen ever since you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you made your home in the Cherokee Nation ever since '88? A Yes sir.  
Q Never lived anywhere else? A No sir, nothing more than I went to Texas on a visit four or five months; that was the only time I was out, and as long as I was out.  
Q How many children have you? A Four at home and a stepdaughter; three of my own.  
Q What are their names? A Mattie, Henry and Albert Lee Evans.



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Q Albert Lee is living? A Yes sir.  
Q When was he born? A I don't know.  
Q Who is Bettie Lee?  
Q Has Bettie Lee been married?  
Q Yes sir, with the first man.  
Q Had your first wife been married?  
Q Was her first husband married?  
Q Were they married?  
Q You don't know?  
Q Or was it? A No, I don't know.  
Q All you know is what he told you?  
Q Yes.  
Q You know his name? A I don't know.  
Q Was that the only time you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you and your first wife married? A I don't know.  
Q Where did you meet her? A I met her on the Railroad when we went down.  
Q Where did you make your home? A I lived in the town where the first we would come to her mother's at that time.  
Q How long did you live in Benson? A Some time or five years.  
Q What year was that? A It was either '86 or '87.  
Q Where did you go after you quit firing on that Railroad?  
Q Back to the Cherokee Nation.  
Q To what point? A Oatessa. I had been sick a good while.  
Q How long did you stay there? A I didn't stay there long.  
Q How long did you stay at Oatessa? A About three or four days.  
Q Where did you go after that? A I went to a law suit and then I went back to Oatessa and I went to Bennett, and then I went to a crop at Oatessa.  
Q Where is that? A In the Creek Nation near Tulsa.  
Q How long have you been living in the Creek Nation? A Ever since the 25th of last January, and I was about that.  
Q Where were you living when you separated from your first wife?  
Q At her mother's.  
Q Where was her mother living? A Down here at Texanna, near there.  
Q How long had you been living there before this separation?  
Q place? A I didn't make it my home there hardly at all. I kind of stopped there. I went to Oatessa.  
Q Did you have a home any where else at that time? A No sir.  
Q What did you say was the cause of the separation? A I always blamed her mother for it.  
Q You laid it onto your mother-in-law? A Yes sir, I think she was the cause of it.  
Q When the separation occurred where did you go? A I went back to Oatessa.  
Q And left her down there? A Yes sir, she said she wouldn't go.  
Q You left her at Texanna and went to Oatessa? A I went to Oatessa and went back down there; I was going to run some more land and made a contract and went down there to stay at Texanna until the growing season was over.  
Q Did you stay until the growing season was over? A Yes sir.  
Q When did the separation occur? A I went up there and then I came back again; in July we separated.  
Q When you first went to your mother-in-law where did you go from?  
A From Oatessa.

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Q How long had you been there before you separated? A I can't tell you.  
Q About how long? A Four or five weeks.  
Q Then you wanted to go to Catoosa and your wife didn't want to go with you? A Yes sir, I had a place there and bought lumber to build a house.  
Q Because she wouldn't go with you to Catoosa you went and left her? A Yes sir, she refused to go back with me.  
Q Because she refused to go you went off and left her? A Yes, I guess that is right, I went off.  
Q Did you go back and try to get her to go back? A Yes sir.  
Q How many times? A Once or twice. When I went back after her she had married again.  
Q What was the name of the other man? A I can't give you his name.  
Q Where did they live? A Some where in the neighborhood.  
Q They came there after I first left there? I don't know his name, I might have seen the man but I don't recollect it.  
Q You say your first wife had been previously married? A Yes sir, she was married before I married her.  
Q What was the name of that husband? A John Barnett.  
Q Where did they live? A I don't know where they made their home.  
Q Did you ever see him? A Yes sir, I have seen him.  
Q Was he alive when you married this woman? A Yes sir, I guess so; I seen him afterwards.  
Q Did you make any inquiries throughout the community to see if she had a divorce from him? A No sir.  
Q You never investigated that before you married her? A Not that I recollect.  
Q If you had or you would have recollected it? A I might have done it, I couldn't tell you; she and her mother told me they were divorced. I don't recollect whether I made any inquiries or not.  
Q Commission. Did you file your marriage license and certificate of your first wife with this Commission? A Yes sir.  
Q You said you went away and left your wife, do you want it to be understood that you left her? A No sir, she just refused to go with me, that was our home, I worked there that summer and was going to make a home there; that was my calculations, at Catoosa.  
Q Have your children always lived with you? A Yes sir.  
Q And took them along with you when you left to go to Catoosa? A I have no children by her, only one and it is dead; it had died.  
Q These children are by your last wife? A Yes sir.  
Q O. STARR. As a matter of fact you did leave your wife down in Texanna when this separation took place? A I didn't leave her in one sense of the word; it wasn't my will to leave her; of course, I went back home.  
Q She stayed there and you went to Catoosa? A Yes sir, she refused to go with me and I tried to get her to go with me and I went back there and she offered to go, and then I went back after her she was gone with this other man.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of September, 1900.

Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Marian Evans for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage, and of Ruth B. Evans, Mattie Evans, Henry Evans, Albert Lee Evans and Bettie Ross as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on August 29, 1900, Marian Evans appeared before the Commission at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and made personal application for his enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Ruth B., and their minor children, Mattie and Henry Evans, and a step-child, Bettie Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 27, 1901, and again at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on June 18, 1902, and on October 21, 1902. There was filed with this Commission on October 31, 1902, a birth affidavit, wherein it is shown that Albert Lee Evans was born on March 17, 1902 to Marian Evans and his wife, Ruth B. Evans.

The evidence in this case shows that Marian Evans was lawfully married under authority of a Cherokee marriage license on March 4, 1888, to one Allis Stencil, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and who is identified on the Cherokee Authenticated Tribal Roll of 1880. Subsequent to his marriage it appears that she abandoned him and he afterwards, without being divorced from his said wife, married one Ruth B. Ross, nee Springston, also a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and who is identified on the Cherokee Authenticated Tribal Roll of 1880. It does not appear that the said Ruth B. Ross, nee Springston, was ever divorced from a former husband, one Pomp Ross.

Marian Evans is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896, as is also Mattie Evans. Bettie Ross, daughter of Ruth B. Evans, formerly Ross, nee Springston, is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Henry Evans and Albert Lee Evans are duly identified by affidavits of birth made a part of the record herein.

Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), provides for the enrollment of Cherokee citizens "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws."

Section 666 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (1892) is as follows:

"Should any man or woman, a citizen of the United States or of any foreign country, become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage, and be left a widow or widower by the decease of the Cherokee wife or husband, such surviving widow or widower shall continue to enjoy the rights of citizenship, unless he or she shall marry a white man or woman, or person, (as the case may be), having no rights of Cherokee citizenship by blood: in that case, all of his or her rights acquired under the provisions of this act shall cease."

The evidence in this case shows that the principal applicant secured rights of Cherokee citizenship through intermarriage with his first wife, Allis Stencil, and that subsequent to her abandonment he married his present wife, Ruth B., a Cherokee citizen by blood.

The evidence further shows that Marian Evans has resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation and Indian Territory since 1888, and since 1894 with his present wife, Ruth B. up to and including September 1, 1903. The minor children, applicants herein, have resided in the Cherokee Nation and Indian Territory continuously since birth, and were residents thereof on the date of this application.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Marian Evans should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage, and that Ruth B. Evans, Mattie Evans, Henry Evans, Albert Lee Evans and Bettie Ross should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stat., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR 2 1903



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Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Robert Lee Evans*

is a citizen of

*Lebanon*

Nat.

Approved

*Oct 21, 1902*

*C. H. Hutchinson*

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation,  
of *Albert Lee Evans*, born on the *17* day of *March*, *1902*  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: *Marion Evans* a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.  
Name of Mother: *Ruth B Evans* a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.

*Wakaha I.T.*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Northern* INDIAN TERRITORY, District.

I, *Ruth B Evans*, on oath state that I am *37*  
years of age and a citizen, by *blood*, of the *Cherokee* Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of *Marion Evans*, who is a citizen, by  
*marriage*, of the *Cherokee* Nation; that a *male* child was  
(male or female.)  
born to me on *17* day of *March*, *1902*; that said child has been  
named *Albert Lee Evans*, and is now living.

*Ruth B Evans*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *June*, *1902*

*J. H. Ravens*

NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Northern* INDIAN TERRITORY, District.

I, *Mrs. Effie Lark*, a *midwife*, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. *Ruth B Evans*, wife of *Marion Evans*.

on the *17* day of *March*, *1902*

*[Redacted Signature]*

WITNESSES TO SIGN

*Mrs. Effie Lark*

(None to Two)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *June*, *1902*

*J. H. Ravens*

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IN RE  
THE DEATH OF

*Marion Evans*

a citizen of the  
T. W.

*Cherokee* Nation.

Approved *May 4* 1905

*[Signature]*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
FILED

*May 4, 1905*  
*[Signature]*

Cherokee

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Marian Evans  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Tulsa, Ind. Ter., and died on the 26 day of  
June, 1904.  
(Here insert name of possessor)

## AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern DISTRICT.

I, Ruth B. Evans, on oath state that I am 41  
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Tulsa, Ind. Ter.; that I am  
the wife of Marian Evans  
(State relationship as the father or mother, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen, by adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said Marian Evans died on the 26 day of  
June, 1904. Ruth B. Evans  
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Here to Two)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day of

July

1905

Ed. Hiney  
Notary Public.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
DISTRICT.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I am \_\_\_\_\_  
years of age, and a citizen by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
that my postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, Ind. Ter.;  
(Here insert name of possessor.)  
that I was personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
who was a citizen, by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
and that said \_\_\_\_\_ died on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Here to Two)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

1905

Notary Public.

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 284 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 380 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 506 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 554 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 568 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 686 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 786 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 823 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Sadie Fivestiller   | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1967 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1944 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2013 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2193 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1506 | Julia Coody         | 2216 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2234 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2266 |
| Odie Pideock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2281 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1539 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1539 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2302 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1580 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |



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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jennie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3590 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadus       | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Eliza O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Winfield S. Nance     | 3007 | Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley    | 3010 | Lathan Lumbard         | 3901 |
| Mollie Daugherty      | 3039 | Micajah P. Haynes      | 3937 |
| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3993 |
| Alice A. Edwards      | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3997 |
| Dorinda Adair         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William R. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3960 |
| Dora B. Caulk         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| James M. Gallman      | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3999 |
| Martha E. Garrett     | 3162 | Beth R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Artie E. Large        | 3164 | Wiley Hanna            | 4016 |
| Andrew A. Kelley      | 3191 | Martha M. Woods        | 4008 |
| Anna B. Ryne          | 3193 | Lizzie Gray            | 4117 |
| Elin Henderson        | 3196 | Nancy C. Carey         | 4131 |
| David E. Jenkins      | 3212 | Annie E. Kenney        | 4165 |
| Lizzie Felling        | 3233 | William H. Ward        | 4169 |
| Robert L. Payne       | 3263 | Nannie Brewer          | 4189 |

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| Nancy J. Kinney       | 4225 | Roxie J. Ketchum       | 4623 |
| Sydney E. Bell        | 4232 | Lissie Love            | 4626 |
| Isaac H. Jordan       | 4235 | Robert K. Wann         | 4632 |
| Charles Parks         | 4244 | Frederick Metsner      | 4633 |
| Dora Frenchman        | 4262 | John C. Bratcher       | 4634 |
| James R. Fugate       | 4275 | Pigrow L. Jones        | 4641 |
| Maud Adams            | 4277 | Ada Bertholf           | 4642 |
| Elisabeth Black       | 4281 | Alice Robbins          | 4644 |
| Anna Thornton         | 4291 | Jane Dougherty         | 4649 |
| Robert T. Morrison    | 4294 | Samuel Francis         | 4650 |
| Perley Israel         | 4295 | Clemon C. Peek         | 4652 |
| William A. Long       | 4304 | Mont C. Frazier        | 4653 |
| Mollie Swannock       | 4319 | Frank J. Mayberry      | 4656 |
| Frances Guess         | 4324 | Charles W. Moore       | 4660 |
| Allen H. Gibson       | 4327 | Jefferson D. Edmondson | 4661 |
| John McFall Jr.       | 4343 | Alonso H. Boone        | 4662 |
| Albert W. Fitzsimmons | 4360 | Thomas C. Mock         | 4668 |
| George S. Ford        | 4386 | Sallie Allison         | 4669 |
| Quinn Carr            | 4387 | Elisabeth E. Burgess   | 4671 |
| William A. Powell     | 4390 | LaFayette Breeden      | 4673 |
| Austin Hasley         | 4400 | James M. Boling        | 4676 |
| Anna Bible            | 4414 | Francis A. Neilson     | 4681 |
| Elizabeth Riley       | 4428 | John F. Smith          | 4689 |
| John P. Sudderth      | 4449 | Rufus S. Steward       | 4691 |
| Anderson Keen         | 4450 | John I. Haddock        | 4694 |
| Ida M. Adams          | 4451 | Maggie O. Walkley      | 4695 |
| Martha J. Randall     | 4457 | George W. Talbert      | 4698 |
| Mollie Conner         | 4477 | Mary Miller            | 4700 |
| Jane McGhee           | 4491 | Henry C. White         | 4707 |
| Jennie Riley          | 4525 | Mattie E. Hill         | 4760 |
| Hannah Randall        | 4528 | Alice A. Bible         | 4772 |
| Charles W. Childers   | 4542 | Katie Coker            | 4785 |
| Nannie B. Riley       | 4543 | John Creek             | 4801 |
| John W. McDaniel      | 4544 | Ruby R. Bean           | 4804 |
| Minnie Armstrong      | 4548 | William J. Dodeon      | 4836 |
| Ada Chouteau          | 4549 | Blackburn Reed         | 4882 |
| Mary Thompson         | 4571 | Viola Lowther          | 4891 |
| Ota Armstrong         | 4593 | William B. Ritebeon    | 4910 |
| Mary Spencer          | 4594 | Henry D. McDonald      | 4950 |
| Clarkson F. Woody     | 4603 | Della McDaniel         | 4956 |
| James M. McConnell    | 4604 | Dorothy Rattinggourd   | 4991 |
| Annie E. Coker        | 4605 | Ida McCay              | 5093 |
| Jennie Long           | 4606 | Henry M. Lyon          | 5100 |
| Julia Gilstrap        | 4607 | Alice J. Wofford       | 5101 |
| Laura E. Smith        | 4608 | Nancy Morris           | 5137 |
| Annie Nichols         | 4609 | Ella Sullivan          | 5140 |
| Minnie R. Taylor      | 4611 | Winfield Williams      | 5144 |
| Mary E. Rogers        | 4614 | Beaulie M. Smith       | 5145 |
| Emma Downing          | 4615 | May Humphrey           | 5207 |
| William Steere        | 4619 | Dennie Burgess         | 5226 |

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| Nora B. Burgess       | 5236 | William A. Polson    | 5613 |
| John E. Etter         | 5239 | Paulina P. Pitcher   | 5614 |
| Harriette Rogers      | 5240 | Charley Headrick     | 5615 |
| Amanda Foreman        | 5244 | William N. Stinson   | 5616 |
| William H. Wells      | 5261 | Lenora A. Henry      | 5621 |
| John T. Gaylor        | 5266 | Effie M. Adams       | 5622 |
| Annie Sweeten         | 5269 | John H. Shimp        | 5624 |
| Rosalee Hendricks     | 5278 | Thomas B. Dickson    | 5625 |
| Emma Chambers         | 5328 | Minnie Henry         | 5628 |
| James H. Thomas       | 5329 | Thomas J. Simpson    | 5629 |
| Melville B. Baird     | 5332 | Cap L. Lane          | 5630 |
| James R. Goodall      | 5356 | Reuben E. DeLosier   | 5631 |
| Charles Horton        | 5390 | John Heape           | 5640 |
| James W. Goddard      | 5417 | Perry G. Brook       | 5645 |
| Dora Cox              | 5425 | Mary J. Newcomb      | 5650 |
| Nannie G. Alberty     | 5438 | George W. Seigel     | 5660 |
| Sallie Ward           | 5455 | Martha A. Parks      | 5666 |
| William H. Sutherland | 5484 | Zelda C. Mills       | 5674 |
| Lissie Hall           | 5487 | Lissie Rogers        | 5675 |
| Cyrus B. Essex        | 5489 | Emma Pigeon          | 5676 |
| Eda Taylor            | 5493 | Nellie Bluejacket    | 5677 |
| Laura Taylor          | 5494 | Lucy Bacon           | 5679 |
| Elector D. Miller     | 5496 | Thomas B. Wood       | 5691 |
| Embernson M. Arnold   | 5498 | Ann W. Simerson      | 5693 |
| Stella Henry          | 5499 | William J. Kuhn      | 5694 |
| William E. Oneal      | 5506 | Elsie Couch          | 5698 |
| John M. Sharp         | 5509 | William H. Robinson  | 5699 |
| John L. Davis         | 5514 | Rachel Washington    | 5699 |
| Sarah E. Downing      | 5518 | Isaiah B. Blackwood  | 5700 |
| Samantha C. Glase     | 5524 | John R. Johnson      | 5701 |
| Harry Jones           | 5525 | Dennis W. Smith      | 5702 |
| Aggie Paris           | 5532 | William H. Chemut    | 5705 |
| James W. Hallford     | 5535 | William H. Durham    | 5707 |
| Phoebe Coker          | 5537 | Albert B. Buckmaster | 5710 |
| Anthony K. Douglas    | 5538 | Maud Crutchfield     | 5730 |
| Joseph H. Johnson     | 5541 | Joseph S. Layne      | 5731 |
| Harvey O. Riggs       | 5547 | Lena Bell            | 5737 |
| Alice Glass           | 5553 | Juan N. Corn         | 5748 |
| Addison Reeves        | 5556 | Robert N. Crafton    | 5750 |
| Alice Coats           | 5572 | Benjamin F. Coffee   | 5755 |
| Julia Kidd            | 5575 | Frank McSpadden      | 5760 |
| William R. Greer      | 5576 | Charles D. Pendleton | 5775 |
| Rosa M. Sixkiller     | 5581 | Harden H. Green      | 5776 |
| Nancy Inlow           | 5587 | Emma J. Ward         | 5778 |
| Daisy H. Owen         | 5590 | Robert C. Fuller     | 5781 |
| Annie R. C. Owen      | 5600 | Henry F. Extine      | 5796 |
| Jesse McKnight        | 5603 | Ida Wylie            | 5802 |
| Clara J. Strange      | 5610 | Richard L. Fite      | 5815 |
| Henry Westenhaver     | 5611 | Edward Lutz          | 5816 |
| Emma H. Roach         | 5612 | John F. Woodworth    | 5829 |

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| Horace H. Huddleston  | 5832 |
| William R. Sartain    | 5837 |
| Joseph A. Lawrence    | 5843 |
| William H. Hinton     | 5846 |
| Joseph Lehr           | 5851 |
| Evin M. Young         | 5852 |
| Mary C. Barnes        | 5853 |
| Matilda Thompson      | 5861 |
| William W. Young      | 5872 |
| Earley F. Ellis       | 5874 |
| Rosa B. Alberty       | 5877 |
| Sarah Cannon          | 5879 |
| Mamie Beck            | 5887 |
| Jack H. Merchant      | 5888 |
| John D. Merchant      | 5889 |
| Sarah E. Ghormley     | 5894 |
| Jerry Young           | 5906 |
| James H. Brickey      | 5916 |
| Mary Hicks            | 5919 |
| George W. Weems       | 5922 |
| Albert Crain          | 5923 |
| James M. Jones        | 5932 |
| Alfred W. Shelly      | 5935 |
| John M. Stratton      | 5936 |
| Waddie Hudson         | 5937 |
| Robert C. Johnson     | 5939 |
| Mary T. Thompson      | 5941 |
| Edith A. Parris       | 5943 |
| Addie Hubbard         | 5949 |
| John A. Lowry         | 5962 |
| John R. W. Brantley   | 5963 |
| James T. Carroll      | 5964 |
| Christopher F. Jordan | 5965 |
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| Alice Tidwell       | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Roseanna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue    | R | 45   | Lizzie Davis      | R | 751 |
| Gabriel L. Payne    | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 4, 1906, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 496), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

This January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BIRNEY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRACKINRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 4th

1902

Mr. Marion Evans,

Tulsa, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 20th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Copy to Will B. Linton,  
Muskogee, I.T.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-219

Register.

Acting Chairman.

COMMISSIONER

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April 20<sup>th</sup> 1902

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of the Cherokee <sup>Native</sup> if this case  
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Yours truly  
Marion Evans



Cherokee D-214

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 4, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Marion Evans for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Ruth B., his minor children, Mattie, Henry and Albert Lee Evans, and step-child, Bettie Ross, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. E-2273

Cherokee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

Union Trust,  
Cherokee, Indian Territory.

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your wife, Ruth B., and your four minor children, Hattie, Henry and Albert Lee Evans, and Bettie Evans, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James O. Smith  
Chairman.

Enc. M-249

Register

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Cherokee B-219

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 26, 1903.

Will B. Linton,

Attorney for Marian Evans et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Marian Evans for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Ruth B., and his four minor children, Mattie, Henry and Albert Lee Evans, and Bettie Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Jams Dixby.

Chairman.

Enc. H-549

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COMMISSIONERS  
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SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Mustang, I. T., June 2, 1902.

Mr. Marian Brown,  
Mustang, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are requested to appear before the Commission at its office in Mustang, Indian Territory, on or before the 15th day of June, 1902, and give such testimony as in the opinion of the Commission will be necessary to complete the case in the matter of the application for the enrollment of yourself and family as citizens of the Cherokee nation.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register

In reply refer to C. B. 219

Cherokee 18100

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Marion Evans,

Tulsa, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Encl. Recd. By \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Mustagee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

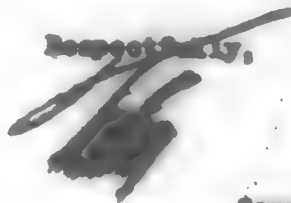
Marian Evans,

Tulsa, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application, for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

## Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 9, 1907.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, has been designated by the Secretary of the Interior, as the official to make and approve appraisals of the value of improvements upon land in the Cherokee Nation which were made prior to November 5, 1906, by white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens prior to December 16, 1895, and who have the right under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), to sell improvements.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

Bartlesville, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Tulsa, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Claremore, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Nowata, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Vinita, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Pryor Creek, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Tahlequah, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18, 1907, to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Sallisaw, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Designations must be made in person by the intermarried white claimant, or in case proper proof is made that he is physically unable to appear, by some adult member of his immediate family, or in case proper proof is made of the fact that the intermarried white claimant is physically unable to appear and has no adult member of his immediate family, by a person holding a properly executed power of attorney; provided, that in every case the designation must be made by a party familiar with the character, ownership, location and value of the improvements to be designated. At the time of said designation the testimony of any competent person will be taken by the Commissioner as to the location, character and value of said improvements.

No former intermarried white claimant will be permitted to designate improvements upon more land than he would have been entitled to take in allotment for himself had he been admitted to citizenship. If any intermarried white claimant has made a tentative selection of a full allotment he will not be allowed to designate improvements upon other land.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that if any citizen of the Cherokee Nation entitled to select an allotment shall claim that the improvements on land tentatively selected by a former intermarried white claimant, or held by him, do not belong to said intermarried white claimant, or makes any adverse claim to said improvements, or to the right of the intermarried white claimant to sell said improvements under the Act approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), said citizen must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, at Muskogee, Indian Territory, prior to April 1, 1907.

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All persons interested should take careful note of the limitation of time herein provided for, within which designations and complaints may be made, and that they must be made by appearance before the Commissioner.

**TAMS BIXBY,**  
Commissioner.

Cherokee  
B et al.

Waskago, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Waskago, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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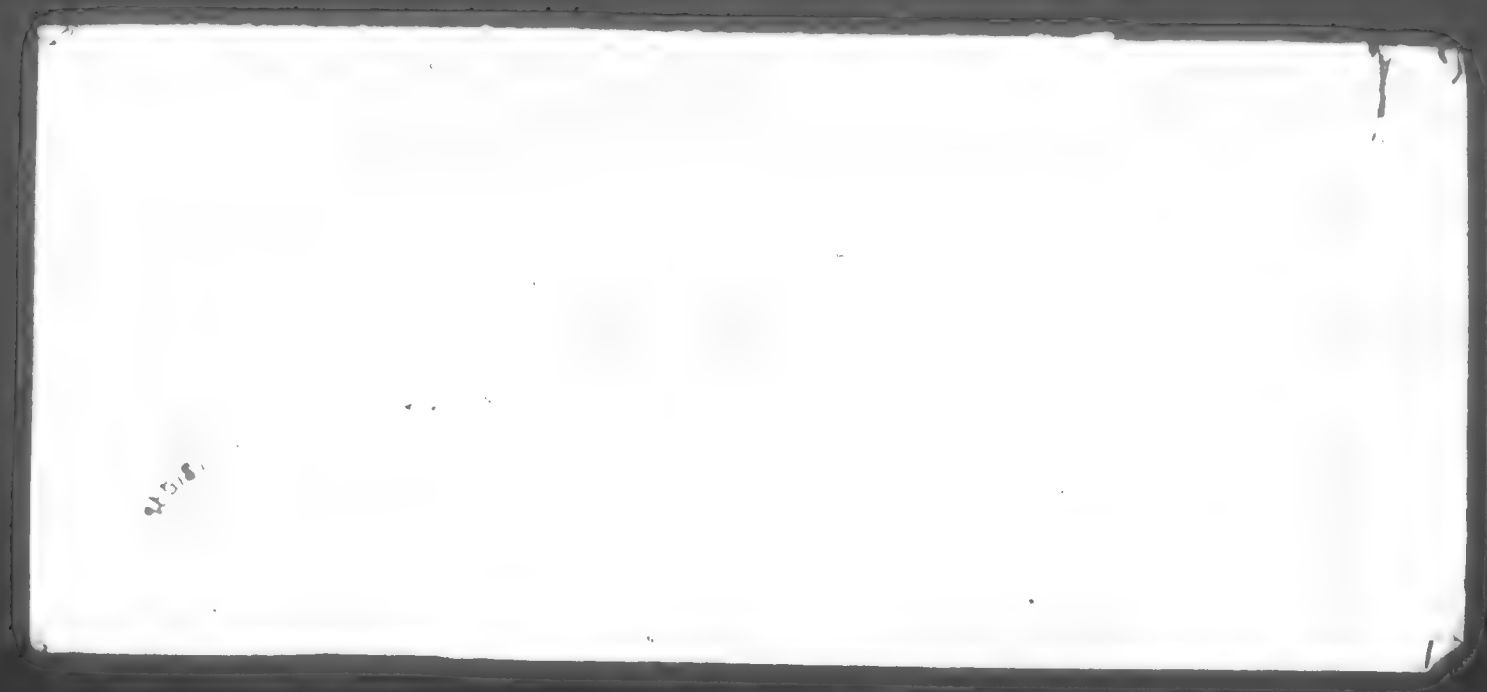
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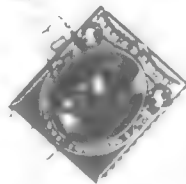


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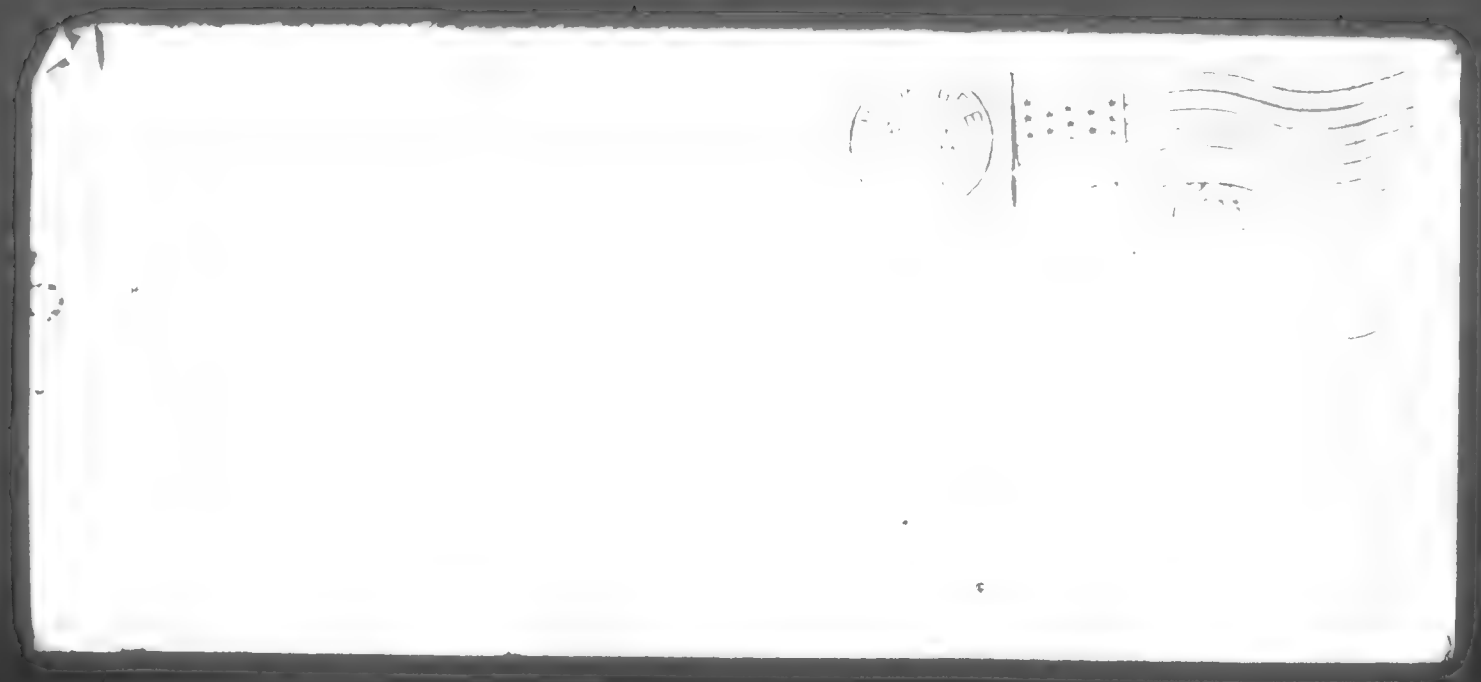


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Deputy Sheriff, Superior.



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Department of the Interior

MINERAL RESOURCES



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Florida. St. John

Trans. from D. S. W.

HEARD, as to applicant;

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I.T., October 3, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Bessie Sloan for the  
admission of herself and two children as Cherokee citizens;  
and examined by Commissioner Breckinridge testified as  
follows:

Q Give me your name? A Bessie Sloan.  
Q How old are you? A 19.  
Q What is your post-office? A King's Point.  
Q In what district do you live in? A In Missouri. I am just  
living and most any place I can get to stay, not got no home.  
Q What do you call your district? A Coconawcoos.  
Q Is this post-office in Missouri? A Yes sir, King's Point,  
Missouri.  
Q Do you want to have put on the roll? A This baby  
and another little girl.  
Q And yourself? A No sir.  
Q Just two children? A Yes sir.  
Q You don't claim Cherokee blood or citizenship yourself? A No  
sir.  
Q Give me the names of these two children, please? A Florida,  
2 years old.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Jesse Lee.  
Q Boy or a girl? A Boy.  
Q How old is he? A 9 months old.  
Q What is the name of the father of these children? A Tom  
Sloan.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Why do you not apply for him? A We are separated.  
Q When were you married to him? A Last day of August last,  
three years ago.  
Q August 1897? A Yes sir.  
Q He is alive at this time? Is he? A Yes sir.  
Q When did you separate from him? A First day of December last.  
Q Have you your marriage certificate? A Yes sir, (shows  
papers).  
Com'r: The applicant presents certificate showing that she was  
married to her husband as stated by her on the 6th day of August 1897  
to the Rev. D. D. Bryan, her name being at that time Miss B. D. D.  
Green, of Cheateau, Indian Territory; this is filed herewith.  
Q How old is your husband? A 30 years old.  
Q Was he ever married before he married you? A No sir.  
Q And were you never married before? A No sir.  
Q Have you a divorce from him? A No sir.  
Q You have never married since you separated from him? A No sir.  
Q Did you make your home in the Cherokee Nation from the time  
you married him until you separated? A Yes sir.  
Q And lived with him continually during that period? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your husband a native of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Has he lived in the Cherokee Nation all his life? A Yes sir.  
Q Your husband was admitted by the Cherokee Commission wasn't  
he? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you the certificate of admission? A No sir.  
Q Is your husband's name Thomas? A Yes sir.  
1898 roll page 287 John Thomas A. Sloan Coconawcoos District.  
Com'r Breckinridge: You had better apply for your self and get you  
on the record; we will have to rely on you, but if anything should  
ever come of it, we will have you on the record.  
Q Did your husband go away and leave you? A Yes sir.  
Q Left you at an old home? A Yes sir.  
Q You don't know of any sufficient reason why he should have  
gone away and left you? A No sir, we never had no trouble  
at all.

At the time of the investigation, the witness was not aware of the fact that the defendant was a member of the Communist Party, and that the defendant was a member of the Communist Party at the time of the investigation.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

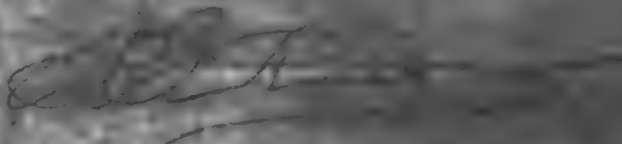
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COMMISSIONER.

Supplemental testimony in the case of **FLORIAN BROWN, ET AL.**, as citizens of the State of Florida.

The undersigned, **W. W. Hastings**, of the County of **Alachua**, State of **Florida**, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the testimony given by **W. W. Hastings** in the case of **FLORIAN BROWN, ET AL.**, as citizens of the State of Florida, and that the same is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

**W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, Agent.**



Given under my hand and seal of office.

J.O.R.



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# CHEROKEES BY DEEDS OF ADULTION.

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Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

James Lewis Brown

District \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

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2 Affidavits to be supplied

Set of marriage & birth records

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CERTIFICATE

Indian Territory,

Cherokee Nation

--:THIS CERTIFIES:--

That Mr. J. A. Sloan of Chouteau, Indian Territory, and  
Miss B. E. Greer of Chouteau, Indian Territory, were  
 at Chouteau, Cherokee Nation I.T., by me joined together in

--:HOLY MATRIMONY:--

On the 6th day of August in the year of our Lord, One  
 Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety Seven.

In presence of

W. C. Humphreys  
Abel C. C. Hayden

D. B. Bryant, Minister.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
 COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
 F. I. B.  
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 ACTING CHAIRMAN

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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It is to the Court for a decision.

The District Court for the Eastern District of

Mr. Joseph G. Sloan, Plaintiff, vs. The Cherokee Nation, Defendant.  
The said Mr. G. Sloan claims that he is a Cherokee citizen and is entitled to all the rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship by force.  
The Commission therefore transmit the said Mr. G. Sloan to all the  
rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship by force.  
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rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship by force.

Cherokee Nation  
vs  
Office G. Sloan



Office Commission on Citizenship,  
Sept. 5th 1881. Tahlequah C.N.

No. 91 Alexander G. Sloan

Louisa J Sloan

Thos A. Sloan

Elonzo J. Sloan

Joseph S. Sloan

Hattie J. Sloan

Robt D. Sloan

Ollie C. Sloan

vs

Cherokee Nation

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The plaintiff introduced the testimony of Dr. W. W. Campbell and submitted it to the Court for a decision.

Submitted also by the Cherokee Nation Sept. 7th 1881.

The testimony before the Commission shows that Alx. G. Sloan is a Native born Cherokee but moved to the state of Texas when a small boy and has remained there ever since.

The Commission therefore readmit the said Alx. G. Sloan to all the rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship by blood.

The Commission also admit to all the rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship the following named persons as the family of the said Alx. G. Sloan: Twit: Laura J. Sloan Thos. A. Sloan, Elonzo S. Sloan, Joseph S. Sloan, Hattie J. Sloan, Robt. D. Sloan and Ollie C. Sloan.

Rosch Young, President Com.

William Harnage

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( asst. Com.

Tennessee, U.S.

I, B.W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy taken from the records of the Cherokee Nation, now filed in this office and in my custody. Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the 5th day of October 1900.

B.W. Alberty

Assistant Executive Secretary  
Cherokee Nation.



Thomas A Sloan, Plaintiff,

vs

#388.

Bessie E Sloan, Defendant,

On this day this cause came on to be heard upon the Complaint of the Plaintiff, Proof of Publication of Warning Order, Report of the Attorney for the Defendant, who is and was at the Commencement of this Suit a Non Resident of the Indian Territory, the Testimony taken in the Cause and the report of the Master in Chancery; And the Court finds the following facts:

That the Defendant had been legally warned to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in this Cause for the length of time and in the manner required by law before the commencement of this Court said Defendant being a Non Resident of 5th Indian Territory;

That Plaintiff and defendant were lawfully Married on the 5th day of August, 1897, and that they lived together as husband and wife until in November 1899, at which time the plaintiff left the defendant that the defendant subsequent to their marriage and before plaintiff left her committed adultery with one Dr. Stephenson; that the plaintiff is and was more than one year before the commencement of this suit, a resident of the Northern District Indian Territory and that the Cause of divorce occurred in said district and within five years before the commencement of this suit; That there was born of this Marriage one Child, a daughter of the age of two years, named Flora who is in custody and control of the defendant; that the defendant is not a proper person morally to have the care, education, and control of said child and that the plaintiff is.

It is Therefore Ordered, Considered, and Decreed by the Court that the bonds of Matrimony heretofore existing between the plaintiff and the Defendant be Dissolved, set aside and held for naught, that the plaintiff be restored to all the rights and privileges of an unmarried man, that he have the custody of the said Child Flora, and that he pay all the costs of this suit.

I, Chas A. Davidson, Clerk of the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian Territory do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Decree of Divorce Granted to Thomas A. Sloan, this 22nd day of November A.D. 1900.

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Wagener, I.T. this 22nd day of November A.D. 1900.

Chas A. Davidson, Clerk/

By R. C. Hunter W.C.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Florida Sloan*

is a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved, OCT 19 1900 190

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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*[Signature]*  
Acting Chairman

*Card No 507*



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
Delores Sloan, born on the 19 day of July, 1898  
(true name of child.)  
Name of Father Thomas Sloan, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother Bessie Sloan, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, King Point, Mo.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY  
District.

I, Bessie Sloan, on oath state that I am 19  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Thomas Sloan, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 19 day of July, 1898; that said child has been  
named Floreda Sloan, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { J. G. Ives  
M. P. Kline

Bessie Sloan  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Oct, 1900.  
My Com. expires Apr. 30, 1902  
C. E. Hoel  
P.O. Adm. Lookout Mo. NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY  
District.

I, Laura Bartmull, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Bessie Sloan, wife of Thomas Sloan,  
the 19 day of July, 1898; that there was born to her  
and date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Floreda Sloan.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

{ J. G. Ives  
M. P. Kline

Laura Bartmull

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Jesse H. Sloan*  
as a citizen of the  
*Shawnee* Nation.

Approved, OCT 19 1900 190

*[Signature]*

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*[Signature]*  
Acting Chairman

*Hand No 502*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
of Jesse L. Sloan, born on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1900  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: Thomas Sloan, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Bessie Sloan, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Kings Point, Mo.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

District.

I, Bessie Sloan, on oath state that I am 17  
years of age and a citizen, by adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Thomas Sloan, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 28 day of July, 1900; that said child has been  
named Jesse L. Sloan, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { J. G. Greer  
M. W. Kline

Bessie L. Sloan  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Oct, 1900.  
My Comm. expires Apr. 30, 1902 C. E. Hoel  
Lockwood Mo. NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

District.

I, M. G. Middleton, Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Bessie Sloan, wife of Thomas Sloan,  
on the 28 day of July, 1900; that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Jesse L. Sloan.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses.) { J. G. Greer  
M. W. Kline

M. G. Middleton M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Oct, 1900.  
My Comm. expires Apr. 30, 1902 C. E. Hoel  
Lockwood Mo. NOTARY PUBLIC.

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COMMUNIST

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1.0. Rosen, being sworn, stated that he remembered to the Commission

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TAHLEQUAH, I.T., DECEMBER 13th, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application for  
the enrollment of JESSE L. SLOAN:

THOMAS A. SLOAN, being sworn by Commissioner Needles, testified  
as follows:

INTERROGATORIES BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative:

Q What is your name? A Thomas A. Sloan.

Q What was your wife's name? A Bessie Elizabeth.

Q Have you the decree of divorce from her now? A Yes, sir, there  
is a decree.

Q The testimony shows that you were married to her in August,  
1897, is that correct? A Yes, sir.

Q How long did you live with her as husband and wife? A I was  
married to her August 5th, 1897. I lived with her up until in  
the last year; November 3d when I left her.

Q What year? A 1899.

Q She came to Vinita and enrolled two children, Loretta and Jesse  
L. Sloan and claimed that these were your children; what do you say  
about that? A I say the oldest child, the girl, was mine and  
the other one was not.

Q Where is this woman? A She is, Joplin, Missouri, the last  
time I heard of her.

Q Do you know who she is living with? A I do not know.

Q I believe you secured the divorce from her on the ground of  
adultery? A Yes, sir.

Q Now, Mr. Sloan, how long before your separation was it before  
you actually left her, before you quit living with her as husband  
and wife? A About November 3d, 1899.

Q How do you know then this is not your child? A I know it.

Q Well, why? A I have a right to know it.

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q When was the child born? A I do not know anything about it  
at all; it was reported to me at Vinita, up there I heard of her  
being up there to enroll it, and I went down to the Clerk's office  
to get a personal summons to have her appear in this case. That  
was on the 2d day of last October I heard she was there and I went  
down to Wagoner to get the papers and put them in the hands of a  
Marshall to serve on her. He said it was outside of the jurisdic-  
tion of that Court.

Q What is the date of the birth of this last child? A The state-  
ment that I heard, that is, what I heard she said, the child was  
nine weeks old up to the time she enrolled at Vinita. That is what  
Joel Baugh told me.

Applicant: It is just this, I never had any intercourse with  
her until, well it was about April or May before I left her.

Q In November? A Yes, sir; she would not allow it on the ground  
that she did not want to raise any more children.

Q April, 1899? A Yes, sir.

Com'r:--From the Copy of the Decree of the Court filed to-day  
it seems that the custody of Loretta Sloan was awarded to the  
father of the child, Thomas Sloan, and should have been enrolled  
with him on straight card No. 6662/

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J.C. Benson, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the court  
to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly transcribed the testimony  
and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a correct  
transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*J.C. Benson*

subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1900.

*[Signature]*

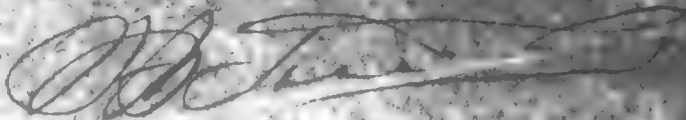
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Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Hunkpapa, I. T., February 23, 1903.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the enrollment of  
FLORIDA SIMON, ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant's mother, Essie Elean, was notified by  
registered letter February 12, 1903, that the Commission  
the enrollment of her two children would be held at the  
Commissioner's office at its office in  
Indian Territory, on the 25th day of February, 1903, and that  
she could on said day appear before the Commission in  
person or by attorney and an opportunity would be given her to  
introduce any further testimony affecting her children.  
She was this day, to-wit: the 25th day of February, 1903,  
called three times and failing to respond either in person or  
by attorney, it is directed that the case be closed and that  
the same be reported to the Commission for final decision based  
upon the evidence now of record.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.



Commissioner.

J.O.H.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Muskegee, Ind. Ter., Oct. 10, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Bessie Sloan for the enrollment of her two minor children, Florida Sloan and Jesse L. Sloan, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

BESSIE NEAL, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

- Q What is your name? A Bessie Neal.  
Q What is your age? A Twenty-one years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Kennison.  
Q Are you the mother of Florida and Jesse L. Sloan? A Yes, sir.  
Q Who is the father of these two children? A Tom Sloan.  
Q Is he living? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A The 4th of August, let me see, we have been married four years the 4th of last August - no, not the 4th -  
Q Five years, is it not? A Yes, sir, five years.  
Q You are not living with him at the present time? A No, sir.  
Q How long did you and he reside together after your marriage? A Three years.  
Q These children were both born during that time? A No, sir, only one, and the other was born after we parted.  
Q Was your husband, Thomas Sloan, recognized as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q And did he always reside in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know whether he is living there at the present time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are your two children living? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are they both living with you? A No, sir, he has the girl and I have the boy.  
Q Where were you living at the time of your marriage? A Chouteau.  
Q Had you resided in the Cherokee Nation prior to your marriage to Sloan? A Yes, I came from Missouri. I was here when we married at Chouteau.  
Q Did you reside in the Cherokee Nation continuously during the time you were married to Sloan? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where have you been residing since your separation? A Why, I stayed in Missouri about a year, and have been back here ever since close to Kennison.  
Q Did you go to Missouri immediately after your separation? A Yes, sir.  
Q And remained there a year? A Yes, sir.  
Q Since that time, since you returned, have you been living in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your present husband? A Neal.  
Q Is he a citizen? A No, sir.  
Q When this divorce was granted, were you given the custody of this younger child? A No, there was nothing said about that.  
Q He took the girl and you took the boy? A Yes, sir.  
Q You lived with your husband about three years after you were married? A Yes, sir.

Betta Chio, being first duly sworn, deposes that as stenographer to the Court, she has taken and reduced to writing the testimony and evidence in the above entitled case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Betta Chio

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of October, 1902.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Floreda Sloan and Jesse L. Sloan as citizens by blood of the Cherokee  
Nation:

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on October 3, 1900, Bessie Sloan appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment, among others, of her minor children, Floreda and Jesse L. Sloan, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The application also includes the said Bessie Sloan but she is differently classified and is not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 13, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 10, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Bessie Sloan, a white woman, was lawfully married, on the 6th day of August, 1897, to one Thomas A. Sloan, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who was admitted to citizenship in said nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on September 13, 1881, and that the said minor children, Floreda and Jesse L. Sloan, are the issue of said marriage.

It further appears that the said Bessie Sloan and Thomas A. Sloan lived together as husband and wife until in November, 1899, when they separated and that, on November 22, 1900, the said Thomas A. Sloan was granted a divorce from his said wife, Bessie Sloan.

The evidence further shows that the said minor children, Floreda and Jesse L. Sloan, were born on July 19, 1898, and July 28, 1900, respectively, and are duly identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

The evidence further shows that the said Bessie Sloan and her husband, Thomas A. Sloan, resided in the Cherokee Nation from the time of their marriage until said separation; and it is considered that the residence of the minor children is the same as that of their parents.



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It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Floreda Sloan and Jesse L. Sloan should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

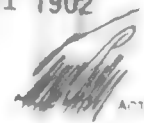
  
Commissioner.

Muskegee, Indian Territory,  
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C. R. BRACKINRIDGE.

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SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 12, 1902

Mrs. Dennis Sloan,  
King's Point, Missouri,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of Florida and Jesse L. Sloan

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 28th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-502  
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Commissioner in Charge.

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Hunter, R. C.,  
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Gives correct date of separation in divorce case, Thomas A. Sloan vs. Bessie R. Sloan.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee D 302

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 4, 1902.

Mr. R.C. Hunter,

Deputy Clerk United States Court,

Wagoner, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Upon examination of a copy of a decree of divorce in Thomas A. Sloan vs. Bessie E. Sloan, No. 388, certified to by you on November 22, 1900, the recital appears "That plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on the fifth day of August, 1897, and that they lived together as husband and wife until in November, 1897." It has been alleged that the latter date should be 1899. Will you please examine the record of this case and ascertain whether this date should be 1897 or '99, and certify the result of your examination to this Commission.

A prompt compliance with this request will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

  
Acting Chairman.

Dear Sir:-

answering the above  
inquiry - the date "1899" is correct

Yours

R.C. Hunter

cc



Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Washington, Indian Territory, June 21, 1904

Respectfully,

Wings Point, Missouri.

My dear Sir,

You are hereby notified to appear before this Commission at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on or before July 1, 1904, and testify as to whether your said children, Berada and J. W. Glean have been living with you from their birth, and also as to how long you have resided in the Cherokee Nation, and whether you were a resident of said Nation at the date of your application for your children's enrollment.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Respectfully,

Cherokee D-508.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 18, 1902.

Bessie Neal,

Wimico, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

The Commission is in receipt of your letter of August 13, relative to the application for the enrollment of your children, Florida and Jesse L. Sloan, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

In reply, your attention is called to the Commission's letter of June 19, requiring you to appear before this Commission at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and give additional testimony affecting the right of these children to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, particularly as to the residence of yourself and these children. It will be necessary that you appear before the Commission and give this testimony before the application for the enrollment of your children can be finally disposed of.

You are requested to give this matter your earliest attention.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Cherokee D-502

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 4, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Beasie Sloan for the enrollment of her two minor children, Florida and Jesse L. Sloan, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. D-4173

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Cherokee D-602

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1903.

Bessie Sloan,

Kings Point, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your two minor children, Florida and Jesse L. Sloan, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tams Bixby.*

Chairman.

Enc. H-243

Register

Chas. 10/10/60

Wm. 7/10/60

James 10/10/60



The undersigned being sworn, deposes and says that the following is a

copy of 1890: He has been told by one, James Harris, that he is not acquainted with the

names of the persons who were present at the

meeting at the time of the trial of the woman and William George, and that he is not acquainted with the

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
BARTLESVILLE, I. T., OCTOBER 8th, 1900.

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Nancy Ickelbury for the  
grant of herself and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation,  
and she being sworn and examined by Commissioner, G. H. Hastings,  
testified as follows:

Q Give me your full name? A Nancy Ickelbury.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty five.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Gahala.  
Q What district do you live? A Coowasaw.  
Q Is it you want to have put on the rolls? A Myself.  
Q Any one else? A My children.  
Q Your husband? A No sir; he is dead.  
Q How long since you were married? A Two years.  
Q How many children? A Four.  
Q This husband only married you two years ago? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All my life.  
Q Give me your father's name? A William Rogers.  
Q Is he dead or living? A Dead.  
Q How long has he been dead? A About twenty years.  
Q Give me your mother's name please? A Lucinda Rogers.  
Q Is she living or dead? A Living.  
Q Have you ever been married except to your present husband?  
A Yes sir.  
Q What was the name of your first husband? A George Steele.  
Q Was he a Cherokee or a white man? A Cherokee.  
Q Is he dead or living? A Dead.  
Q When did you marry him? A About eight years ago.  
Q When did he die? A He has been dead seven years.  
Q Did you live with him from the time of your marriage until he  
died? A Yes sir.  
Q About one year? A Yes sir.  
Q And your second husband is your present husband? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your present husband? A James Ickelbury.  
Q He is a white man, is he? A Yes sir.  
Q Now give me the names of your children please? A John Steele.  
Q How old is he? A Eight years old.  
Q Now the next child? A William Steele.  
Q How old is he? A Seven.  
Q Next child? A Myrtle Steele.  
Q How old is she? A Four years old.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Weenie Ickelbury.  
Q How old is that child? A Ten months old.  
Q Are these children all living now? A Yes sir.  
Q Did your mother ever marry after your father's death?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When did she marry? Is she still living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she living with her husband? A No sir.  
Q Who was her husband after your father's death? A John Lulu.  
Q Did you ever live with your step father? A Yes sir.

By Mr. V. V. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Is your mother a white woman? A Yes sir.

By the Commission:

Q Is there any one here who knew you when you were a child?

A No sir; I think not.

(1895 Roll, Page 261, #4803, Nancy Steele, Coowasaw Dist)  
(Roll of 1890 examined, and the applicant is not found thereon)

(1895 Roll, Page 261, #4854, Johnnie Steele, Coowasaw  
District)

(1895 Roll, Page 261, #4888, Willie Steele, Coowasaw Dist)

James C. Ikelbury, being sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. H. Hastings, testified as follows:

Q What is your full name? A James C. Ikelbury.

Q How old are you? A Thirty years.

Q Where is your Postoffice? A Calulata.

Q Are you the husband of a white woman here? A Yes sir.

Q What was her name when you married her? A Nancy Steele, she told me.

Q Do you know anything about what her name was when she was a child?

A No sir.

Q Do you know anything about who her mother was? A She lives right over here about two miles.

Q Have you a certificate of marriage to her? A No sir; I married her three years ago this morning, and Jack Jackson married us. He did not return the papers. I was at Calulata, and when I got back I did not call for them; I went away again, and when I came back Mr. Jackson had died.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Applicant recalled:

Q Who did you say your father was? A Will Rogers.

Q Is he living? A No sir.

Q Do you remember him? A No sir; I was a little child.

Q You were just told he was your father? A Yes sir, my mother told me.

Q Do you know the Will Rogers you have reference to was a Cherokee or not? A I heard so.

Q Your mother was a white woman? A Yes sir.

Q Was she ever married to William Ross? A Yes sir, I know him.

Q You have been told that? A Yes sir; I had a witness here a while ago.

Q Do you know whether the William Rogers you claim as your father is living? A No sir.

Q Where were you when you were born? A On White Oak.

Q A few miles this side of Vinita? A Yes sir.

Q Your father and mother were living there then? A Yes sir.

Q You do not remember your father? A No sir.

Q Your mother has since married? A Jacob Dick.

By the Commission:

Q Have you been married three times? A No sir.

Q Did you never live with a man named Dirtpot? A No sir.

Q Did he ever claim you as his wife? A No sir.

Q Did you ever know of a man by his name? A Yes sir; he is dead.

Q Did you live only one year with your husband, Steele?

A Three years; I made a mistake.

You told me you married your husband Steele eight years ago, and the testimony shows he died seven years ago, that leaves only a year for you to have lived with him: Were you right or wrong in that testimony? How long did you live with him as his wife? Did you live longer than one year with him? A Yes sir.

Q How long did you live with him? A Three years.

Q Then you made a mistake in a part at least of your first statement: Maybe he has not been dead seven years? A I guess not.

Q About five or six years, or something like that? A Yes sir.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Was your first husband a citizen; a Cherokee citizen by blood?

A Yes sir.



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Supplementary testimony of the applicant.

Mar. 1880 roll; page 90, 4813, Lucy Dick, Cherokee.

Q What is your name? A Jacob Dick.

Q How old are you? A About 48.

Q What is your postoffice? A Okelate.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee? A All his life.

Q Do you know this woman here? A Yes sir; she's a stepdaughter of mine.

Q What is her present name? A Nancy Echelbury.

Q Is her husband your son? A Yes, this woman is his step-daughter.

Q She's the daughter of your wife, is she? A Yes sir.

Q By a former husband? A Yes sir.

Q What was the name of her father? A Ahstolarter.

Q What was his English name? A William Rogers.

Q Was he a Cherokee? A Yes sir; he was a Cherokee. Came with the Cherokees years ago.

Q When in 1887? A He was an old settler prior to that time.

Q Was he a full blood? A Yes sir, full blood.

Q When did he die? A Something over 20 years. I don't know.

Q What was the name of this woman's mother? A Nancy Rogers.

Q Is she the mother of this woman? A Yes sir.

Q She's married to another man is she? A Yes, she's living with me now.

Q She's a white woman, is she? A Yes sir.

Q Does he know that she was the wife of William Rogers? A Yes sir, I know that they lived near me for quite awhile.

Q How long has she been your wife? A Been married about 21 years.

Q She married you then very soon after Rogers died? A Yes sir.

Q And was this woman always recognized as the lawful child of that marriage between your wife and William Rogers? A Yes sir, recognized as a child of that marriage.

Q How long did your wife live with Rogers as his wife? A Couldn't say what length of time. They moved up there to where he lived near Minits. They had one other child, and while they were living there this woman was born.

Q Had Rogers ever been married before? A Not that I know of.

Q Does he know whether his wife had ever been married before? A She had told me she never married any other man besides Rogers.

Q Is your wife on the roll of 1897? A I suppose so.

Q How old is your wife now? A Couldn't say exactly, she's over 60 years old.

Q Is this the wife you had in 1880 when you were enrolled? A I think so, we have been married twenty-one years.

Q 1880 roll; page 90, 4813, Lucy Dick, Cherokee.

Q And he knew this woman's father, did he, as a recognized Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir, I knew that.

By the Commissioner to applicant.

Q Give me your full name? A Nancy Echelbury.

Q Your name was Nancy Rogers when you were a child? A Yes sir.

By the Commissioner to the above witness.

Q Did you give in this woman's name in 1880 when you enrolled?

A Yes, I remember whether I did or not.

By the Commissioner.

A Mother of this woman, Nancy Echelbury, is now living.



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Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 1, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury for the enrollment of herself and children as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Applicant in person;

W.W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 12, 1902, that her application for the enrollment of herself and children would be taken up by the Commission for consideration at its general offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the first day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the first day of March, 1902, appears in person.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

Q What is your name? A Nancy Icklebury.

Q How old are you? A 29.

Q Where do you live? A Okolanta.

Q In the Indian Territory? A Yes sir.

Q Your mother's name Lucy Dick? A Yes sir.

Q What was your father's name? A My father was a Rogers.

Q Is there any statement you desire to make relative to your application for enrollment? A (No reply.)

Q Have you any affidavits as to the births of the two children, Myrtle Steel and Nellie Icklebury? A Yes sir.

J.C. ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

Q What is your name? A J.C. Icklebury.

Q How old are you? A I am 52 years old the first day of next June.

Q Where do you live? A Okolanta.

Q Are you the husband of the applicant in this case? A Yes sir.

Q Have you the affidavits as to the births of your two children, Nellie and Myrtle? A No, not to Myrtle I have not.

Q Let me see what you have? A (I have got affidavit of Pearl.)

Q Affidavit as to Pearl has been filed, but we want affidavits of Nellie and Myrtle? A Nellie at the time she was born lived over here in Okolanta in a railroad town and the parties that waited on us at that time I don't know where they are at; but Myrtle is got an affidavit here, there is a man right here with me at the time that she give birth to her right at his house.

Q You will have to have these affidavits executed and presented to the Commission? A We have got a witness right here as to the birth of Myrtle; I have got proof here to her birth.

Q Any further statement you desire to make relative to the enrollment of your wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.

Q Do you submit the case to the Commission for final consideration? A Yes sir, I suppose I will unless there is something in there that ought not to be.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, re-called and further examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

Q Do you submit this case in your own behalf and in behalf of your children to the final consideration of the Commission? A Yes sir.



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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Wash., D.C., June 13, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury et al for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

APPEARANCES:

Applicant appears in person.

W. V. Hastings in behalf of Cherokee Nation.

COMMISSIONER: The applicant in this case was notified by registered letter May 31, 1902, to appear before the Commission on or before June 14, 1902, for the purpose of introducing further testimony in the matter of the application of herself for the enrollment of her children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Nancy Icklebury, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Nancy.

Q Nancy Icklebury? A Yes, sir.

Q How old are you? A I am 37.

Q What is your postoffice address? A Echelata.

Q How many children have you? A Five.

Q What is the name of your eldest child by your present husband? A John Stealer.

Q Stealer or steal? A It's either one I guess.

Q Now which is it; we have got to have one or the other; you said when you made application for enrollment that the name of the children by your first husband was Steal, is that correct? A I reckon it is.

Q Now how do you want those children by your first husband enrolled, under the name of Steal or Stealer? A Stealer I reckon.

Q How many children have you by your present husband? A Two.

Q What is the name of the oldest child by your present husband? A Nellie.

Q About how old is that child? A Two years old.

Q When was it born? A December 3rd.

Q What year was it 1900? A I guess, I don't know.

Q When will the child be two years old? A It's done two past.

Q When will it be three years old? A Three next December.

Q Well then it was born in 1898 wasn't it? A I guess so.

Q Did you ever have a child named Neely by your husband Icklebury; you have only had two children by your husband Icklebury haven't you? A Yes, sir, that's all.

Q What is the name of the second child that you had by him? A Pearl.

Q Is that the child you have in your arms there, is that Pearl? A Yes, sir.

J. S. Icklebury, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Icklebury, J. S. Icklebury.

Q How old are you? A I am - I don't know exact.

Q Well about how old? A About 35 years old.

Q At or by? A 33.

Q What's your postoffice address? A Echelata.

Q You are the husband of the applicant, are you? A Yes, sir.

Q What's the name of her first husband? A Well all of our folks told me it was Steal and different parties told me Stealer.

Q Do you know which it was? A Well I think Stealer is the right name, because that's what her uncle told me the other day, that it



was Stealer.

Nancy Icklebury, the applicant, recalled:

Q Now when you appeared before the Commission in October, 1901, you stated that you had a husband named Stealer; was this correct, or did you mean that you had a husband named Willie Icklebury; did you ever have a child named Stealer? A No, sir, I never.

Q You have only had two children by this husband? A Yes, sir.

Q And the names of those two children are Nellie and Pearl? A

Yes, sir. Q Was a mistake then when you said that this child's name was Nellie, and you meant it should be Nellie, did you? A I don't know.

Q And you stated at the time you appeared before the Commission at Bartonsville that the name of the children by your former husband was Stealer; you were mistaken were you not, and their correct name is Stealer? A Yes, sir.

Q The correct name is Stealer is it? A Yes, sir.

Q You desire to have them called under that name? A Yes, sir.

The applicant's three children by her former husband, to wit, John, William and Myrtle Steal, will be listed for enrollment under the name of Stealer. It appears from the original testimony had in the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury for the enrollment of herself and children that she and the two elder children, to wit, John and William, are identified on the Census Roll of 1896 under the name of Stealer.

MR. HASTINGS: What was your mother's name, I inquire? A Yes, sir. Q She married Jacob Mack? A Yes, sir.

Arthur G. Swearing, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Arthur G. Swearing

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June, 1901.

J. H. Renter  
Notary Public



Q Cows are not household effects; did they take their furniture and household goods? A Yes they took their furniture.  
Q Since they came back in March of 1899, have they lived here continuously? A Yes sir.

JAMES C. ICKLEBERRY, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

Q What is your name? A James C. Ickleberry.  
Q How old are you? A I don't know exactly, right in the neighborhood of 40 years old.  
Q Your post-office address is Okemah? A Yes sir.  
Q You live in Coowescoowee District? A Yes sir.  
Q You are the husband of Nancy Ickleberry? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A It will be four years ago along this month sometime. I don't just remember.  
Q After your married to her how long did you live in the Cherokee Nation with her? A I don't just remember, but the same fall we got married we went over in Oklahoma.  
Q Did you move over there? A No sir, I went over there to work.  
Q Did you take your household goods with you? A We didn't have nothing to take, only some bedclothes; hadn't bought nothing yet.  
Q What did you leave behind you in the way of property? A Two cows and two calves and a sow and some pigs.  
Q How long did you stay in Oklahoma when you went there four years ago? A Between four and five months.  
Q What month did you return? A In March. I think it was

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Dewey, I. T., October 17, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of NANCY L. DICK, et al., for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation;  
LUCINDA DICK, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Lucinda Dick.  
Q How old are you? A 47.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Cherokee, I. T.  
Q You live in Coowasawnee District? A Yes sir.  
Q You are citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q You are the mother of Nancy Ickleberry, are you not? A Yes sir.  
Q Who was Nancy's father? A William Rogers.  
Q He was a Cherokee by blood, and you are a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A I was married to him in 1880 or '91, I can't tell you which; I have been married thirty years ago.  
Q I was married by a preacher, old man Sam Buchanan, a Delaware.  
Q By William Rogers you had how many children? A Two.  
Q What are their names? A Emma and Nancy.  
Q What is Emma's name now? A Emma Daniels.  
Q How old is she? A 29.  
Q She is the wife of George Daniels, a Cherokee by blood, who lives near Bartlesville? A Yes sir.  
Q Nancy is how old? A 27.  
Q Your husband William Rogers died before 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q And before 1880 you married again? A Yes sir.  
Q Who did you first marry after the death of William Rogers?  
A John Lula, a full blood Cherokee.  
Q When did he die? A I could not tell you just when, how long it has been; I only lived with him about six months.  
Q Then who did you marry next? A Jacob Dick.  
Q You married him before 1880? A I married him I think in the year of 1880.  
Q Were you ever married before you married William Rogers? A No sir.  
Q Was he ever married before he married you? A Yes, I expect he had been married several times; he had one child when I married him, he had no living wife when I married him.  
Q Have you any recollection how your two children, Nancy and Emma, were enrolled on the 1880 roll? A No sir, I have no idea; I had nothing to do with it myself.  
Q They always went by the name of Rogers when they were children? A Yes sir.  
Q They always lived with you in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Was Nancy ever called Hannah? A Never was that I know of, just Nancy, that's all.

1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined and witness identified on page 8-- No. 816, Lucy Dick, I.W. 28 years old, Coowasawnee District, wife of Jacob Dick.  
(Taken from printed copy 1880-roll.)

- Q Did your two daughters live with you when you were married to Jacob Dick in 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q They never lived with any one else when they were children? A No sir.  
Q William Rogers was always recognized as a Cherokee by blood, was he? A Yes sir.

JACOB DICK, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:  
Through sworn interpreter:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Jacob Dick.  
Q How old are you? A I don't know, he was quite a little baby at the first old settlement. ('51).  
Q What is your post-office address? A Okolona, I. T.  
Q You live in Coconino District? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood or Delaware? A Says he is a Cherokee.  
Q You are the husband of Lucinda Dick, who has just testified? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know Lucinda, your present wife, at the time that she was living with William Rogers, as his wife? A I know her when they first moved to that part of the country.  
Q You don't know of your own knowledge whether or not they were lawfully married by a preacher? A Says he don't know only just what Will told him, that they was married by a Delaware preacher.  
Q How long did they live together as husband and wife? A They lived near me one year before he died, and they lived together as man and wife during that time.  
Q Was this child Nancy born while William Rogers and Lucinda Rogers were living near you and living together? A Yes sir.  
Q Was William Rogers always recognized as a Cherokee Indian by blood? A He says he was Cherokee, and talked the language, and looked like a Cherokee.  
Q Did you have these two children, Emma and Nancy Rogers enrolled in 1880, when Dick Dick and John Dick were taking the census? A Yes sir.  
Q What name did you give in for each one of these children at that time? A I told Dick Dick that the oldest one they called her in Cherokee Jamie, but the English name was Emma Rogers, and the other one, told him her name was Nancy Rogers, I don't know how they put it down.

1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation  
examined for Emma and Nancy Rogers,  
page - - No. 2488, Emma Rogers, native Cherokee, Coconino District, aged 13 years; (?)  
page - - No. 2489 Emma Rogers, native Cherokee, Coconino District, aged seven years. (8)

LUCINDA DICK, being re-called and further examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q How long have you and your husband, where have they been living for the last four or five years? A They have been living right there where they are now, for the last three years, since they came back they came back from Oklahoma three years ago, and have been living there at Okolona three years, they have only been married four years.  
Q When did they first go to Oklahoma? A I don't know what time it was, in the fall, this fall four years ago, in November.  
Q Had your daughter ever lived outside of the Cherokee Nation before that time? A No sir, never had been out.  
Q And when did they come back to the Cherokee Nation from Oklahoma? A Three years ago, last March, since they came back, they were just out one winter.  
Q You are sure it was in November four years ago, they went out there? A Yes sir.  
Q What would be 1880? A I guess it was, it was four years ago.  
Q Did they take their household effects out there at the time? A I don't think they did, I know they didn't take everything; they left two sons.

Q Now, you were born in the Cherokee Nation, is that right?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q And you were born in the Cherokee Nation, is that right?  
A Yes, sir.

John G. Green, being first duly sworn and examined, testified as follows:

BY THE COURT: Q Now, you were born in the Cherokee Nation, is that right?

A Yes, sir.

Q And you were born in the Cherokee Nation, is that right?

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
BARTLESVILLE, I. T., OCTOBER 8th, 1900.

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Nancy Ikelbury for the enrollment of herself and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. R. Brownridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your full name? A Nancy Ikelbury.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty five.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Ochalata.  
Q In what district do you live? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Who is it you want to have put on the rolls? A Myself.  
Q Any one else? A My children.  
Q Your husband? A No sir; he is adopted.  
Q How long since you were married? A Two years.  
Q How many children? A Four.  
Q This husband only married you two years ago? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All my life.  
Q Give me your father's name? A William Rogers.  
Q Is he dead or living? A Dead.  
Q How long has he been dead? A About twenty years.  
Q Give me your mother's name please? A Lucinda Rogers.  
Q Is she living or dead? A Living.  
Q Have you ever been married except to your present husband?  
A Yes sir.  
Q What was the name of your first husband? A George Steele.  
Q Was he a Cherokee or a white man? A Cherokee.  
Q Is he dead or living? A Dead.  
Q When did you marry him? A About eight years ago.  
Q When did he die? A He has been dead seven years.  
Q Did you live with him from the time of your marriage until he died? A Yes sir.  
Q About one year? A Yes sir.  
Q And your second husband is your present husband? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your present husband? A James Ikelbury.  
Q He is a white man, is he? A Yes sir.  
Q Now give me the names of your children please? A John Steele.  
Q How old is he? A Eight years old.  
Q Now the next child? A William Steele.  
Q How old is he? A Seven.  
Q Next child? A Myrtle Steele.  
Q How old is she? A Four years old.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Neekie Ikelbury.  
Q How old is that child? A Ten months old.  
Q Are these children all living now? A Yes sir.  
Q Did your mother ever marry after your father's death?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When did she marry? Is she still living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she living with her husband? A No sir.  
Q Who was her husband after your father's death? A John Luns.  
Q Did you ever live with your step father? A Yes sir.

By Mr. V. V. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Is your mother a white woman? A Yes sir.

By the Commission:

Q Is there any one here who knew you when you were a child?

A No sir; I think not.

(1896 Roll, Page 261, James Steele, Cooweescoowee Dist)

(Roll of 1890 examined, and the applicant is not found thereon)

(1896 Roll, Page 261, #4584, Johnnie Steele, Cooweescoowee District)

(1896 Roll, Page 261, #4585, Willie Steele, Cooweescoowee Dist)



James C. Ikelbury, being sworn and examined by Commissioner C. B. Breakinridge, testified as follows:

Q What is your full name? A James C. Ikelbury.

Q How old are you? A Thirty nine.

Q What is your Postoffice? A Okmulgee.

Q Are you the husband of the applicant here? A Yes sir.

Q What was her name when you married her? A Nancy Steele, she told me.

Q Do you know anything about what her name was when she was a child? A No sir.

Q Do you know anything about who her mother was? A She lives right over here about five miles.

Q Have you a certificate of marriage to her? A No sir; I married her three years ago this next month, and Mack Jackson married us; He did not return the papers; I was at Tulsa, and when I got back I did not call for them; I went away again, and when I came back Mr. Jackson had died.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:  
Applicant recalled:

Q Who did you say your father was? A Will Rogers,

Q Is he living? A No sir.

Q Do you remember him? A No sir; I was a little child.

Q You were just told he was your father? A Yes sir; my mother told me.

Q Do you know the Will Rogers you have reference to was a Cherokee or not? A I heard so.

Q Your mother was a white woman? A Yes sir.

Q Was she ever married to William Ross? A Yes sir; I have known him.

Q You have been told that? A Yes sir; I had a witness here a while ago.

Q Do you know whether the William Rogers you claim as your father is living? A No sir.

Q Where were you when you were born? A On White Oak.

Q A few miles this side of Vinita? A Yes sir.

Q Your father and mother were living there then? A Yes sir.

Q You do not remember your father? A No sir.

Q Your mother has since married? A Jacob Dick.

By the Commission:

Q Have you been married three times? A No sir.

Q Did you never live with a man named Darpot? A No sir.

Q Did he ever claim you as his wife? A No sir.

Q Did you ever know of a man by his name? A Yes sir; he is dead.

Q Did you live only one year with your husband, Steele?

A Three years; I made a mistake.

You told me you married your husband Steele eight years ago, and the testimony shows he died seven years ago, that leaves only a year for you to have lived with him: Were you right or wrong in that testimony? How long did you live with him as his wife? Did you live longer than one year with him? A Yes sir.

Q How long did you live with him? A Three years.

Q Then you made a mistake in a part at least of your first statement: Maybe he has not been dead seven years? A I guess not.

Q About five or six years, or something like that? A Yes sir.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Was your first husband a citizen; a Cherokee citizen by blood?

A Yes sir.



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Supplementary testimony by the applicant.

Name of applicant as on roll of 1880. Name of applicant, as now, and examined by Commissioner to Five Civilized Tribes, Bartlesville, I. T., October 9, 1900. Interpreter, S. W. Mangotick.

Q What is your name? A Jacob Dick.

Q How old are you? A About 46.

Q What is your present place? A Okelate.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All his life.

Q Do you know this woman here? A Yes sir; she's a stepdaughter of mine.

Q What is her present name? A Mamie Bohelbury.

Q Is her husband your son? A No, this woman is his step-daughter.

Q She's the daughter of your wife, is she? A Yes sir.

Q By a former husband? A Yes sir.

Q What was the name of her father? A Anstolarter.

Q What was his English name? A William Rogers.

Q Was he a Cherokee? A Yes sir; he was a Cherokee; came with the Cherokees years ago.

Q When in '38? A He was an old settler prior to that time.

Q Was he a full blood? A Yes sir, full blood.

Q When did he die? A Something over 20 years I think.

Q What was the name of this woman's mother? A Rogers.

Q Is she the mother of this woman? A Yes sir.

Q She's married to another man is she? A Yes, she's living with him now.

Q She's a white woman, is she? A Yes sir.

Q Does he know that she was the wife of William Rogers? A Yes sir.

Q I know that they lived near me for quite some time.

Q How long has she been your wife? A Been married about 21 years.

Q She married you then very soon after Rogers died? A Yes sir.

Q And was this woman always recognized as the lawful child of that marriage between your wife and William Rogers? A Yes sir, recognized as a child of that marriage.

Q How long did your wife live with Rogers as his wife? A Couldn't say what length of time. They moved up there to where he lived; Minis. They had one other child, and while they were living there this woman was born.

Q Had Rogers ever been married before? A Not that I know of.

Q Does he know whether his wife had ever been married before? A She had told me she never married any other man besides Rogers.

Q Is your wife on the roll of 1880? A I suppose so.

Q How old is your wife now? A Couldn't say exactly, she's over 40 years old.

Q Is this the wife you had in 1880 when you were enrolled?

A I think so, we have been married twenty-one years.

1880 roll: page 90, 4813, Lucy Dick, Comanche.

Q And he knew this woman's father, did he, as a recognized Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir, I knew that.

By the Commissioner to applicant.

Q Give me your full name? A Mamie Bohelbury.

Q Your name was Lucy Rogers when you were a child? A Yes sir.

By the Commissioner to the above witness.

Q Did you give in this woman's name in 1880 when you enrolled?

A Yes, I remember that I did.

By the Commissioner.

Q A mother of this woman, Mamie Bohelbury, is now living?





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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 1, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury for the enrollment of herself and children as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Applicant in person;

W.W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 12, 1902, that her application for the enrollment of herself and children would be taken up by the Commission for consideration at its general offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the first day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the first day of March, 1902, appears in person.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A Nancy Icklebury.  
Q How old are you? A 37.  
Q Where do you live? A Okelata.  
Q In the Indian Territory? A Yes sir.  
Q Your mother's name Lucy Dick? A Yes sir.  
Q What was your father's name? A My father was a Rogers.  
Q Is there any statement you desire to make relative to your application for enrollment? A (No reply.)  
Q Have you any affidavits as to the births of the two children, Myrtle Steel and Nellie Icklebury? A Yes sir.

J.C. ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A J.C. Icklebury.  
Q How old are you? A I am 39 years old the first day of next June.  
Q Where do you live? A Okelata.  
Q Are you the husband of the applicant in this case? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you the affidavits as to the births of your two children, Nellie and Myrtle? A No, not to Myrtle I have not.  
Q Let me see what you have? A (I have got affidavit of Pearl.  
Q Affidavit as to Pearl has been filed, but we want affidavits of Nellie and Myrtle? A Nellie at the time she was born lived over here in Oklahoma in a railroad town and the parties that waited on us at that time I don't know where they are at; but Myrtle is got an affidavit here, there is a man right here with me at the time that she give birth to her right at his house.  
Q You will have to have these affidavits executed and presented to the Commission? A We have got a witness right here as to the birth of Myrtle; I have got proof here to her birth.  
Q Any further statement you desire to make relative to the enrollment of your wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.  
Q Do you submit the case to the Commission for final consideration? A Yes sir, I suppose I will unless there is something in there that ought not to be.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, re-called and further examined, testified as follows:

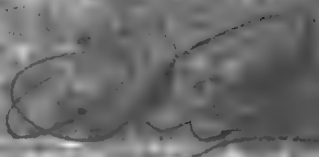
BY COMMISSION:

- Q Do you submit this case in your own behalf and in behalf of your children to the final consideration of the Commission? A Yes sir.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., June 13, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury et al for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

APPEARANCES:

Applicant appears in person.

W. V. Hastings in behalf of Cherokee Nation.

COMMISSIONER: The applicant in this case was notified by registered letter May 24, 1902, to appear before the Commission on or before June 14, 1902, for the purpose of introducing further testimony in the matter of the application of herself for the enrollment of her children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Nancy.  
Q Nancy Icklebury? A Yes, sir.  
Q How old are you? A I am 27.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Salslate.  
Q How many children have you? A Five.  
Q What is the name of your eldest child by your present husband? A John Stealer.  
Q Stealer or Steady? A It's either one I guess.  
Q Now which is it; we have got to have one or the other, you said when you made application for enrollment that the name of the children by your first husband was Steal, is that correct? A I reckon it is.  
Q Now how do you want these children by your first husband enrolled, under the name of Steal or Stealer? A Stealer I reckon.  
Q How many children have you by your present husband? A Two.  
Q What is the name of the oldest child by your present husband? A Nellie.  
Q About how old is that child? A Two years old.  
Q When was it born? A December 2nd.  
Q What year? Was it 1900? A I guess, I don't know.  
Q When will the child be two years old? A It's done two years.  
Q When will it be three years old? A Three next December.  
Q Well then it was born in 1898 wasn't it? A I guess so.  
Q Did you ever have a child named Neely by your husband Icklebury, you have only had two children by your husband Icklebury haven't you? A Yes, sir, that's all.  
Q What is the name of the second child that you had by him? A Pearl.  
Q Is that the child you have in your arms there, is that Pearl? A Yes, sir.

J. S. ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Icklebury, J. S. Icklebury.  
Q How old are you? A I am - I don't know exact.  
Q Well about how old? A About 25 years old.  
Q As of 25? A 25.  
Q What's your postoffice address? A Salslate.  
Q You are the husband of the applicant, are you? A Yes, sir.  
Q What's the name of her first husband? A Well all of her folks told me it was Steal and different parties told me Stealer.  
Q Do you know which it was? A Well I think Stealer is the right name, because that's what her uncle told me the other day, that it

was Stealer.

Nancy Icklebury, the applicant, recalled:

Q Now when you appeared before the Commission in October, 1902, you stated that you had a child named Stealer, was that correct, or do you mean you had a child named Icklebury? And you ever have a child named Stealer? A Yes, sir.

Q And you had two children by this husband? A Yes, sir. The names of those two children are Nellie and Fannie.

Q Was a mistake then when you said that this child's name was Stealer, and you meant it should be Nellie, did you? A Yes, sir.

Q And you stated at the time you appeared before the Commission that the name of the children by your former husband was Stealer? A Yes, sir.

Q The correct name is Stealer is it? A Yes, sir.

Q You desire to have them called under that name? A Yes, sir.

The applicant's three children by her former husband, to wit, John, William and Fannie Stealer, were identified by enrollment under the name of Stealer. It appears from the original testimony had in the office of the Commissioner of the General Land Office that the applicant, Nancy Icklebury, for the purpose of her husband and children that she and the two elder children, to wit, John and William, are identified on the Census Roll of 1896 under the name of Stealer.

MR. HASTINGS: What was your mother's name, last time? A Yes, sir. She married Jacob Nicky. A Yes, sir.

Arthur C. Spaulding, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Arthur C. Spaulding

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June, 1902.

Notary Public

Q Cows and pigs? A Yes, old effects; did I take their furniture  
and household goods? A Yes, I took their furniture.  
Q Since the same back in March of 1939, have they lived in the  
country? A Yes, sir.

JAMES E. OKLAHOMA, a fit sworn and examined, testified as  
follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

Q What is your name? A James E. Oklaheerry.  
Q How old are you? A I don't know exactly, right in the neigh-  
borhood of 40 years old.  
Q Your post-office address is Oklaheerry? A Yes, sir.  
Q You live in Coconino County District? A Yes, sir.  
Q You are the husband of Nancy Oklaheerry? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A It will be four years ago  
along this month sometime, I don't just remember.  
Q After your marriage to her how long did you live in the Oklaheerry  
Nation with her? A I don't just remember, but the same fall we got  
married we went over in Oklahoma.  
Q Did you move over there? A No, sir, I went over there to work.  
Q Did you take your household goods with you? A We didn't have  
nothing to take, only some bedclothes; hadn't bought nothing yet.  
Q What did you leave behind you in the way of property? A Two  
cows and two calves and a sow and some pigs.  
Q How long did you stay in Oklahoma when you went there four  
years ago? A Between four and five months.  
Q What month did you return? A In March. I think it was

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Dewey, I. T., October 17, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of NANCY ICKLEHERRY, et al., for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation; LUCINDA DICK, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Lucinda Dick.  
Q How old are you? A 47.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Goshelata, I. T.  
Q You live in Coowassee District? A Yes sir.  
Q You are citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q You are the mother of Nancy Ickleberry, are you not? A Yes sir.  
Q Who was Nancy's father? A William Rogers.  
Q He was a Cherokee by blood, and you are a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A I was married to him in '70 or '71, I can't tell you which; I have been married thirty years ago.  
Q You were married by a preacher, old man Sam Hutchins, a Delaware.  
Q By William Rogers you had how many children? A Two.  
Q What are their names? A Emma and Nancy.  
Q What is Emma's name now? A Emma Daniels.  
Q How old is she? A 29.  
Q She is the wife of George Daniels, a Cherokee by blood, who lives near Bartlesville? A Yes sir.  
Q Nancy is how old? A 27.  
Q Your husband William Rogers died before 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q And before 1880 you married again? A Yes sir.  
Q Who did you first marry after the death of William Rogers?  
A John Iula, a full blood Cherokee.  
Q When did he die? A I could not tell you just when, how long it has been; I only lived with him about six months.  
Q Then who did you marry next? A Jacob Dick.  
Q You married him before 1880? A I married him I think in the year of 1880.  
Q Were you ever married before you married William Rogers? A No sir.  
Q Was he ever married before he married you? A Yes, I expect he had been married several times; he had one child when I married him, he had no living wife when I married him.  
Q Have you any recollection how your two children, Nancy and Emma were enrolled on the 1880 roll? A No sir, I have no idea; I had nothing to do with it myself.  
Q They always went by the name of Rogers when they were children? A Yes sir.  
Q They always lived with you in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Was Nancy ever called Hannah? A Never was that I know of, just Nancy, that's all.

1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined and witness identified on page 8-- No. 816, Lucy Dick, I. T. 39 years old, Coowassee District, wife of Jacob Dick.  
(Taken from printed copy 1880 roll.)

- Q Did your two daughters live with you when you were married to Jacob Dick in 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q They never lived with any one else when they were children? A No sir.  
Q William Rogers was always recognized as a Cherokee by blood, was he? A Yes sir.



JACOB DICK, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:  
Through sworn interpreter:  
BY COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A Jacob Dick.  
Q How old are you? A Says he don't know, he was quite a little baby at the first old Settlement. ('51).  
Q What is your post-office address? A Oohelata, I. T.  
Q You live in Coowessawee District? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood or Delaware? A Says he is a Cherokee.  
Q You are the husband of Lucinda Dick, who has just testified? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know Lucinda, your present wife, at the time that she was living with William Rogers, as his wife? A I knew her when they first moved to that part of the country.  
Q You don't know of your own knowledge whether or not they were lawfully married by a preacher? A Says he don't know only just what Will told him, that they was married by a Delaware preacher.  
Q How long did they live together as husband and wife? A They lived near me one year before he died, and they lived together as man and wife during that time.  
Q Was this child Nancy born while William Rogers and Lucinda Rogers were living near you and living together? A Yes sir.  
Q Was William Rogers always recognized as a Cherokee Indian by blood? A He says he was Cherokee, and talked the language, and looked like a Cherokee.  
Q Did you have these two children, Emma and Nancy Rogers enrolled in 1880, when Dick Duck and John Hicks were taking the census? A Yes sir.  
Q What name did you give in for each one of these children at that time? A I told Dick Duck that the oldest one they called her in Cherokee Jamie, but the English name was Emma Rogers, and the other one, told him her name was Nancy Rogers, I don't know how they put it down.

1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation  
examined for Nancy and Emma Rogers,  
page -- No. 2488, Emma Rogers, native Cherokee, Coowessawee  
District, aged 13 years. (?)  
page -- No. 2489 Emma Rogers, native Cherokee, Coowessawee  
district, aged seven years. (?)

LUCINDA DICK, being re-called and further examined testified  
as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

- Q Was your daughter Nancy Iokleberry, and her husband, where have they been living for the last four or five years? A They have been living right there where they are now, for the last three years, since they came back they came back from Oklahoma three years ago, and have been living there at Oohelata three years, they have only been married four years.  
Q When did they first go to Oklahoma? A I don't know what time it was, in the fall, this fall four years ago, in November.  
Q Had your daughter ever lived outside of the Cherokee Nation before that time? A No sir, never had been out.  
Q And when did they come back to the Cherokee Nation from Oklahoma? A Three years ago, last March, since they came back, they were just out one winter.  
Q You are sure it was in November four years ago, they went out there? A Yes sir.  
Q That would be 1880? A I guess it was, it was four years ago.  
Q Did they take their household effects out there at the time? A I don't think they did, I knew they didn't take everything; they left two cows.



Q Cows are not household effects; did they take their furniture and household goods? A Yes they took their furniture.  
Q Since they came back in March of 1899, have they lived here continuously? A Yes sir.

JAMES C. ICKLEBERRY, being sworn and examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

Q What is your name? A James C. Ickleberry.  
Q How old are you? A I don't know exactly, right in the neighborhood of 40 years old.  
Q Your post-office address is Ochalata? A Yes sir.  
Q You live in Cowessacoos District? A Yes sir.  
Q You are the husband of Nancy Ickleberry? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A It will be four years ago along this month, sometime, I don't just remember.  
Q After your married to her how long did you live in the Cherokee Nation with her? A I don't just remember, but the same fall we got married we went over to Oklahoma.  
Q Did you move over there? A No sir, I went over there to work.  
Q Did you take your household goods with you? A We didn't have nothing to take, only some bedclothes; hadn't bought nothing yet.  
Q What did you leave behind you in the way of property? A Two cows and two calves and a sow and some pigs.  
Q How long did you stay in Oklahoma when you went there four years ago? A Between four and five months.  
Q What month did you return? A In March, 18th, I think it was the middle of March.  
Q March of what year? A 1899.  
Q Since your return in March 1899 have you lived continuously with your wife and family in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q You are still living here with your family, near Ochalata? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you go to Oklahoma with the intention of making that your home? A No sir, no sir, couldn't get possession of her place here until spring, and went out there to work until spring.

M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this November 4, 1903.

*M.D. Green*

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Myrtle Steele*

as a citizen of

*Delaware*

Nation.

Approved

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Myrtle Steele, born on the 28 day of Jan, 1897,  
Name of Father: Geo Steele a citizen of the U.S. Nation:  
Name of Mother: Nancy Schelburg a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office Okelata, I.T.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District,

I, Nancy Schelburg, on oath state that I am 26 years of age and a citizen, by birth, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Geo Steele, who is a citizen, by birth, of the U.S. Nation; that a female child was born to me on 28 day of Jan, 1897; that said child has been named Myrtle Steele and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses)

Nancy X Schelburg  
L A Quisenberry  
E B Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of March, 1902  
J. Martin Bailey  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District,

I, Lucy Dick, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Nancy Schelburg, wife of James Schelburg on the 28 day of Jan, 1897; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Myrtle Steele.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two Witnesses)

Lucy X Dick  
E B Bailey  
L A Quisenberry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of March, 1902  
J. Martin Bailey  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

No. 29-1900.

March 5 - 1902.

The midwife who attended me on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of  
December 1900 at the birth of my child Willie  
Lehelby, has moved out of the county and  
her present address is unknown to me.  
Nancy Lehelby  
Mark.

Witness to Mark.

E. K. [unclear]  
J. A. Quisenberry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5  
day of March 1902

Martin Bailey

Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 29 - 1905.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Nellie Lohleburg

as a citizen of

Nation.

Approved

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Nellie Schelburg born on the 3 day of December, 1900  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: James Schelburg a citizen of the U.S. Nation.  
Name of Mother: Nancy Schelburg a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office Ochelata OK

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

North

District.

I, Nancy Schelburg, on oath state that I am 26  
years of age and a citizen, by birth, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of James Schelburg, who is a citizen, by  
birth, of the U.S. Nation; that a female child was  
(male or female.)  
born to me on 3 day of December, 1899 that said child has been  
named Nellie Schelburg and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

E. B. Railey  
L. A. Quisenberry

Nancy Schelburg  
Mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of March, 1902.

My Commission Expires  
Nov. 29-1905.

J. Martin Railey  
NOTARY PUBLIC

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

North

District,

I, James Schelburg, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Nancy Schelburg, wife of James Schelburg  
on the 3 day of December, 1900, that there was born to her on  
said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female.)  
named Nellie Schelburg.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

L. A. Quisenberry  
E. B. Railey

J. Schelburg

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of March, 1902.

My Commission Expires  
Nov. 29-1905.

J. Martin Railey  
NOTARY PUBLIC

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Paul Schelbury*  
as a citizen of

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved, *August 21st*

1901

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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*[Signature]*

Acting Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Pearl, born on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1901  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: J. C. Schellberg, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Nancy Schellberg, citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Ochulata Ind

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY,

Northern District.

I, Nancy Schellberg, on oath state that I am 26  
years of age and a citizen, by Birth, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of J. C. Schellberg, who is a citizen, by  
Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation, that a Female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1901, that said child has been  
named Pearl and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN

(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

J. C. Schellberg  
Addie Washburne

Nancy Schellberg  
Mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1901.

Con expires Apr 7, 1904 Jos. W. Bailey

NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY,

Northern District.

I, Addie Washburne, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Nancy Schellberg, wife of J. C. Schellberg,  
on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1901, that there was born to her an  
said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Pearl.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

J. Martin Bailey  
Geo. Bailey

Addie Washburne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1901.

Con expires Apr 7, 1904 Jos. W. Bailey

NOTARY PUBLIC.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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United States of America }  
Northern District of }  
Indian Territory }

This is to certify  
that I, Lucinda Dick was married  
on ninth day of May, 1872 to William  
Rogers, Cherokee Indian, who was known also  
as William Baldridge - his father died when he  
was an infant & his mother married a man by  
the name of Baldridge, who enrolled him by  
the name of Estolda Baldridge and he was  
called by said name until he became of age  
when he assumed his right name ~~Wm Rogers~~

I was married to Mr Rogers at Locust  
Hill, east of Vinita, I.T. by James Ketchum  
a Delaware minister, witnessed by his wife,  
both are dead. Two children Emma and  
Nancy were born in this marriage. ~~My~~

~~child~~ Nancy was born on Canfra Creek.  
There were present Betsey Bugard, deceased  
and Eliza Bugard now Eliza Woodruff.

I lived with Mr Rogers until his  
death Dec 23. 1877

Signed Lucinda <sup>her</sup> Dick  
mark.

Witness.

Chas. P. Bailey  
M. J. Fitzpatrick

~~I have read and subscribed to in my presence,~~  
before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D.  
1902.

J. Martin Bailey

Notary Public

My commission expires Nov 29. A.D. 1904.



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identified on the Ocean Mail as being under the name of the and the two other children, to wit, John and William, the names I observed for the emigration of persons and children that exactest similarity and in the matter of the published list of emigrants under the name of the father. If the same from the to wit, John William and William, will be listed for the emigrant, a time, children pay for former payment.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., June 12, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Nancy Icklebury et al for enrollment as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

APPEARANCES:

Applicant appears in person.

W. W. Hastings in behalf of Cherokee Nation.

COMMISSIONER: The applicant in this case was notified by registered letter May 31, 1902, to appear before the Commission on or before June 14, 1902, for the purpose of introducing further testimony in the matter of the application of herself for the enrollment of her children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

NANCY ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Nancy.

Q Nancy Icklebury? A Yes, sir.

Q How old are you? A I am 27.

Q What is your postoffice address? A Ocheata.

Q How many children have you? A Five.

Q What is the name of your oldest child by your present husband? A John Stealer.

Q Stealer or Steel? A It's either one I guess.

Q Now which is it; we have got to have one or the other; you said when you made application for enrollment that the name of the children by your first husband was Steel, is that correct? A I reckon it is.

Q Now how do you want these children by your first husband enrolled, under the name of Steel or Stealer? A Stealer I reckon.

Q How many children have you by your present husband? A Two.

Q What is the name of the oldest child by your present husband? A Nellie.

Q About how old is that child? A Two years old.

Q When was it born? A December 3rd.

Q What year? Was it 1900? A I guess, I don't know.

Q When will the child be two years old? A It's gone two years.

Q When will it be three years old? A Three next December.

Q Well then it was born in 1898 wasn't it? A I guess so.

Q Did you ever have a child named Neely by your husband Icklebury, you have only had two children by your husband Icklebury haven't you? A Yes, sir, that's all.

Q What is the name of the second child that you had by him? A Pearl.

Q Is that the child you have in your arms there, is that Pearl? A Yes, sir.

J. C. ICKLEBURY, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Icklebury, J. C. Icklebury.

Q How old are you? A I am - I don't know exact.

Q Well about how old? A About 30 years old.

Q 28 or 29? A 30.

Q What is your postoffice address? A Ocheata.

Q You are the husband of the applicant, are you? A Yes, sir.

Q What is the name of her first husband? A Well all of her folks told me it was Steel and different parties told me Stealer.

Q Do you know which it was? A Well I think Stealer is the right name, because that's what her uncle told me the other day, that it

was Stealer.

Mrs. Icklebury, the applicant, recalled:

COMMISSIONER: Now when you appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville in October, 1900, you stated that you had a child named Neely Icklebury; now was that correct, or did you mean that the child's name was Nellie Icklebury; did you ever have a child named Neely? A No, sir, I never.

Q You have only had two children by this husband? A Yes, sir.

Q And the names of those two children are Nellie and Pearl? A Yes, sir.

Q It was a mistake then when you said that this child's name was Neely, and you meant it should be Nellie, did you? A I reckon so.

Q Now you stated at the time you appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville that the name of the person by your former husband was Steal; you were mistaken were you not, and their correct name is Stealer? A Yes, sir.

Q The correct name is Stealer is it? A Yes, sir.

Q You desire to have them spelled under that name? A Yes, sir.

The applicant's three children by her former husband, to wit, Pearl, William and Nellie, all of whom were born under the name of Stealer, it appears from the original testimony that they are now living. Mrs. Icklebury the applicant of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and the two other children, to wit, Pearl and William, are identified on the Census Roll of 1900 under the name of Stealer.

EX. EXAMINED: What was your mother's name, Icklebury? A Yes, sir. She married Jacob Dick? A Yes, sir.

Arthur G. Croninger, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Arthur G. Croninger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of June, 1901.

J. H. Reuter

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
SUBMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED  
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United States of America,  
Northern District  
of the  
Indian Territory.

Come before me John H. French  
a Notary Public of the said Northern  
District of the Indian Territory.  
J. L. Rogers, after being duly  
Sworn Deposes & says that he was  
acquainted with William Baldrige  
but was commonly called William  
Rogers as a Nick name & his wife  
Lucinda Baldrige. Since the year  
1868 until his death. affiant states  
that he knew that the above named  
Parties lived together as man &  
wife until the death of William  
Baldrige as Rogers, and that two  
girl children was born to them  
during the time of their living  
together, and the said children  
was named Emma & Mary  
Baldrige, and that the said named  
William Baldrige. Will show on the  
old Sitter roll of 1852, and that  
the said Emma & Mary Baldrige  
drawed the old Sitter money of the  
late old Sitter Payment as the  
Heirs of William Baldrige.  
affiant says that the name William  
Rogers was given to William  
Baldrige. from some cause as other



since the late rebellion of 1861.  
and his right name was,  
William Baldrige. affiant deposes  
and says that he does not know  
of the Marriage of William Baldrige  
& his Wif Lucinda. but that he  
as others always knew them as man  
& Wif from & after the year 1868.  
until the Death of William Baldrige.  
affiant states that he is a Physician. that  
they were married under the Common  
Law Marriage. that was the custom of  
the Cherokee Nation at that time 1868.  
and that William Baldrige. was a  
Cherokee by Blood. and that his Wif  
Lucinda. was a White Woman.  
further affiant says that not

Signature of L. Rogers  
Subscribed & sworn to before me  
on this the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1882  
in Collinsville Ind. Perry.

John H. French.  
Notary Public.  
my Com. Expires May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1884.

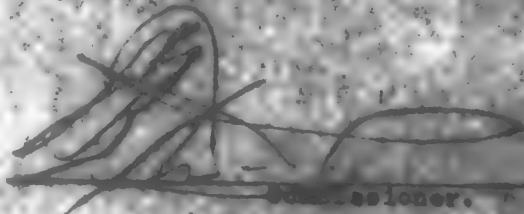
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., JANUARY 20, 1900.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Nancy Ichelbary and her minor children, John, William and Myrtle  
Stealer and Nellie and Pearl Ichelbary, as citizens by blood of the  
Cherokee Nation:

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT.

From an examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee  
Nation, now in possession of the Commission, it appears that the  
applicant, Nancy Ichelbary, is identified upon the 1894 Strip payment  
roll, at page 114, \$1123, Saline District, as Nancy Stealer.

It is ordered that this statement be filed with and made a  
part of the record in this case.



Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Nancy Ickelbury for the enrollment of herself and minor children, John, William and Myrtle Stealer, and Nellie and Pearl Ickelbury, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on October 8, 1900, Nancy Ickelbury appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of herself and minor children, John, William and Myrtle Stealer, and Nellie Ickelbury, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On August 31, 1901, a birth affidavit was filed with the Commission showing the birth of Pearl Ickelbury on August 7, 1901. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Bartlesville, Indian Territory, on October 9, 1900, at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 1 and June 13, 1902, and at Dewey, Indian Territory, on October 17, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Nancy Ickelbury is the daughter of Lucinda Dick, a white woman, by her former husband, William Rogers, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. It appears from the evidence that the said William Rogers died in 1877 and before the 1880 roll was made; but the evidence shows that the said William Rogers was a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence further shows that the said John, William and Myrtle Stealer and Nellie and Pearl Ickelbury are all the minor children of the said Nancy Ickelbury, and that the said Nancy Ickelbury is identified on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation, with her sister, Emma Rogers, under the name of Hanna Rogers. She is also identified on the 1894 Strip payment roll and the 1896 census roll of said nation. The said John and William Stealer are identified on the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation, and the said Myrtle Stealer, Nellie Ickelbury and Pearl Ickelbury are duly identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

The evidence further shows that the applicant, Nancy Ickelbury, was born in the Cherokee Nation and has resided therein continuously up to and including June 28, 1898; and the residence of all the minor children, applicants herein, is considered to be the same as that of their mother, the said Nancy Ickelbury.

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It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Nancy Ickelbury, John Stealer, William Stealer, Myrtle Stealer, Nellie Ickelbury and Pearl Ickelbury should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section Twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903

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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
THOMAS BIRDY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRACKENRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLERWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory.....February 4th, 1902

Mrs. Mable Cooper,

Frye, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of.....yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 20th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Copy to Jesse Hill,  
Tulsa, I.T.  
Charles D. Hill  
Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

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COMMISSIONERS:  
HENRY L. DAVIS,  
TAMM BERRY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRICKNIDGE.

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SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

February 18, 1902.

Mrs. Nancy Icklebury,

Okmulgee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and five minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the first day of March, 1902,

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with birth affidavit for Myrtle Steele, Miss Nellie and Pearl Icklebury.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-543  
Register.

Acting Chairman.

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Commissioner in Charge.

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Waskagee, I. T., May 31, 1902.

Mrs. Nancy Takelbury,  
Gehalata, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are requested to appear before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes at its office in Waskagee, Indian Territory, on or before June 14, 1902, and give such testimony in the matter of the application of yourself and children for enrollment as will be deemed necessary.

You are reminded that your prompt compliance with this request will expedite the final consideration of the application of yourself and children.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Register

In reply, please to  
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Washburn, I. T., June 24, 1900.

Mrs. Mary Johnson,

Okemah, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of yourself and children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, it is that in order to complete your case, it will be necessary for you to furnish the Commission with proof of the marriage of your parents.

The Commission is informed that your mother resides in the same town with yourself, and you are desirous to communicate with her and secure an affidavit signed by your mother and two witnesses, showing that at the time of your birth she was the wife of your father William Rogers. Also show from said affidavit the citizenship of said William Rogers, together with your mother's. This evidence is important in the disposition of your case, and your prompt attention to it is desired.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

I inclose

Return in postal envelope

Register



Cherokee Nation

Hastings, Indian Territory, Nov. 2, 1904.

V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1904, granting the application of Nancy Leabury for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, John, William and Myrtle Stealer and Nellie and Pearl Leabury, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

W. W. Hastings.

Chairman

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Cherokee Division

Indian Territory, January 14, 1906

Philip C. Ransom,

Clerk in Charge of the Cherokee Land Office,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Nancy Ickelberry, et al., as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation,  
Cherokee D-843, you are requested to cause an examination to be made  
of the Cherokee tribal rolls with a view of identifying the person  
applicant, Nancy Ickelberry, on such rolls, other than the long census  
rolls, and to report the result of such examination to the Cherokee  
Enrollment Division.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman,

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Cherokee Land Office,  
Vinita, I. T.,  
Jan. 16, 1903.

Ack. receipt of Com's.  
letter requesting that Cherokee  
tribal rolls be examined  
with a view to identifying  
Nancy Ickelburry, et al.,  
thereon. None are found on  
any roll except principal  
applicant on 1894 roll.

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
THOMAS BLIST,  
THOMAS B. HEDGECOCK,  
C. B. BOWENHIDE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee D 543

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Vinita, Indian Territory, January 16, 1903.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the Commission's letter of January 10, requesting that an examination be made of the Cherokee tribal rolls in this office with a view to identifying Nancy Ickelburry, and other applicants embraced in Cherokee D 543, upon rolls other than the 1896 roll.

In reply I beg to state that the 1880 authenticated roll, the 1883 roll, the 1886 roll and the 1890 roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation have been examined and none of the applicants in this case are identified thereon. Nancy Ickelburry is identified upon the 1894 pay roll at page 114, #1123, Saline District, as Nancy Stealer. None of the other applicants are identified upon this roll.

Respectfully,

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Clerk in Charge.

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Cherokee Nation

Wahpeton, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

V. U. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Nancy Echolsbury for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, John, William and Myrtle Stealer and Nellie and Pearl Echolsbury, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

John D. Smith

Chairman.

Enc. 2-1100



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Wapagoo, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Nancy Ickelbury,

Ochelata, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your five minor children, John, William and Myrtle Stealer and Nellie and Pearl Ickelbury, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tams Pixby.  
Chairman.

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Caldonia C. Taylor

Trans. from D487



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Claremore, I.T., October 24, 1900.

In the matter of the application of John R. Taylor for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens, being sworn and examined by Commissioner of Breckinridge he testified as follows:

- Q What is your full name? A John R. Taylor.  
Q How old are you? A 35.  
Q What is your post-office? A Colagah.  
Q In what district do you live? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Who is it you want to enroll, yourself and family? A Yes.  
Q Have you a wife? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children have you? A 7.  
Q All of them under 21 years of age? A One is 21.  
Com'r: He should apply for himself.  
Q You have six under 21? A Yes sir.  
Q These six are all unmarried? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A No sir.  
Q Is your wife a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Let me see your marriage license and certificate.  
A (Produces papers)  
Q You have been married twice? A Yes sir, to the same woman though.  
Com'r: The applicant presents a license issued by the clerk of Cooweescoowee District April 26 1894, authorizing marriage between himself and wife, and the certificate shows that they were married on the same date by the mayor of Colagah; this is all herewith.  
Q How you had previously been married to your wife under United States law? A Yes sir.  
Q When? A On the 14th day of January 1872.  
Q You and your wife lived together ever since you were married to her in 1872? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived with her in the Cherokee Nation ever since you were married to her in 1894 under the Cherokee law? A Yes sir, and a good many years before.  
Q You are not on the roll of 1894? A No sir.  
Q Neither is your wife? A No sir.  
Q What is your wife's full name? A Galdonia C.  
Q How old is your wife? A I think about 43.  
Q How long has she lived in the Cherokee Nation? A About 12 years the last time.  
Q You were admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Council or Commission? A Yes sir, both of them.  
Q Have you a certificate or any official evidence of the fact? A Yes sir (Produces papers)  
Com'r: The applicant presents an official copy of an act of the Cherokee Council a proved September 28 1893 commanding that an entry on the certificate of citizenship of Galdonia C. Taylor be made, noting her as dead, be corrected, and that the reason why she is now living, this is recognized as official evidence of her recognition by the Cherokee Council at the time stated; it is all herewith. It further requires that the name of John Mayfield who is now stated as dead, be stricken from the record.  
Q Now have you and your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since 1893? A Yes sir.  
Q Give us the names of your children? A Gussie Belle, she is 18 years old;  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Della Lee.  
Q How old is that child? A 11 years old.  
Q How the next child? A Jack.  
Q How old is Jack? A 9



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Q Now the next child? A Mattie.  
 Q How old is Mattie? A 7.  
 Q Next child? A Maggie.  
 Q How old is Maggie? A 4.  
 Q Next child? A George.  
 Q How old is he? A 2.  
 Q These children are all living are they? A Yes sir.  
 1896 roll page 327 #1038 John R. Taylor Cooweescoowee, white;  
 1896 roll page 272 #4912 " " C. Taylor  
 1896 roll page 272 #4914 " " " Taylor  
 1896 roll page 272 #4916 " " " Taylor  
 1896 roll page 272 #4917 Jack Taylor  
 1896 roll page 272 #4918 Mattie Taylor  
 1896 roll page 272 #4919 Maggie Taylor  
 Q Were you ever married except to your present wife? A No sir.  
 Q Was she ever married except to you? A No sir.

Com'r Breckinridge: The applicant applies for the enrolment of himself, his wife and 6 children; he has presented an official copy of an act of the Cherokee Council approved November 2, 1894, showing that a certificate of citizenship has been issued to his wife by the Commission on citizenship, and correcting an error stated in the act to have been that certificate of citizenship; the applicant further shows on the license and certificate herewith that he was married to his Cherokee wife in accordance with Cherokee law in April, 1894; they have lived together since 1894, and prior thereto in the Cherokee Nation, and both applicant and his Cherokee wife are identified on the roll of 1894; the applicant's children applied for are all minors at this time, ordinarily there would be no question of the existence of a certificate of citizenship which is certified to officially by action of the Council of the Cherokee Nation, but the name of the applicant's wife does not appear upon the printed roll of persons admitted to citizenship in the possession of the Cherokee representation present, and that allege that there is a possibility of error in the copy filed with this case of the act of the Cherokee Council, to await an official copy of the certificate of citizenship, claimed by the applicant for his wife, and requesting the applicant referred to by the copy of the act of council filed herewith, the applicant himself will now be listed upon a doubtful card as a Cherokee by intermarriage; his wife as a Cherokee by blood, and all six of the children as Cherokees by blood, it being required of the applicant to supply the Commission with a certificate of birth of the youngest child, George D. Taylor, who is too young to be upon any roll.

D. Green, being first duly sworn, stated that as stenographer to the Commission on the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly reported the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Oct. 1900.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner



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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Name John R. Taylor Date OCT 24 1900 1900.  
 District COOWEESCOOWEE. Year 1896 Page 327 No. 1058  
 Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Yes  
 Intermarried citizen Yes  
 Married under what law Adopted Date of marriage (1872) (1894)

License Filed Certificate Filed  
 Wife's name Ardonia B. Taylor nee Mayfield  
 District COOWEESCOOWEE. Year 1896 Page 272 No. 4912  
 Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Admitted 1893  
 Intermarried citizen Yes  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
 License Filed OCT 24 1900 Certificate Filed OCT 24 1900

Names of Children:  
 3 Lessie B Taylor Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 272 No. 4914 Age 15  
 4 Delta L " Dist. " Year " Page 272 No. 4916 Age 11  
 5 Jack " Dist. " Year " Page 272 No. 4917 Age 9  
 6 Matthie " Dist. " Year " Page 272 No. 4918 Age 7  
 7 Maggie " Dist. " Year " Page 272 No. 4919 Age 4  
 8 George D. " Dist. \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age 2  
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Affidavit to be supplied  
 Marriage license & cert. and other papers attached.  
 Cert. of admission to be supplied.

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.

Commissioner District.

I Sam L. Price a Mayor, Oolagah city  
 hereby certify that on the 28th day of April 1894, I joined in  
 Marriage, Mr. J. R. Taylor a citizen of the United States, and  
 Mrs. L. E. Taylor married a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable  
 to the authority given in the within License and the custom and laws of the Cherokee  
 Nation.

Given under my hand this the 28th day of April,  
A. D., 1894  
Sam L. Price

Mayor town of Oolagah

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 ACTING CHAIRMAN.

For M. Taylor  
Commissioner District  
of Cherokee Nation  
in Book 3

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.

Cooweescoowee District.

I, Daniel C. Price a Mayor, Polk County  
do hereby certify that on the 28th day of April 1894, I joined in

Marriage, Mr. J. R. Taylor  
Mrs. C. E. Taylor & was licensed a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable  
to the authority given in the within License and the custom and laws of the Cherokee  
Nation.

Given under my hand this the 28th day of Apr.

A. D., 1894

Daniel C. Price

Mayor town of Polk County

Number on page  
285. in Book (15)  
Records of marriage  
of Cooweescoowee District.

J. M. Latta  
Cooweescoowee District  
Clerk

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CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.

Conweesconwee District.

I Dani C. Price a Mayor, Polazah city  
 hereby certify that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1894, I joined in  
 Marriage, Mr. J. R. Taylor a citizen of the United States, and  
Mrs. C. E. Taylor may filed a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable  
 to the authority given in the within License and the custom and laws of the Cherokee  
 Nation.

Given under my hand this the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Apr.  
Daniel C. Price  
 A. D., 1894

Mayor town of Polazah  
255 in Book B  
Record of Marriage  
of Conweesconwee Dist  
for the day  
of  
Conweesconwee District

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# MARRIAGE LICENSE.

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.

Cooweescoowee District.

To Any Person Legally Authorized to Solemnize Marriage---Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony, and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage, between Mr. *J. R. Taylor*  
a citizen of the United States, and Mrs. *Gessie E. Taylor (nee Mayfield)*  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the usual custom and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this License to me, for record, within thirty days from the celebration of such Marriage with a Certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this the *28<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*April*

A. D., 1894

*Jos. M. Zahay*  
Clerk Cooweescoowee District.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL

Be it Enacted by the National  
Council

That the error standing  
against Caladonia C. Taylor  
Nee Mayfield as dead on her  
Certificate of citizenship as  
issued by the Com on citizenship  
be corrected, and that the records  
show she is now living and  
the name of John Mayfield  
who is dead be stricken from  
the records

Passed the Senate Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> 1892  
C. W. Willey      Robt. A. Ross  
Clk. Senate      Pres Senate pro tem  
concurred in by the Council  
Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1892.

J. H. Dick      Bird Jones  
Clk of Council      Speaker of Council  
Approved Nov 28<sup>th</sup> 1892

C. J. Harris  
Principal Clerk  
Executive Department

Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1896

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a  
true copy of the original bill taken  
from this office

William Arnold

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*[Signature]*

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COMMISSIONER

APPROVED, OCT 24 1900

Nation

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*George D. Taylor*

INFANT CHILD

(1) Application for Enrollment of

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Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

George D Taylor

as a citizen of the

Cherokee Nation.

Approved OCT 24 1900 190

*Charles*  
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of George D Taylor, born on the 13 day of May, 1898  
(here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: J. R. Taylor, a citizen of the United States Nation.  
Name of Mother: Caldonia C Taylor, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Colagah, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northern DISTRICT.

I, Caldonia C Taylor, on oath state that I am Fortythree  
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of J. R. Taylor, who is a citizen, by  
Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 13 day of May, 1898; that said child has been  
named George D Taylor, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

Caldonia C Taylor

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Oct, 1902.

Com. 15-1904

R. K. Warren  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northern DISTRICT.

I, G. W. Bennett, a Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Caldonia C Taylor, wife of J. R. Taylor,  
on the 13 day of May, 1898; that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named George D Taylor.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

G. W. Bennett M. D.

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Oct, 1902.

Com. 15-1904

R. K. Warren  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

1867  
30th day of October 1800

Assistant Executive Secretary.

Charles Nelson.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the  
thirtieth day of October 1800.

and besides admission to citizenship that said record has been  
Cherokee Nation and all the rights on said record concerning the  
a copy from the record of the Cherokee Commission of the

Cherokee Nation do hereby  
the foregoing is a true and

I, D. W. A. V. ...  
Executive Secretary of the

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Executive Office Cherokee  
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Office Commission on Citizenship Tahlequah, Ind. Ter. Oct. 2nd 1897.  
Docket No Names sex Post Office Attorney.  
Caldonia C. Rogers 23 Female Missouri,

Boudinot and  
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*Reported Dead.*

Applicant for  
Cherokee Citizenship.  
Ancestor, Susan Bracket.

Vs. Census Rolls 1895 to 1852.  
Cherokee Nation.

The evidence in the above case is filed with  
John Thomas Mayfield. The applicant is reported  
dead. (dead.)  
This Oct. 5th 1899

Attest  
D.S. Williams,  
Asst. Clk. Com.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation,  
Tahlequah, I.T.

I.B.W. Albany, assistant Executive Secretary of the  
Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy  
taken from the record of the Citizenship Commission of the  
Cherokee Nation and all there is on said record concerning the  
said parties admission to citizenship; that said record has been  
filed in this Office by law and is in my custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the  
30th day of October 1900.

*B. W. Albany*  
Assistant Executive secretary.  
Cherokee Nation.

Excerpted and sworn to before me this October 28th, 1905.

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1. O. Rosson, being duly sworn, states that as aforesaid is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic record of the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the report to the Commission by the said David Tripp is correctly

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the Cherokee Nation, existing to me citizenship. The same will  
generally, a office of the Cherokee Nation, under the seal of  
with the Commission's authority from the Assistant Executive  
Cov. I. Needles: The gov. comply the objection and file

Mr. HATHORN & CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

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Supl. C.-D. #587.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON, D.C., OCTOBER 28th, 1901.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the enrollment of  
John R. Taylor, et al., as Cherokee citizens:

Appearances:

Applicant present in person;  
Mr. Hastings for Cherokee Nation.

Com'r Needles: This day came the applicant and files  
with the Commission a certificate from the Assistant Executive  
Secretary's office of the Cherokee Nation, under the seal of  
the Cherokee Nation, relating to his citizenship. The same will  
be filed with the papers in his case.

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J. O. Rossen, being first duly sworn, states that as  
rapier to the Commission to the five civilized Tribes he  
recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and  
foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic  
notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this October 28th, 1901.

Commissioner.



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March, 1908, together in person. Jeter and the subject in the early part of March, 1908. Subject has been acknowledged of the Commission at its office in Moscow, Russian territory on the 17th day of March, 1908, and for that consideration by the Commission himself, at the same time as citizens of the Chinese Nation February 12, 1908, that his application for the enrollment of his children in the Chinese Nation was accepted and his children were enrolled.

and children in other cases.

Substitution of John R. Taylor for the enrolment of himself, wife and children in testimony and proceedings in the matter of the

MURDOCH, I. L., MARCH 1, 1905.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 7, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of John R. Taylor for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Applicant in person;

W. V. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 17, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory on the 7th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 7th day of March, 1902, appears in person.

JOHN R. TAYLOR, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A J. R. Taylor.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Oolagah.  
Q Are you an applicant before the Commission for the enrollment of yourself wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Caldonia C.  
Q Has she been living in the Cherokee Nation continuously since her admission to citizenship? A She has been there except about 5 months, we went to Colorado; on a trip in a wagon to Colorado.  
Q She has never been out only that one time.  
Q Is she living here now? A Yes sir.  
Q Your wife is living at this time? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived here continuously since you married in 1824?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You living in the Cherokee Nation at the present time? A Right at Oolagah, ever since.  
Q Your children are all living in the Cherokee Nation at this time?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is there any statement you desire to make relative to the enrollment of yourself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A I don't know as there is any but what I have made.  
Q Do you submit the case to the Commission for final consideration?  
A I submit the case, yes sir.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant and the representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case, same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now of record.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*M. D. Green*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of John R. Taylor as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Caldonia C. Taylor, and his six minor children, Gussie B., Delta L., Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George D. Taylor, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on October 24, 1900, John R. Taylor appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Caldonia C. Taylor, and his six minor children, Gussie B., Delta L., Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George D. Taylor, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Vinita, Indian Territory, on October 26, 1901, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 7, 1902. A death affidavit was filed with this Commission on October 17, 1902, wherein it is shown that John R. Taylor (J. R. Taylor) died on May 6, 1902.

The evidence shows that John R. Taylor was married to his wife, Caldonia C. Taylor, under United States law, on January 24, 1872, and that he was again married to her on April 28, 1894, under authority of a Cherokee marriage license. It further appears that on October 23, 1887, there was pending before the Cherokee Commission on Citizenship, the application of Caldonia C. Taylor for admission to Cherokee citizenship; that before action was had on said application she was reported dead, and that the ancestor through whom she claimed citizenship was Susan Brackett. The evidence in her case was filed with the case of John Thomas Mayfield. It appears from the records of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of this Commission, that John Thomas Mayfield was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation on September 6, 1889, by a Cherokee Commission on Citizenship, and that his ancestor through whom he claimed citizenship was Susan Brackett. It further appears that by an Act of the National Council of the Cherokee Nation, approved December 23, 1893, the record of the Commission on Citizenship, in the case of Caldonia C. Taylor, was corrected to show that she was living at the date of the passage of the act. While the act of the National Council above referred to does not admit Caldonia

C. Taylor to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, it is persuasive of the view that she was a recognized citizen at that time.

John R. Taylor and his wife, Caldonia C. Taylor, are identified on the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation, and have resided in the Nation eleven years next preceding the application herein. The minor children, Gussie B., Delta L., Jack, Mattie and Maggie Taylor, are identified on the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation. The minor child, George D. Taylor, is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of the record herein. The residence of the children herein applied for must necessarily be the same as that of their parents.

It further appears that all those for whom application is here made were residents of the Cherokee Nation at the date of the application herein.

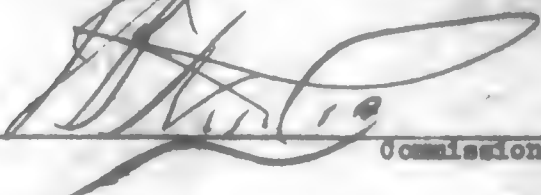
The evidence further shows by an affidavit of death executed by Caldonia C. Taylor, that her husband, J. R. Taylor (John R. Taylor), died on May 8, 1902. Said affidavit is made a part of the record herein.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Caldonia C. Taylor, Gussie B. Taylor, Delta L. Taylor, Jack Taylor, Mattie Taylor, Maggie Taylor and George D. Taylor should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

It is further ordered by this Commission that the application for the enrollment of John R. Taylor as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR-2 1902



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE.  
Tahlequah, I. T., November 28, 1904.

In the matter of the application of Caldonia C. Taylor for the enrollment of herself and children, Gussie B., Dallas Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George B. Taylor as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY.

Gussie B. Kerr, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Gussie B. Kerr.  
Q How old are you? A 19.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Oolagah.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes'm.  
Q Have you married since you were enrolled? A Yes'm.  
Q What is the name of your husband? A Robert Kerr.  
Q Is he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A No.  
Q When were you married? A April 17, 1904.  
Q Are you and he living together now? A Yes'm.

I, May Hudson, state upon oath that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the supplemental testimony in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*May Hudson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of November, 1904.

*Samuel L. Linn*  
Notary Public.



JOR

Cherokee 10191.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE.  
Tahlequah, I. T., February 17, 1905.

In the matter of the application of Caldonia C. Taylor for the enrollment of herself and children, Gussie B., Delta L., Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George D. Taylor, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

CAIDONIA C. HARDIN, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:--

- Q What is your name? A Caldonia C. Hardin; it was Taylor.  
Q How old are you? A 47.  
Q What is your post-office? A Oolagah.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you formerly the wife of John R. Taylor? A Yes sir.  
Q He's dead? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you married since he died? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your husband? A Joe Hardin.  
Q Is he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir, he's a white man.  
Q When were you married? A We was married two years ago the 18th of October.  
Q You and he are living together now? A Yes sir.  
Q Are all of your children living? A These five; my two oldest have died.  
Q Have you children named Gussie B., Delta L., A Yes sir.  
Q Jack? A Yes sir.  
Q Mattie? A Yes sir.  
Q Maggie? A Yes sir.  
Q George D.? A Yes sir.  
Q Are they all living? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the sex of Delta L.? A Boy.

Joe Chambers, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony in this case and that the above and foregoing is a true and complete copy of his stenographic notes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 17th day of February, 1905.

Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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*[Signature]*

COMMISSIONERS:  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM DIXIE.  
THOMAS B. HESLER.  
C. R. BARNETT-RIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 17, 1902.

Mr. John R. Taylor,

Delaware, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and six minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the seventh day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Chief Clerk-667  
Register.

Commissioner in Charge.

Cherokee B-687.

Wastagee, Indian Territory, September 30, 1908.

Waldonia B. Taylor,

Colagah, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

The Commission is informed that John B. Taylor, who was an applicant before this Commission on October 24, 1900, for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, has died since the date of such application.

There is enclosed you herewith a blank form of affidavit, and if this information is correct, you are requested to have the affidavit properly executed and return to the Commission as promptly as possible, in order that the death of John B. Taylor may be shown upon the Commission's records.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. 1-cc.



Cherokee 687.

Tuskegee, Indian Territory, October 1, 1902.

Callie E. Taylor,

Oologah, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

The Commission is in receipt of an affidavit showing the death on May 8, 1902, of your husband, John R. Taylor, heretofore an applicant for enrollment by this Commission as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The same is herewith returned to you, and you are requested to have the following corrections made therein: The name of your husband should appear in the affidavit made by W. D. Mitchell, as John R. Taylor, instead of J. R. Taylor. It also appears that the commission of the Notary before whom these affidavits were executed had expired on May 8, 1902.

You are requested to execute new affidavits before some Notary Public duly authorized to act and have him attach thereto his notarial seal.

Please give this matter your earliest attention.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc.-P-41



Cherokee D-123

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 13, 1902.

Caledonia G. Taylor,

Calagah, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:-

The affidavit, which you sent showing the death, on May 6, 1902, of your husband, John H. Taylor, heretofore an applicant for enrollment by this Commission as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, is herewith returned to you and you are requested to have same corrected so that your name will appear therein as Caledonia G. Taylor instead of Callie G. Taylor. Your name appears upon the Commission's records as Caledonia G. Taylor.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

Enc. N-171

Winnipeg, January 22, 1900.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

On the list of Cherokee names sent for your  
testimony, transmitted with the Commission's report, the

following note appears opposite Cherokee 2-387, John J. [?]  
[?] ready to write when death affidavit is returned to the [?]

The death affidavit referred to in this note is enclosed  
herewith.

Respectfully,

Clark A. Chalmers.

Encl. P.V.

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COPY.

Cherokee Nation

Waskiego, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Winita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John R. Taylor for the enrollment of his wife, Caldonia C. Taylor, and his six minor children, Cassie R., Delta L., Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George R. Taylor, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by inter-marriage of said Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicants. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. No. 100

Cherokee D-667

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1906

Caldonia C. Taylor,

Oologah, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1906, granting the application of your husband, John R. Taylor, for the enrollment of yourself and your six minor children, Eunice B., Malta L., Jack, Mattie, Maggie and George D. Taylor, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of said Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tamie Dixby.*

Chairman.

Enc. B-4.

Register.



Tahlequah, Indian Territory, March 22, 1908.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:-

Referring to Schedule No. 24 of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, heretofore approved by the Department, the Commission has the honor to report that the son of Belva L. Taylor, appearing thereon opposite No. 27902, should be changed from a female to a male.

On February 17, 1908, Galdania C. Hardin, formerly Galdania C. Taylor, appeared before the Commission and testified, in connection with her application for the selection of allotments of land in the Cherokee Nation for herself and minor children, that her child, Belva L., is a male instead of a female as reported by the Commission. A copy of said testimony is enclosed herewith.

The Commission, therefore, respectfully recommends that the copies of this schedule retained by the Department and in the office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs be amended so that the son of Belva L. Taylor, appearing opposite No. 27902, will appear as a male instead of a female; that is



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF  
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DATE: [Illegible]

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON, May 15, 1906.

Refer in reply  
to the following:  
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The Honorable

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is enclosed a report from the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 31, 1906, from which it appears that the letter in the sex column opposite name of Delta L. Taylor, No. 27,903, approved roll of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, should be changed from "F" to "M".

A copy of the testimony of Galdania G. Hardin, transmitted by the Commission, shows that Delta L. Taylor is a boy, Galdania G. Hardin is his mother.

It is recommended that the Department correct its roll and that this Office and the Commission be authorized to correct their rolls accordingly.

Very respectfully,

G. F. Lawrence,

Acting Commissioner.

(G.A.W.) P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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I. T. D. 25044-25045.

WASHINGTON, May 15, 1906.

I. T. D.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

March 21, 1906, you recommended that the approved schedule No. 26 of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, be changed so that the son of Delta L. Taylor, opposite No. 27002 thereon, will appear as male instead of female, it appearing from the testimony of the mother of said person taken February 17, 1906, that such change is necessary.

Reporting May 15, 1906, the Indian Office concurs in your recommendation. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

The Department has made such change on the schedule in its possession, and has requested the Indian Office to do the same. You are authorized to make such change upon the proper schedule in your possession.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Theo. Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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June 1, 1901.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 1, 1901.

Commissioner in Charge,  
Cherokee Land Office,  
Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There are herewith inclosed copies of Departmental letter of May 18, 1900, granting authority to correct schedule of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation so that the sex of Delta L. Taylor, opposite No. 27902 thereon, will appear as male instead of female.

The correction has been made upon the copy of the schedule in this Office and you are requested to change, in the same particular, the copy in your Office.

Respectfully,

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Yours truly,  
James E. Birney,  
Chairman.

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Elizabeth J. McClain

Trans. from Dyer



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the "contingent" office system. The bill is intended to operate the first judgment to recognize the bill permitted to recognize the subsequent bill be placed on what is known as a "contingent" and upon the basis for the further consideration of the committee and upon the section to establish a principle upon the bill and subsequent law.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Claremore, I. T. October, 27th 1900.

In the matter of the application of Elizabeth J. McGlain for the enrollment of herself and two children as Cherokee citizens. She being sworn testified before the Commission as follows:

- Q What is your full name? A. Elizabeth J. McGlain.  
Q How old are you? A. 24.  
Q What is your post office address? A. Claremore.  
Q Do you make application for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood? A. I am a citizen by adoption.  
Q Do you make application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage?  
A. Yes sir, if they take me in, I was married in 1891.  
Q What district do you live in? A. Gocoocoocooco.  
Q How long have you lived in this district? A. 6 years.  
Q Where were you living before that time? A. Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A. All my life.  
Q Have you been outside of the Cherokee Nation during the last three years? A. No sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A. Thomas McGlain.  
Q Is he living or dead? A. Dead.  
Q Is he a white man? A. Yes sir, a white man.  
Q What is your mother's name? A. Sarah.  
Q Is she living or dead? A. Living.  
Q Is she a white woman? A. Yes sir.  
Q Your parents never claimed to be citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A. No sir.  
Q Are you married? A. Divorced.  
Q What is the name of your former husband? A. Just had one husband.  
Q Tell what was his name? A. McGlain.  
Q Was it John or Jim or what? A. His name is James McGlain.  
Q Is he living? A. Yes sir.  
Q Is he a Cherokee or white man? A. Cherokee.  
Q How old is he? A. About 40.  
Q What district does he live in? A. This district, Gocoocoocooco.  
Q Was he born and raised in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A. In 1891.  
Q Where were you living at the time of your marriage? A. In Canadian district.  
Q Were you married according to the laws and customs of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir I married the way they said was right.  
Q Have you any evidence of your marriage with James McGlain? A. Yes sir I guess that is evidence. (Applicant here hands Commissioner a paper) Q. This is all you have? A. Yes sir.  
Applicant presents marriage license authorizing the marriage of James McGlain to Elizabeth J. McGlain, issued on the 11th of May 1891 by William Nelson Clerk of the United States Court for the Eastern District of the Indian Territory. And a certificate showing that said marriage was performed by the Rev. Geo. V. Adkins a Minister of the Gospel on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1891. License and certificate is filed herewith.  
Q How long did you live with your husband? A. 7 or 8 years.  
Q Were you not living with him at the present time are you? A. No sir.  
Q Are you divorced from him? A. Yes sir.  
Q Did you secure a divorce or did he? A. I secured it.  
Q Did you bring the suit for divorce? A. Yes sir.  
Q Where were you living when the divorce was granted? A. Home.  
Q Was it granted by the Tribal Courts of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.  
Q Have you any evidence of your divorce from him? A. Here it is.  
Q This suit was brought in the United States Court instead of the tribal courts was it? A. Brought in the Courts that they said was the only one that was allowed to be used.

Applicant presents certified copy of a decree granting her a divorce from James McGlain on the 26th of May 1893, in which she is also granted

the custody of the minor children. The same is filed herewith.

By Cherokee Representative Bough:

Q What was the cause of the separation between you and your husband?  
A I don't know as I have to answer that. Here is some paper. We  
didn't get along and he didn't treat me right.

By the Commission:

Q In what way did he mistreat you? A. Lots of ways.  
Q Was he cruel in his treatment towards you? A. Yes sir.  
Q In what way was he cruel. Did he ever strike you? A. Yes sir.

By Mr. Bough:

Q Did your husband abandon you? A. Yes sir.  
Q Did he deliberately get up and go off and quit you without any  
cause? A. I just quit living with him he abused me so I couldn't  
live with him.  
Q Did you stay at the place where he was living? A. I staid with  
my children.  
Q Didn't you take a gun and run him off? A. No, he tried to kill me.  
Q Is it not a fact that you told him to get up and leave the place?  
A. No sir.  
Q Did you tell him that you would not live with him any long er? A.  
Yes sir I refused to live with him.

By the Commission:

Q Who are the children now when you make application, Sir? A. They  
are my children.  
Q What is the oldest child's name? A. Mattie James.  
Q How old is this child? A. 8 years.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A. Sarah E.  
Q How old is Sarah? A. 5 years old.  
Q Have you any other children? A. No sir.  
Q Are these children both alive and living with you at this time?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q Has your husband ever given you any money since your divorce to  
support these children? A. No sir.  
Q Do you know what your husband's father's name was? A. No sir.  
Q Did your husband have any brothers? A. James McClain.

1890 roll, page 54, No. 942, Jas. McClain, Christian Nat. I. S.

1890 roll, page 54, No. 204, Jas. McClain, Commissioner  
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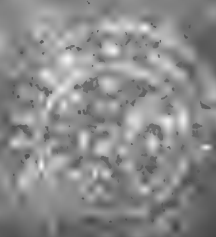
The applicant applied for the enrollment of herself and two children.  
She is identified on the census roll of 1890 as an adopted white.  
She has lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life. She produces  
satisfactory evidence of her marriage on the 11th of May 1881. She  
avows that she separated from her husband in 1890. She secured a  
divorce in the United States Court for the Northern District of the  
Indian Territory from her husband James McClain and was also given  
the custody of her two children. Attention is called to Section  
657 of the compiled laws of the Cherokee Nation of the year 1882,  
which reads as follows: " Every person who shall lawfully marry  
under the provisions of this act and afterwards abandon his wife  
shall thereby forfeit every right and privilege of citizenship in  
this Nation."

Joseph J. McGowan S.

Given, read and signed before me this 20th day of October, 1900.  
Witness my hand and seal of office this 20th day of October, 1900.  
Notary Public for the State of New York.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1900.

Henry P. ...



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ACTING CHAIRMAN.



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Date 1896 1900.

Name Clarence

District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 314 No. 623

Citizen by blood no Mother's citizenship no

Intermarried citizen no

Married under what law no Date of marriage no

Licenses no Certificate no

Wife's name Elizabeth J. McElain

District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 314 No. 623

Citizen by blood no Mother's citizenship no

Intermarried citizen yes

Married under what law no Date of marriage no

Licenses no Certificate no

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Lizzie McElain

OTISBORO, I. T., October 22nd, 1880.  
COMMISSIONER to the State GRATTAN, Esq.  
Department of the Interior.

the employees of the company.

Department of the Interior  
Geological Survey  
Chattanooga, Tenn., January 3, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Elizabeth J. McClain  
for divorce from her husband, James W. McClain.  
That is your name? A Yes, sir.  
What is your name? A Elizabeth J. McClain.  
You are the wife of James W. McClain?  
And you are the wife of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

J. W. McClain is a member of the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Are you acquainted with the Elizabeth J. McClain?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A She don't bear any name.  
Q How long have you known her? A My wife does.  
Q Are you now separated at the present time? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you been separated? A Two years both of January,  
this coming.  
Q What was the cause of that separation? A There wasn't any  
as far as I can see; we were talking about it and she  
and began talking. But she had her mother always with her and  
couldn't do anything herself.  
Q Did she abandon you or did you abandon her? A I don't know.  
We came down to town, and I went back to come to stay. She  
said she didn't want me there; she said I couldn't stay.  
Q How long has been such a thing said that she won't stay with  
you? A I don't know; I went by there and over and over  
to a man, he had my gun, she come rushing out and I went  
to have my gun back. She shot a shot; I don't know whether  
she shot at me or not.  
Q Did you go back after that? A No, sir.  
Q Do you think it was dangerous to go back? A I know it was.  
Q Did she actually refuse to live with you afterwards? A Yes,  
she said she didn't want me; she said she had no use for me.  
Q How much you for divorce? A Yes, sir.  
Q You didn't appear before the Court? A No, sir.  
Q What was the cause of that? A I wouldn't bother me one for a  
divorce.  
Q You would simply give it to her? A I would simply give it to  
her.  
Q At the same time she deliberately run you off from the place?  
A Yes.

The Cherokee Nation claims through its attorneys that the said  
Elizabeth J. McClain abandoned her husband, James W. McClain, and  
thereby forfeited her rights under Section 607 of the Cherokee  
Constitution of 1842, and thereby lost her right to  
divorcement.

E. O. McPherson, being duly sworn, states that on the 21st day of  
the month of January, 1900, he was present at the trial of the  
above case in the above court, and that the testimony of the  
above witness was complete and correct.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1900.

Notary Public.

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# CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.



United States of America,

INDIAN TERRITORY

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Judicial Division

I, WILLIAM NELSON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office and duly recorded the *2* day of *July* A. D. 189*1*, at *9* o'clock *9* M. in Book *"A" of Marriage Record*

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Witness my hand and seal of said Court at *Merger* in said Territory.

this *2* day of *July* A. D. 189*1*

*Wm Nelson*

Clerk.

By

Deputy.

Phoenix Print.



# MARRIAGE LICENSE

United States of America,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,

*First*

Judicial Division,

ss.

To any Person Authorized by Law to  
Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of  
Matrimony between Mr. *James McElain* of *Muscogee*  
in the *Indian Territory* aged *25* years, and  
*Miss Figgie J. Kennedy* of *Muscogee* in the  
*Indian Territory* aged *15* years, according  
to law you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

Witness my hand and Official Seal, this

day of

*May*

A. D. 1891

*Wm McElain*

Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By

*W. Chas. Selford*

Deputy.

## Certificate of Marriage.

United States of America,

INDIAN TERRITORY,

*1st*

Judicial Division,

I,

*Geo W. Atkins*

Minister of the

*Methodist Episcopal*

We hereby Certify, that on the *11th* day of *May* A. D. 1891  
I did duly, and according to law, as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and  
publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this

*11*

day of

*May*

A. D. 1891.

My credentials are recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory,

*1st*

Judicial Division, Book

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*Geo W. Atkins*

Minister of the Gospel

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

United States of America  
Indian Territory  
Northern District }

I, Chas. A. Davidson  
Clerk of the United States  
Court in and for the Northern  
District of the Indian Territory  
hereby Certify, that in the  
Case of Lizzie J. McClain Pff  
against James McClain Dft  
# 204. Complaint was filed  
in this Court on the 4<sup>th</sup> day  
of February 1898. That the  
answer to the Complaint  
in said Case was filed on  
the 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898 by  
W H Edmondson Attorney for the  
defendant and the depositions  
show that W. H. Edmondson  
appeared and Cross Examined  
all of the witnesses in the  
Case. The records further  
show that notice to take deposition  
was served as provided by law  
that the said depositions were  
taken in the office of A. M.  
Callaway in Claremore Indian  
Territory on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March

1899. And were filed in this Court on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April 1900. The records further show that Master Report in the said case was filed on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1899 recommending that the Plaintiff have her divorce which was granted on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1899.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September A. D. 1901.

Charles A. Odgers  
By R. P. Smith <sup>clerk</sup>

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Lizzie M. Claire

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James M. Claire


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Jas A. Winston  
clerk.

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United States of America  
Northern District  
Indian Territory }

In the United States Court  
and for the Northern District sitting at  
Wagoner

Lizzie J. McClain Plaintiff } Complain  
against } in  
James McClain Defendant } Equity

The above named plaintiff  
Complains of the above named  
Defendant. and for Cause of action  
says

First-

That she is a citizen of the Cherokee  
Nation and a resident of the  
Northern District of the Indian Territory  
and has been resided in the said Northern  
District for more than one year next  
before the commencement of this  
action. and that said defendant re-  
sides in and is to be found in the said  
Northern District

Second

That on the 11 day of May A.D. 1891.  
she was lawfully married to this  
defendant. and has ever since  
conducted herself towards said

defendant as a faithful Chaste and obedient wife.

Third

That the defendant wholly disregarding his duty as the husband of the plaintiff on or about the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1898 separated himself from the plaintiff without reasonable cause.

Fourth

The Plaintiff further alleges that on or about the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1898 and at divers other times the defendant regardless of his duties as a husband was guilty of such cruel and barbarous treatment as to endanger the life of this plaintiff in this to-wit: that the defendant struck and beat the plaintiff with his fist and slapped this plaintiff with his open hand in the face and at other times threaten to beat and kill and throw her out of the house thereby rendering her condition intolerable and that the said defendant was guilty of such cruel and barbarous treatment as to endanger her life and offered such indignities to her person as to render her life unbearable.

Fifth

That there was born of this marriage two children viz - Hattie J Mc Claim born on the 5<sup>th</sup> of May A.D. 1895. and Sarah V Mc Claim born on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of May A.D. 1897 The said children are now in the care and custody of this plaintiff. Plaintiff further alleges that this defendant is the owner of about eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800<sup>00</sup>) worth of property consisting of improvements on the public domain of the Cherokee Nation. to-wit:-

One improvement of about one hundred and fifty acres under fence and about one hundred acres of same in cultivation lying and being about one mile east of Sequoyah Switch on the St. L. and S. F. Ry. and joined on the South by the Ernest Stevens place with other improvements thereon as follows - one frame house of four rooms one log house two rooms and box shed room three wells out building lots &c. Also one improvement situated on Dog Creek about one half mile north East of the above described

improvement improvements thereon  
 consisting of the following to-wit:  
 One log house two rooms about  
 Thirty six acres of bottom land  
 in cultivation well crib fencing  
 and out-buildings.

Also four head of horses ten head  
 of Cattle and about forty head of  
 mixed hogs all of said property  
 located in the Northern District  
 of the Indian Territory.

Sixth

That the said Cause of divorce  
 accrued and existed in the  
 Northern District of the Indian  
 Territory within five years next  
 before the commencement of this suit  
 wherefore plaintiff prays that  
 she be divorced from said  
 defendant and that she be restored  
 to all the rights of a single and  
 unmarried woman. And that  
 the bonds of matrimony now and  
 heretofore existing between  
 plaintiff and defendant be  
 dissolved and set aside and  
 held for naught.

That she be awarded The care and custody of their two minor children viz: ~~Nathan~~ J M McClain and Sarah V M McClain

Further that she be awarded possession of the first-above described improvements for the maintenance of herself and her two minor children. The same being the home place now occupied by this plaintiff. And for the cost of this suit and for such other and further reliefs as to the Court may seem just and equitable.

Jos M Laffay  
Atty for

Northern District of }  
Indian Territory }

I Chas A Davidson Clerk of the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Complaint filed in this Court at Wagoner I.T. on Feb 4-1899.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Wagoner I.T. this 11th day of Sept. 1901.  
Chas A Davidson Clerk  
R O Hunter D.D.



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Received of Fizzie McClain  
~~Springfield~~ (19.00) Dollars balance in full  
of fees in divorce in full

A M Callaway

Joe M Laffay

At a stated term of the United States Court begun and held at Wagoner, Indian Territory, on the 17th, day of April, A.D. 1899, presiding, Hon. John R. Thomas, Judge, on May, 20th, 1899, at a day of the said term, the following proceedings, amongst others, had to-wit:

Lizzie McClain,

vs.

No. 804. Equity.

James McClain.

Now on this day comes the Master in Chancery, and files herein his report in this case which is approved by the Court in all things. And now this cause coming on to be heard on the complaint of the plaintiff, the proof taken before the Master in Chancery and the stipulation now on file herein, and also the report of the Master in Chancery: And it appearing to the Court that the allegations set forth in the complaint of the plaintiff have been supported by the proof taken before the Master in Chancery and that said allegations so supported by proof are sufficient to warrant a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant and the Court further finds that the proper person to have the care and custody of the minor children is the plaintiff and that the stipulation filed herein is by the Court approved. It is therefore considered ordered adjudged and decreed, by the Court, that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the plaintiff Lizzie McClain, and the defendant James McClain be and they are hereby dissolved and held for naught. And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the care and custody of the minor children be and is hereby awarded to the plaintiff and further that the goods and chattels belonging to the parties hereto be divided as agreed in the stipulation now on file herein.

United States of America,) )  
Indian Territory, ) ss.  
Northern District. )

I, James A. Winston, Clerk of the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the decree rendered in the said case on May, 20th, 1899 as the same appears to me from the records of my office.

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and the seal of said Court this, the 29th, day of November, A.D. 1899, at Wagoner, I.T.

*James A. Winston* Clerk.  
*R. O. Hunter*  
By *R. O. Hunter* Deputy.

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March, 1905, appears in books, and by her attorney, A.M. Collins, and her attorney, and also the day, to-wit: the 1st day of acknowledgment of the Commission's letter both by the applicant, Tetterton, on the 1st day of March, 1905. Receipt has been taken of the Commission at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, of the Creek Nation would be taken up for final consideration of the Creek Nation on the enrollment of herself as a citizen. On March 1, 1905, the enrollment of herself as a citizen by registered letter February 17, 1905, that the application of BY COMMISSION: The applicant and her attorney, were notified

W. W. Huggins, attorney for the Chesapeake Nation.  
A. H. Coffman, attorney for the applicant.  
Abbe Grimes:

Elizabeth J. McGrath for enrollment as a Candidate of Honor.  
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

Muskegon, I. T., March 4, 1905.  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Department of the Interior.



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Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T.

CONFIDENTIAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the applicant  
Elizabeth J. McClain for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen.

Appearances:

A. E. Callaway, Claremore, I. T., attorney for the applicant  
W. L. Hastings, Claremore, I. T., attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSIONER: The case of Elizabeth J. McClain, a registered letter carrier, is now before me for consideration by the Cherokee Nation. Elizabeth J. McClain is a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory on the 7th of March, 1902. She has been acknowledged of the Cherokee Nation by the applicant and her attorney, and on this day, 7th of March, 1902, appears in person, and by her attorney, A. E. Callaway.

BY MR. CALLAWAY: The attorney for the applicant desires to submit the case on the testimony, and requests 15 days in which to file a brief in the case.

BY COMMISSIONER: The attorney for the applicant and the representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case, and same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record. The attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted 15 days in which to file brief in the case, one copy with the Commission and one copy with the representative of the Cherokee Nation.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*M. D. Green*

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In the United States Court Northern District, Ind Territory.  
sitting at Wagoner, March term 1899.

Hon William M. Springer, Judge presiding.

Lizzie J. McClain, Plaintiff,

against

James McClain. Defendant.

Equity Docket # 204

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This cause coming on to be heard on this the  
May A.D. 1899, the said cause having been referred by the  
H.A. Gibson, Master in Chancery, the testimony in said cause hav-  
ing been taken by Deposition, and submitted to said Master, and  
his report, and it appearing from the report of the  
Gibson, Master in Chancery, from which it appears that the  
material allegations of the complaint are sustained, and the  
complaint is free from all legal exceptions as to its competency, suffi-  
ciency and sufficiency, and it also appearing to said Court by  
the report of the Master, that the said Defendant was duly ser-  
ved with the summons, and all and singular the law, and the  
premises being by the Court here understood and fully considered.

Wherefore, it is here ordered, adjudged, and decreed, and  
this does order, adjudge, and decree, that the marriage between the  
said plaintiff, Lizzie J. McClain, and the said defendant, James  
McClain, be dissolved, and the same is hereby dissolved, and the  
said parties are, and each of them is free and absolutely rel-  
eased from the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between  
them, and all the obligations thereof.

And it is further ordered and decreed that the care and  
custody of the children of said marriage, to-wit, Mattie J. McClain  
aged four years, and Sarah V. McClain, aged two years, be, and the  
same is hereby awarded to the plaintiff herein, Lizzie J. McClain.

And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed, that all the property sued for by the plaintiff, in her complaint, be and the same is hereby ordered to be divided between plaintiff and defendant according to stipulation, to-wit. the "Home" place to be the property of the plaintiff, and the said two children for their use and benefit: the plaintiff herein agrees to give the Allotment for the two children upon the said "Home" place and also the Allotment for herself, provided she be allowed an Allotment.

And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed, that plaintiff shall have the following property, to-wit:—

Two cows and one calf, all the pigs upon the premises, a gray mare, all of the kitchen and household furniture, all the corn raised on about fifteen acres of land, the said corn being planted by the plaintiff, plaintiff to have one half of all the rent corn raised on the said place, one third of all the rent wheat raised on said place, the rent grain mentioned being the rent on the crop during the crop year of 1899. Plaintiff to have one third of all the hay put up on said place, same to be put in stack, during the hay season of 1899. The rent grain mentioned to be put in crib at the home of the plaintiff.

The Defendant to have all the other property embodied in the plaintiff complaint.

Done in open Court on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1899.

Wm M. Springer  
Judge U.S. Court,  
Presiding.





In the United States Court In the Indian Territory, at Wagoner  
In the Northern District

Lizzie McClain, Plaintiff,

vs

No 204

Report of Master

James McClain, Defendant,

I, N A Gibson, Master in Chancery in and for this Court,  
show that I have examined the pleadings and proof herein filed,  
and find as follows:

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That both parties reside in the Northern District, Indian Territory  
and have resided therein for more than one year next before the  
institution of this suit That this suit was filed on Feb 4, 1899  
a summons issued and duly served upon the defendant, and that he  
filed his answer herein on Feb 27 1899

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That the proof shows that the parties were married in the Cher  
okee Nation I T on May 11, 1891, and lived together therein  
until Feb 1899, when they separated on account of the cruel  
treatment of the plaintiff by the defendant, consisting of  
beating cursing and abusing That the plaintiff alleged the said  
cruel and barbarous treatment, and indignities as her cause of  
divorce, and that the proof on file is sufficient to sustain the  
allegations of the plaintiff's Complaint

That the cause of divorce occurred and existed in the Indian  
Territory and within the 5 years next before the institution of  
this suit That the parties have two children Hattie J aged

4 years, and Sarah V aged two years, both of whom are in the custody  
of the plaintiff That the parties are citizens of the Cherokee  
Nation and have a large amount of property, consisting of improve-  
ments in the Cherokee Nation, and stock etc on said farms

That the parties have by a stipulation filed herein settled  
all property rights, the custody of said children

The premises considered, I recommend that the plaintiff be  
granted a divorce as prayed, and be awarded the custody of the  
said two minor children, and that a decree be rendered dividing  
the property owned by the parties in accordance with the terms of  
the stipulation filed herein

Respectfully submitted, this 17th day of May 1899

Endorsed:

N A Gibson,

Filed in Open Court May 20 1899

Master in Chancery

Jas A Winston Clerk

United States of America

Indian Territory

Northern District

I, Chas A Davidson Clerk of the United States Court for  
the Northern District of the Indian Territory, do hereby certify  
that the above decree and report of Master, are truly taken and  
correctly copied from the records in my office at Wagoner, I T as  
the same appears to me

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and  
affixed the seal of said Court at Wagoner, I T on  
this 23rd day of June, 1902

Chas A Davidson, Clerk,

By R. C. Hunter D C



Q And these two children have lived with you ever since they were born, have they? A Yes sir.

Q No sir.

Q You haven't lived outside of the Cherokee Nation since that time? Yes sir.

Q Were married to James McGinnis is '91 up to the present time? A Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time since you were married? A Yes sir.

Q Were you still a single woman on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.

Q You haven't married since you were divorced from him? A No sir.

Q Have you ever married any other man since you married James McGinnis? A No sir.

Q It was carried all around; it was in Wagoner. At Okemore? A Okemore and Wagoner both.

Q What Court did you get it in, United States Court? A Yes sir.

Q When were you divorced? A In May it will be three years.

Q Divorced from him.

Q Have you ever been divorced from him? A Yes sir, I have been divorced from him.

Q Without any help from him? A Yes sir, living there alone.

Q You separated from James McGinnis? A Yes sir.

Q So you have had to support the children and yourself ever since you separated from James McGinnis? A No sir.

Q Has he given the children anything? A No sir.

Q Hasn't made anything to me; he hasn't given me anything.

Q Them for you to take care of them? A No, I haven't seen him. He has never made no provision for the children, he just left them for you to take care of them? A No, I haven't seen him. He hasn't made anything to me; he hasn't given me anything.

Q Does he ever come to see them? A No sir.

Q Has he ever been back to try and get you to live with him? A No sir.

Q Has he ever had the children? A No sir.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, J. T., October 7, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Elizabeth J. McClain for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage with the Cherokee Nation, she being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Elizabeth J. McClain.  
Q What is your age at this time? A Twenty-six.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Claremore.  
Q Are you the same Elizabeth J. McClain who made application to this Commission for enrollment as an intermarried citizen on October 27, 1900? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A James McClain.  
Q Is he living? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you and James McClain married? A Married the 11th day of May, 1891.  
Q Is he a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you ever married prior to your marriage to James McClain? A No sir.  
Q Was he ever married prior to his marriage to you? A No sir.  
Q You are his first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q He is your first husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you and he lived together as husband and wife since you were married in '91 up to the present time? A No sir.  
Q Have you separated? A Yes sir.  
Q When did you separate? A Pretty near four years ago now. It will be four years in January.  
Q What was the cause of your separation? A He treated me so mean I couldn't live with him.  
Q Did you leave home? A I am at home yet taking care of the children.  
Q Did he go off and leave you? A Yes sir.  
Q He left you at the house? A Yes sir, we separated and he is gone.  
Q Where were you living when you separated? A At home in Claremore, at Sequoyah Station.  
Q Is that a little town there? A It is just a station six miles from Claremore.  
Q Whose house were you living in? A My own home.  
Q Now when you separated did he go away and leave you, or did you go away and leave him there? A He went away.  
Q What made him go away? A We couldn't live together any longer, and he went away; he said he would go away and he did.  
Q You had been married about six years then when you separated? A We were married in '91.  
Q You separated about four years ago? A It will be four years next January or February.  
Q Didn't he treat you well all the time you lived together? A No sir.  
Q How did he treat you? A It would take a half day to tell you. He treated me mean.  
Q Did he abuse you all the time? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you have plenty to live on? A Yes sir, plenty to live on.  
Q Who made that? A The renters made it.  
Q On the place there? A Yes sir; I made the living just the same as I made it since he is gone; I raised chickens and raised the garden stuff.  
Q Did you have any children while you were living with him as his wife? A Yes sir, I had two.  
Q Are they living yet? A Yes sir.  
Q Who has those children? A I have them here with me in town.  
Q Have those two children been with you all the time since you separated? A Yes sir.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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In the matter of the application of Elizabeth J. McClain for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on October 27, 1900, Elizabeth J. McClain appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment, among others, of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 7, and October 7, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Elizabeth J. McClain was lawfully married on May 11, 1891, to James McClain, a native Cherokee, who is identified on the 1880 authenticated Cherokee roll. The applicant is identified on the 1896 Cherokee census roll as an adopted white. The evidence further shows that she lived with her said husband for seven or eight years following their marriage, and that they then separated and she was granted a divorce by a decree of the United States Court for the Northern District of Indian Territory, rendered on May 20, 1899. It does not appear that the applicant ever abandoned her husband, nor has she re-married from the date of their divorce up to and including September 1, 1902.

The evidence further shows that the applicant has resided in the Cherokee Nation all her life.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Elizabeth J. McClain should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress, approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903



Territory, this 6 day of Feb. , A. D. 1903.

Chas. A. Davidson Clerk.

By Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee C. T.

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I, the undersigned, a Stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the matter of application for enrollment of

as citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

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Department of the Interior,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Vinita, I. T., March 18, 1903.

I, the undersigned, Chief Clerk Cherokee Land Office, and



CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

United States of America, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
Northern District.

I, Charles A. Davidson, Clerk of the United States Court in the North-  
ern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was  
filed for record in my office the 6 day of Feb., 1903, at M.,  
and duly recorded in Book A, Marriage Record, Page 312.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said  
Territory, this 6 day of Feb., A. D. 1903.

Chas. A. Davidson Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T.

I, the undersigned, a Stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, do  
hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in  
evidence in the matter of application for enrollment of \_\_\_\_\_

as \_\_\_\_\_ citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Department of the Interior,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Vinita, I. T., March 18, 1903.

I, the undersigned, Chief Clerk Cherokee Land Office, and  
custodian of the records of said Office, do hereby certify that the  
above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original on  
file in the said Cherokee Land Office.

Chief Clerk Cherokee Land Office.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 18 day of March, 1903.

John P. Mason  
Notary Public

# MARRIAGE LICENSE.

United States of America, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
Northern District.

No. 57

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Bands of Matrimony between Mr. Walter R. Kittman, of Claremore, in the Indian Territory, aged 24 years, and Miss Elizabeth J. McClain, of Claremore, in the Indian Territory, aged 26 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory, this 27 day of Dec. A. D. 1902.

Chas. A. Davidson  
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By R. C. Hunter Deputy.

## CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
Northern District.

I, W. C. F. Lippert, a Minister of the Gospel, Do HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 14 day of Jan., A. D. 1903, I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bands of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 14 day of Jan. A. D. 1903

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District, Book                     , Page                     

W. C. F. Lippert  
A Minister of the Gospel.

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 10  | John Whisenbunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 45  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 506 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 63  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 596 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 768 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 796 |
| Urie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 822 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Seale Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 245 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 266 | William H. Burren   | 967 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dussler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Bengé         | 1276 | Lizzie Bengé        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rowser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1944 |
| Polly Ann Bengé      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenant  | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1462 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2193 |
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THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Chelsea, Indian Territory, June 10th, 1901.

Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
one copy of the original testimony of October 27th, 1900 and one  
copy of the supplementary testimony of October 27th, 1900, in the  
matter of the application of Elizabeth J. McGlavin for enrollment as  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

*A. M. Callaway*

Attorney for Applicant.

Cherokee #2722.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 17, 1902.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. McClain,

Claremore, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the seventh day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Copy to A. M. Calloway, Yours truly,  
Claremore, I. T.  
Cherokee D-723  
Register.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
Acting Chairman.  
Commissioner in Charge.



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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 12, 1908.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. McClain,

Stavemore, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, you are required to file with the Commission a duly certified copy of the Master's report made to the United States Court in Indian Territory,

Northern District, in the case of Elizabeth J. McClain vs James McClain, the decree in said case having been rendered on April 17, 1908.

You will be allowed until July 2, 1908 within which to comply with this requirement.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Register.

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Cherokee D-723

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Elizabeth J. McClain for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Tame Kirby

Chairman.

Enc. 1-11-03

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Cherokee D-710

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 19, 1903.

Elizabeth J. McClain,

Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Jame Bixby.*

Chairman.

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Waukeges, Indian Territory, March 19, 1905.

J. M. LaMay,

Representing A. M. Galloway,

Attorney for Elizabeth J. McClain,

Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1905, granting the application of Elizabeth J. McClain for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

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Waskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Elizabeth J. McLean,

Charmers, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

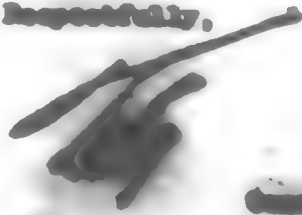
Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Elizabeth J. McCain,  
 Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

## Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 9, 1907.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, has been designated by the Secretary of the Interior, as the official to make and approve appraisals of the value of improvements upon land in the Cherokee Nation which were made prior to November 5, 1906, by white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens prior to December 16, 1895, and who have the right under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), to sell improvements.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

**Bartlesville, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Tulsa, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Claremore, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Nowata, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Vinita, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Pryor Creek, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Tahlequah, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**  
**Sallisaw, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**

Designations must be made in person by the intermarried white claimant, or in case proper proof is made that he is physically unable to appear, by some adult member of his immediate family, or in case proper proof is made of the fact that the intermarried white claimant is physically unable to appear and has no adult member of his immediate family, by a person holding a properly executed power of attorney; provided, that in every case the designation must be made by a party familiar with the character, ownership, location and value of the improvements to be designated. At the time of said designation the testimony of any competent person will be taken by the Commissioner as to the location, character and value of said improvements.

No former intermarried white claimant will be permitted to designate improvements upon more land than he would have been entitled to take in allotment for himself had he been admitted to citizenship. If any intermarried white claimant has made a tentative selection of a full allotment he will not be allowed to designate improvements upon other land.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that if any citizen of the Cherokee Nation entitled to select an allotment shall claim that the improvements on land tentatively selected by a former intermarried white claimant, or held by him, do not belong to said intermarried white claimant, or makes any adverse claim to said improvements, or to the right of the intermarried white claimant to sell said improvements under the Act approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), said citizen must appear before the Commissioner to the Five

make and approve appraisals of the value of improvements upon land in the Cherokee Nation which were made prior to November 5, 1906, by white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens prior to December 16, 1895, and who have the right under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), to sell improvements.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

**Bartlesville, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**

**Tulsa, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**

**Claremore, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**

**Nowata, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**

**Vinita, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**

**Pryor Creek, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**

**Tahlequah, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**

**Sallisaw, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.**

Designations must be made in person by the intermarried white claimant, or in case proper proof is made that he is physically unable to appear, by some adult member of his immediate family, or in case proper proof is made of the fact that the intermarried white claimant is physically unable to appear and has no adult member of his immediate family, by a person holding a properly executed power of attorney; provided, that in every case the designation must be made by a party familiar with the character, ownership, location and value of the improvements to be designated. At the time of said designation the testimony of any competent person will be taken by the Commissioner as to the location, character and value of said improvements.

No former intermarried white claimant will be permitted to designate improvements upon more land than he would have been entitled to take in allotment for himself had he been admitted to citizenship. If any intermarried white claimant has made a tentative selection of a full allotment he will not be allowed to designate improvements upon other land.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that if any citizen of the Cherokee Nation entitled to select an allotment shall claim that the improvements on land tentatively selected by a former intermarried white claimant, or held by him, do not belong to said intermarried white claimant, or makes any adverse claim to said improvements, or to the right of the intermarried white claimant to sell said improvements under the Act approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), said citizen must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes either at Muskogee, Indian Territory, prior to April 1, 1907, or at one of the places above designated and within the dates above designated and make formal complaint before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes of his contention. At Muskogee, Indian Territory, between March 11th and March 30th, 1907, inclusive, and at the other places herein named during the hearings at said places as herein fixed, plans will be open for inspection showing the location of tentative allotments made by former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage and all other land on which such claimants claim improvements, so far as indicated by the records of this office.

All persons interested should take careful note of the limitation of time herein provided for, within which designations and complaints may be made, and that they must be made by appearance before the Commissioner.

**TAMS BIXBY,**  
Commissioner.

Cherokee  
S et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 15, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 25, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

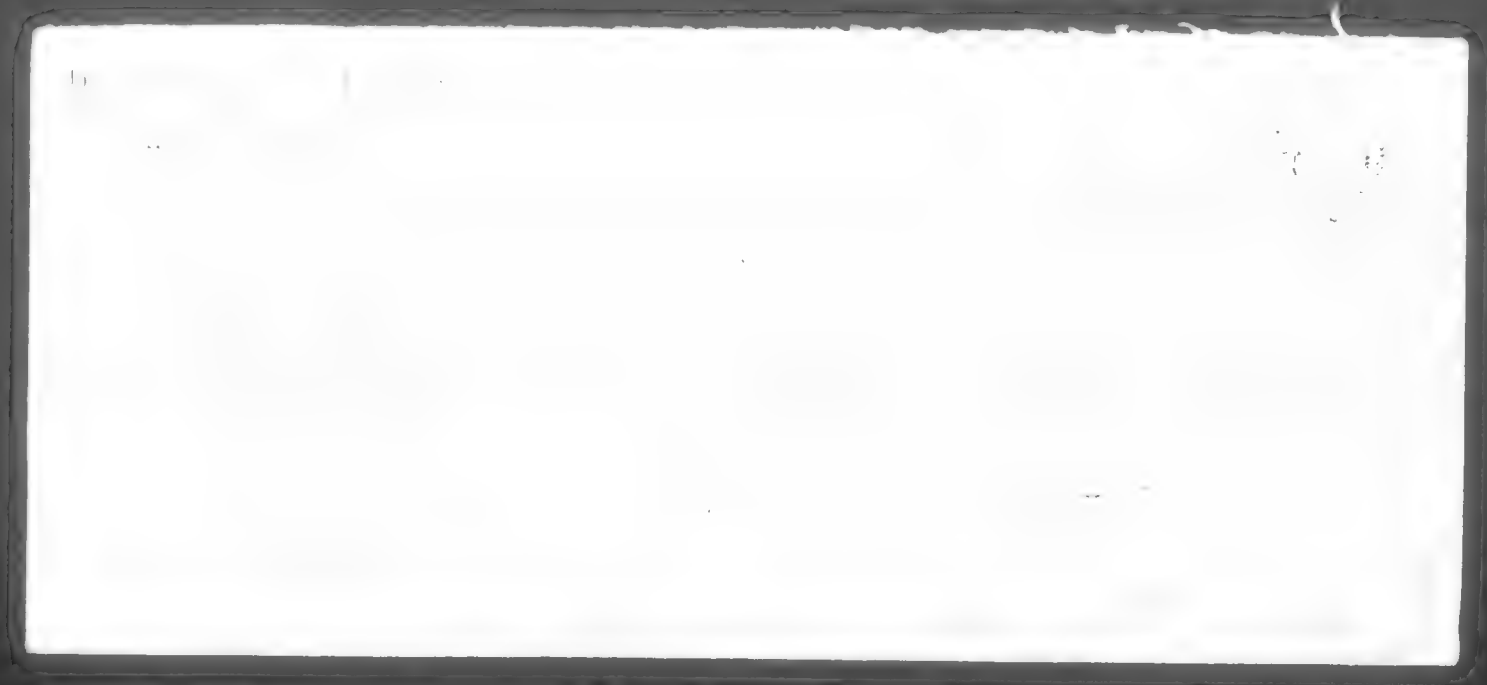
Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Tulsa, I. T., November 27, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her children as Citizens of the Cherokee Nation, sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Nannie Carver.  
Q How old are you? A 28 years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Bennett.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q Who do you want to enroll? A Myself and two children.  
Q Your husband living? A Yes sir.  
Applicant presents a certificate of marriage certifying that Frank Carver and Nannie Murray of Muskogee were married on the 24th day of May, 1890.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Joanna.  
Q How old? A 12 years old.  
Q Next child? A Frank.  
Q How old? A 9 years old.  
Q You just apply for yourself and two children? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A Jim Murray.  
Q He living? A No sir.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Nannie.  
Q She living? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they Cherokees citizens by blood? A My mother is.

By W. W. Hastings, representative of the Cherokee Nation—

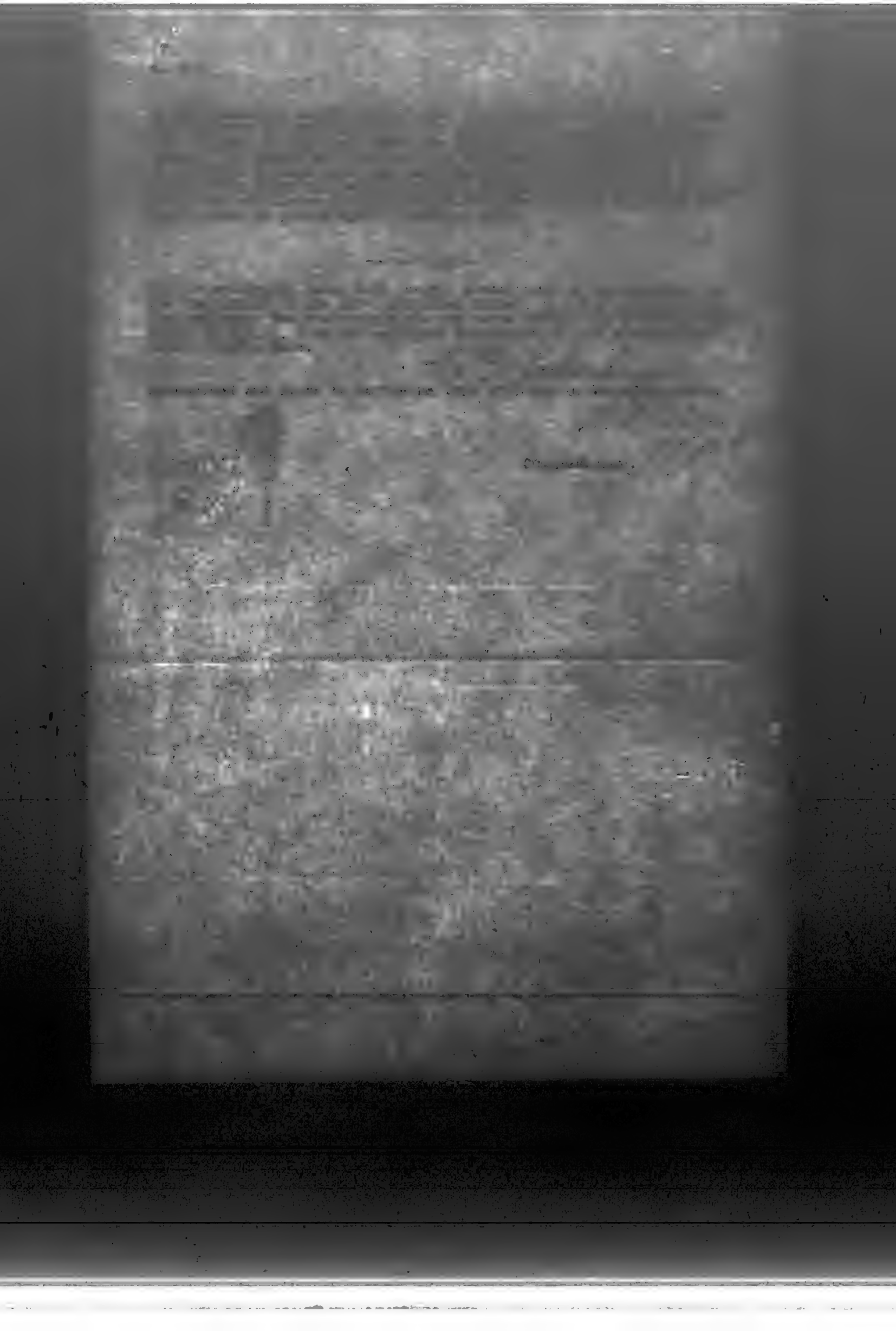
- Q Where were you born? A I don't know; I think in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Where were you living when you were old enough to remember? A I lived in Gibson I think.  
Q When did you leave Fort Gibson; how old were you? A I was a child.  
Q Where did you go to? A Over to Muskogee.  
Q How long have you been living in Muskogee? A I couldn't tell you just how long; lived there some time.  
Q Living there when you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Living there ever since? A No sir, living down in the country.  
Q Canadian district? A Yes sir.

Commissioner—

- Q Did you draw your strip money in 1894? A Yes sir, been drawing all the time.  
1890 roll; page 16, 442, Nannie Carver, Canadian dist.  
18, 4430, Joanna Carver.  
16, 4431, Frank Carver, Jr.  
Q Your husband's not dead is he? A No sir.  
Q Are you applying for him? A No sir.  
Q He's in prison? A Yes sir.  
1894 roll; page 18, 4437, Nannie Carver, Canadian dist.  
18, 4438, Frank Carver.  
Q Have you any proof of your citizenship besides what appears upon the rolls here? A I got no more.  
Q What do you mean by the signs? A Signs on married certificate.  
Q Your husband's a white man? A Yes sir.

Commissioner Needles—

The name of Nannie Carver appears upon the Census roll of 1890 as well as the pay roll of 1894. The names of her two children, Joanna and Frank, also appear upon the Census roll of 1890 and pay roll of 1894. The name of said applicant, Nannie Carver, does not appear upon the aforementioned roll of 1890; neither does the name



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Date NOV 27 1900 1900.

Name Bennett J. T.

District \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's name Mamie Carver, ne Murray

District Canadian CANADIAN. Year 1896 Page 16 No. 449

Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Jas Murray

Intermarried citizen No Mamie

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage 1898

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate Filed NOV 27 1900

## Names of Children:

Joanna Carver Dist. Canadian CANADIAN. Year 1896 Page 16 No. 450 Age 12

Frank Dist. " Year " Page 16 No. 451 Age 9

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On 1896 roll as Joanna Carver  
Frank Jr.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tahlequah, I. T., November 27, 1900.

In the matter of the enrollment of Nannie Carver, and also of Nannie Murray as Cherokee citizens; Nannie Murray being sworn and examined by Commissioner Woodall testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Nannie Murray.  
Q How old are you? A About 40.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Hannett.  
Q You have applied for enrollment, haven't you, to the Commission? A Yes sir, I applied at Ft. Gibson.  
Q Your name was placed on a doubtful card wasn't it? A Yes sir.  
Q Now what have you to say now as to your citizenship and that of your daughter? Nannie Carver. A They sent for me to come up here and you would look into it.  
Q Your name nor the name of your daughter Nannie Carver is on the 1880 roll either one of you, and there is no evidence introduced to show that you are entitled to Cherokee citizenship; now if you have any evidence to show that you are entitled to citizenship you can produce it? A There is Mr. Woodall, a relative of mine.

WILLIAM C. WOODALL, being sworn and examined by Com'r Woodall, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A William C. Woodall.  
Q What is your age? A 65.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Vinita.  
Q You are a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Nannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q What do you know in regard to her being entitled to Cherokee citizenship? A What I know about it is what I have heard among the folks; I had an uncle named Killmoore, - I think his first name was Moore and his Cherokee name as Killer, and his children always went by the name of Killmoore; he was a full-blood; he was my uncle; he had a daughter named Jane; she married - I wasn't very well acquainted but from what I have understood from the family she married a man named O'Riley, and this lady here is a daughter of O'Riley.  
Q This woman Nannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q When was it she married O'Riley? A I couldn't tell you.  
Q Where was it? A I don't know.  
Q Was it in Georgia or in the Indian Territory? A It was in the Territory.  
Q Was O'Riley a Cherokee citizen by blood? A I don't think he was Nannie Murray. He was, he was an adopted citizen.  
Q Was Nannie Murray's mother not a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Lived here in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By W.W. Hastings, Cherokee Rep'r.  
Q Are you personally acquainted with this woman's mother, Nannie Murray's mother? A I used to be.  
Q How long ago? A 51 and upwards.  
Q What became of them then? A They all died I think.  
Q Do you now where this woman was born? A No I do not.  
Q You don't know where she has been living? A She lived down here on Fourteen Mile Creek and I was raised upon Fourteen Mile Creek, I was acquainted with the family, and saw them once in a while, but now I can't find them any more. I heard from Mr. O'Riley and my father.  
Q From family history? A Yes sir.  
Q When was the first time you ever saw this woman? A I saw her about five years ago.  
Q Where was she? A At Muskogee; she came to file a claim.

Q You witnessed for her, A No I didn't witness for her.

HANNIE MURRAY RECALLED:

Com'r Needles:

Q You were before the Daves Commission on four years ago were you?

A No sir, I went to file a claim for Settlers' money.

Q Who before? A Mr. Keys.

By Hastings:

Q You didn't apply then to the Daves Commission? A No sir.

Q Where were you born? A 14 mile creek, Cherokee Nation.

Q How old were you? A I am about 40.

Q How long have you lived on 14 mile creek? A I lived there until I was grown.

Q Until you were about 18 or 20 years old? A Yes sir.

Q Where were you married? A Ft. Gibson.

Q Who were some of your neighbors there on 14 mile creek?

A The Spears's.

Q Who do you know at Ft. Gibson? A All the old red centers I guess they are gone now, there was Frenchie Miller and his wife, and Mrs Katie Daniels and her husband, I went to school to her.

Q When did you move to Muskogee? A I moved to Muskogee about 10 years ago I guess.

Q Where from? A Ft. Gibson.

Q You lived at Ft. Gibson up until 10 years ago. A No sir, but I moved from Ft. Gibson to Muskogee and then down to Canadian.

Q You mean to say that you were born in the Cherokee Nation and you never have never lived out except in Muskogee?

A No sir, I think never lived out, I travelled a right smart.

Q Where have you traveled? A In Colorado.

Q How long were you in Colorado? A About three months I guess.

Q Any other places? A In Wyoming.

Q How long? A About three months I guess.

Q Is your husband dead? A Yes sir.

Q Where did he die? A He died in Washington.

Q State of Washington? A He died in the State of Washington.

Q Were you there with him? A No sir.

By Com'r Needles:

Q You know why your name is not on the 1880 rolls? A No sir, I guess it was just neglected and wasn't put on, I guess I was neglected.

By Hastings:

Q What did you say your mother's name was? A Jane Williams.

WITNESS WILLIAM C. WOODRILL RECALLED:

Q Her mother was your aunt? A No sir, Killersworth was my uncle, and this Jane was his daughter.

Q Who did Killersworth marry? A I don't know.

Q You didn't know her mother then? A She was a white woman I think.

Applicant Hattie Murray: Grand-pa's wife was a white woman.

Com'r Needles, to Hattie Murray:

Q Your mother's name was Riley? A O'Riley.

M.D. GREEN, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes in proof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1900.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

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**THIS IS TO CERTIFY**

Thus on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May  
 IN THE DEAR OF OUR LORD 1880  
 Mr. Frank Jones & Mary Ann  
 Miss. Annie Murray, New York St.

WIRE TO ME UNITED IN

**HOLY MATRIMONY**

*of Missouri* according  
to the laws of the State of California.  
*Jean Camus* Maria F. Williams  
*David C. Thompson* Minister, the Gospel

Supl.-C.D.#204.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 11, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of HANSEN CARVER,  
ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 19, 1902, that her application for the enrollment of herself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902, and that on said date she might appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney when an opportunity would be given her to introduce any additional testimony ~~pertaining~~ affecting her application. The applicant having this day, to-wit: the 11th day of March, 1902, been called and failing to respond either in person or by attorney her case is considered completed, and the same will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee representative, present.

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I, J. G. Rosen, do hereby certify upon my official oath as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that I correctly recorded the proceedings had this day in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. G. Rosen*





Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., August 12, 1908.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Murray, for the enrollment of herself, and her children Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

TESTIMONY IN BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

Appearances:

Cherokee Nation represented by J. C. Starr;  
Applicants appear by Lizzie Carver.

JOSUAH BOSS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Joshua Boss.  
Q What is your age? A Sixty-nine.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, Nannie Murray? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A I have known her at least about thirty years. I think she has been here about that length of time.  
Q Do you know her children? A Yes sir.  
Q Can you name them? A One is, this young lady there is Mary.  
Q Mary B. Waddle? A Yes sir. The other is Lizzie.  
Q Is her name Lizzie Carver at this time? A Yes sir. And Jim Finnigan, her brother.  
Q Did she have a boy named James? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not all her children were born here in the Cherokee Nation? A I think they were, yes sir, that's my impression.  
Q What is the citizenship of Nannie Murray? A She's a Cherokee.  
Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation?  
A No, I do not.  
Q Do you know where she was living when the roll of 1890 was made?  
A I expect she was living here at Muskogee.  
Q Do you know why her name isn't on the roll of 1890?  
A No sir, I do not unless she was living here and didn't get over. Like they left me off; I went over in the district and they promised to put me down and didn't do it--the census takers.  
Q Have you ever heard her right as a Cherokee disputed?  
A No sir.  
Q Has she been continuously a resident of the Indian Territory since you have known her? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you known her continuously? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know her husband? A In a general way.  
Q Have her children all resided here continuously?  
A Yes sir.

WILLIAM NOTT, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William Nott.  
Q How old are you? A Fifty-nine.  
Q Where do you reside? A Two miles east of town here.  
Q Is Muskogee your post office? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Nannie Murray?  
A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known her ?  
 A Ever since she was a child, I guess.  
 Q Where was she living when you first knew her ?  
 A On three mile creek.  
 Q In the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know whether or not she ever left the Cherokee Nation ?  
 A Yes sir, she was married to a soldier, and he was ordered away, and she went with him.  
 Q Was that her husband, Murray ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know where her children were born ?  
 A Some of them at Fort Gibson, I think.  
 Q Which ones, do you know ? A No sir.  
 Q Do you know about when it was that she left the Nation with her husband ? A No sir, I don't remember that.  
 Q Was it prior or subsequent to 1860 ?  
 A I don't remember, but I think it was before 1860.  
 Q Do you know when she came back ? A No sir.  
 Q Have you any idea ?  
 A No sir, I don't know; don't have any idea.  
 Q Did you ever hear of her right to enrollment as a Cherokee, or the rights of her children to enrollment as Cherokees, being disputed ? A No sir.  
 Q Were her parents Cherokees ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Both of them ? A No.  
 Q Was her mother the Cherokee ? A Yes sir, her mother was a Cherokee.  
 Q Had her mother always resided here up to the time she died ?  
 A I guess she had; so far as I know she did.

LIZZIE CARVER, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name ? A Lizzie Carver.  
 Q What is your age and post office address ?  
 A I will soon be thirty-two, and my post office is Muskogee.  
 Q Are you a daughter of Hattie Murray ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Where is your mother living at this time ?  
 A She is living here in town--in Muskogee.  
 Q Where were you born ? A I was born in Fort Gibson.  
 Q Where was your sister Mary B. Venable born ?  
 A She was born in Dakota.  
 Q Where was your brother James born ? A In Dakota.  
 Q Where was Malcomb born ? A In Colorado.  
 Q Where was John born ? A In Colorado.  
 Q When did your mother leave the Cherokee Nation ?  
 A Sometime, I think, between 1855 and 1856, I wouldn't be sure.  
 Q You were taken with her when she left ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Well, where did she go to at that time ?  
 A I can't tell you, out towards where Oklahoma is now, I think.  
 Q What was your father's occupation ? A He was a soldier.  
 Q Was your mother married to him while he was stationed at Fort Gibson ? A Yes sir.  
 Q And she accompanied him when his troop was removed ?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q How long was it before your mother again came back to the Cherokee Nation ?  
 A I think she came back in the winter of 1860.  
 Q Did all these children that I named a while ago return with her at that time ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you all come back together ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Are all of you now residents of the Indian Territory ?  
 A Yes sir.

- Q Have you been residents continuously since the winter of 1880 ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have either of you, your mother, or your brothers and sisters, ever lived outside the Indian Territory since that time ?  
A No sir, not that I know of.  
Q Have you all been recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation since you came back here in the winter of 1880 ? A Yes sir.  
Q Had your mother always been recognized as a citizen prior to her departure in the seventies with your father ? A Yes sir.  
Q Your father is dead ? A Yes sir.  
Q When did he die ? A In 1882, I believe.  
Q After your return to the Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q You were the only child born prior to the time your mother left the Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q The others were all born outside the Indian Territory ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q There was your sister, who is now known as Mamie Carver, born ?  
A In Dakota.  
Q Did she return at the same time you all came back ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q About how old is she now ? A Twenty-nine.  
Q Has she been residing here continuously since that time ?  
A Yes sir.

The Commission: This testimony will be filed with and made a part of the record in the case at bar, being that of Mamie Carver, D 152; in the case of James Murray, D 153; in the case of Mamie Carver, D 153; in the case of Mary E. Venable, D 154; and in the case of Mamie Carver, D 804.

E. S. Bagwell, an oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. S. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 11, 1908.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Nannie Murray, et al.,  
for enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications  
of:

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|---------------------------|----------------|
| Nannie Murray, et al.,    | Cherokee D 182 |
| James Murray, et al.,     | " D 151        |
| Lizzie Carver, et al.,    | " D 153        |
| Mary E. Weddells, et al., | " D 155        |
| Nannie Carver, et al.,    | " D 864        |

DECISION.

The record in these cases shows that the applications were  
made to this Commission, at the times and places hereinafter stated,  
for enrollment as Cherokee citizens:

D 152 By Nannie Murray, at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on  
August 22, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two children,  
Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.  
Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at  
Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, and November 28, 1900,  
and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 12, and August 12,  
1902.

D 151 By James Murray, at the time and place aforesaid, for the  
enrollment of himself and his minor child, Jennie Murray, as citizens  
by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Nana Murray, as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were  
had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
on February 10, and October 30, 1902. On August 15, 1902, a birth  
affidavit was filed for Lizzie Murray, a second child of the appli-  
cant, born since the original application.

D 153 By Lizzie Carver, at the time and place last mentioned,  
for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and  
Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D 155 By Mary E. Weddells, at the time and place last mentioned,  
for the enrollment of herself and her minor child, George E. Wed-  
dells, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On August 22,  
1902, a birth affidavit was filed for Beulah Weddells, a second  
child of the applicant, born since the date of the original appli-  
cation.



D 864 By Nannie Carver, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on November 27, 1900, for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence in these cases shows that Nannie Murray is a Cherokee Indian and that Malcomb Murray, John Murray, James Murray, Lissie Carver, Mary E. Weddells and Nannie Carver, are her children by her deceased husband, James Murray, a white man. Neither the name of Nannie Murray nor the names of any of her children can be found on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880, and it appears from the evidence that Nannie Murray and her children were not in the Cherokee Nation at the time of the preparation of such roll. On examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of the Commission, it appears that Nannie Murray, Malcomb Murray, James Murray, Mary E. Weddells, Lissie Carver and Nannie Carver, are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894, and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and that John Murray is identified on all of the above named rolls, excepting the roll of 1894.

Nana Murray, a white woman, was married to said James Murray on July 23, 1893, and Jennie and Lissie Murray are the issue of that marriage. Nana Murray and her elder child are identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, and the younger child, Lissie, is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

Walter Carver, the child of Lissie Carver, is identified on the pay rolls of 1890 and 1894 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896. Pearl Carver, her other child, is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

George E. and Beulah Weddells are the children of said Mary E. Weddells, and they are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

Nannie Carver (nee Murray), was lawfully married on May 24, 1890, to Frank Carver. Joanna and Frank Carver are the issue of that marriage. Her child, Joanna, is identified on the Cherokee pay roll of 1890 and on the Cherokee census rolls of 1890 and 1896, and Frank Carver (Jr.) is identified on the strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that Nannie Murray was born in the Cherokee Nation and lived therein until about 1873 or 1874, at which time she accompanied her husband, who was a soldier in the United States Army, to the frontier, and that she returned to the Cherokee Nation about 1880, accompanied by her children, excepting Lissie, who was not then born. Nannie Murray and all her children, excepting Lissie Carver, have lived in Indian Territory since their return thereto. Lissie Carver having been born subsequent to the return of her mother to the Indian Territory, has resided therein all her life. The evidence further shows that Nana Murray and her husband, James Murray, have been living together from the time of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1900. The residence of the minor children included in this application is considered to be that of their parents, with whom they are living.

It is, therefore, the order of the Commission that  
the same be approved and the same be ordered.  
It is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

SIGNED James F. Smith  
Commissioner.

F. B. Mayfield  
Commissioner.

J. B. F. Smith  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
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COMMISSIONERS,

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SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 19, 1902.

Mrs. Mammie Carver,

Bennett, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and two minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the 11 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Cherokee D-864  
Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman

Commissioner in Charge.

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Cherokee  
D-16, D-6 and  
D-664.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 3, 1903, granting the application of Hattie Murray for the enrollment of herself and her two children, Malcomb and John Murray, as citizens by blood; the application of James Murray for the enrollment of himself and his children, Jennie and Lizzie Murray, as citizens by blood and for the enrollment of his wife, Emma Murray, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Lizzie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Walter and Pearl Carver, as citizens by blood; the application of Mary E. Weddells for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, George E. and Beulah Weddells, as citizens by blood; and the application of Hattie Carver for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case,



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a copy of which pretest you will be required to serve upon the ap-  
plicant. If you fail to file pretest within the time allowed, this  
decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

W. Bixby

Enc. M-4197.

COMMISSIONERS.  
JAMES B. BIXBY,  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee D-864.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1903.

Nannie Carver,

Bennett, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903,  
granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your  
two minor children, Joanna and Frank Carver, as citizens by blood  
of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,



Chairman.

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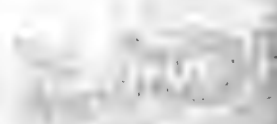
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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., January 18, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Maggie Bufall for the enrollment of herself, husband and children as Cherokee citizens, she being sworn, and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Maggie Bufall.  
Q What is your age? A 46.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Muskogee.  
Q For whom do you make application; anyone besides yourself? A My husband, and me, and children.  
Q How many children? A Six.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q What degree of Cherokee blood do you claim? A I don't know; a quarter, I guess.  
Q How long have you lived here in the Creek Nation? A We have been there off and on for about 25 years. Our home is in the Cherokee Nation, but our business is here.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Jack Cobb.  
Q Is he living? A No, he's dead.  
Q Was he a Cherokee? A No, he was a white man.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Lucy Victory.  
Q Is your mother living? A No sir.  
Q Was she a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q What district were you enrolled in twenty years ago? A Canadian district.  
Q Were you enrolled in the same district in 1890? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your husband? A George Bufall.  
Q How old is he? A He's 61.  
Q Has he living at the present time, is he? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your husband a white man? A Yes, he's German.  
Q When were you married to him? A Married in '75.  
Q Were you ever married before you married him? A No sir.  
Q Was he? A No sir.  
Q You have lived together continuously since that time? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of the oldest child under 21 and unmarried?  
A Pearl E.  
Q How old is she? A 21.  
Q The next child? A Oscar G.  
Q How old is he? A He's 19.  
Q The next child? A Maggie.  
Q How old is she? A She's 17.  
Q The next child? A Benjamin H.  
Q How old is he? A He's 15.  
Q Next child? A Grace A.  
Q How old is she? A She's 10.  
Q The next child? A Herbert, G.  
Q These children are all alive and living with you at the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q Any of these children born in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.  
Q All born here in the Creek Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you own any property in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, we got two farms in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Do you derive any rents from these farms? A Yes sir.  
Q You have property in the Creek Nation? A No sir, only our home.  
Q Did you draw money from the Creek tribe of Indians? A No sir.  
Q Have you drawn from the Cherokees? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you, or your husband ever admitted to citizenship here in the Cherokee Nation? A No, we never was out to be recognized. We always lived up to the laws, and always had property and paid our tax in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q You know whether or not you were enrolled in 1890? A No, because we wasn't over there at the time, I guess is the reason. They never came out of the Nation.

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Q Did you apply for enrollment at that time? A No, we don't know anything about it. They never notified us; we are on all the rest of the roll except that roll.

Q Did you draw strip money in 1894? A Yes sir.

Commission- The roll of 1880 examined and names of applicants not found.

1880 roll: page 83, #2312, Maggie Zuffall, Canadian district.

1880 roll: page 95, #323, George Zuffall, Canadian district.

83, #2315, Pearl Zuffall, "

83, #2316, Otto " "

83, #2317, Maggie " Jr. "

83, #2318, Benjamin " "

83, #2319, Grace " "

83, #2320, Harbert " "

Q Did I understand you to say that for the past 25 years, you have been making your home continuously here in the Creek Nation?

A No, we lived down there part of the time, and here part of the time. My husband's business is here.

Q How long has it been since you actually resided in the Cherokee Nation; since you have been over there to live? A Been off and on there all the time.

Q You maintain a home over there? A We got a home there, and a home here. We have a house where our place of business is. We never been anywhere but there. We sometimes spend the summer there and sometimes the winter here.

Q You stated that neither you, nor your husband, ever applied for readmission to citizenship? A No sir.

Q Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir, I was born in Georgia.

Q When did you come to the Cherokee Nation? A Since I was three years old.

Q And since that time you lived here continuously? A Yes sir.

Q Have you any evidence of your marriage to your husband? A We can only furnish witnesses. We don't know anything about the licenses; they say they were never turned in. We supposed it was all right, and found it wasn't.

#### Commission-

The applicant applies for the enrollment of herself and six children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of her husband as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. She avers that she came to the Cherokee Nation when three years of age, and has been living here continuously since that time. She is not identified upon the authenticated roll of 1880. She was living in the Creek Nation at that time and didn't apply to the Cherokee tribal authority for enrollment in the year 1880. She is identified upon the Census roll of 1890 as a Native Cherokee. She avers that she was married in the year 1873 to her present husband, and they have been living together continuously since that time, and neither of them had ever been previously married. Her husband is identified with her on the Census roll of 1890 as an adopted white. The six children enumerated in the testimony are identified with their mother on the Census roll of 1890 as Native Cherokees. For the reason that neither the applicant nor her husband are identified on the authenticated roll of 1880, and for the further reason that they have been during the past 25 years residing the greater part of the time in the Creek Nation, they will be listed for enrollment as citizens by blood upon what is known as a doubtful card, and the husband, George Zuffall, will be listed for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage.

and sworn to before me this 1st day of January, 1900.

Commissioner.

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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Name George Zupfall Date JAN 15 1901 1900.  
 District CANADIAN. Year 1896 Page 95 No. 322

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 Intermarried citizen yes  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife's name Maggie Zupfall Muskogee  
 District CANADIAN. Year 1896 Page 83 No. 2312

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship Pasenta  
 Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate Double

## Names of Children:

|   | Names of Children:      | Dist.            | Year        | Page      | No.            | Age              |
|---|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|------------------|
| 1 | <u>Lewis E. Zupfall</u> |                  |             |           |                |                  |
| 2 | <u>Pearl E. Zupfall</u> | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2315</u> | <u>Age 2 1/2</u> |
| 3 | <u>Otto O. " "</u>      | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2316</u> | <u>Age 19</u>    |
| 4 | <u>Maggie " "</u>       | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2317</u> | <u>Age 17</u>    |
| 5 | <u>Benjamin H. " "</u>  | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2318</u> | <u>Age 13</u>    |
| 6 | <u>Grace H. " "</u>     | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2319</u> | <u>Age 10</u>    |
| 7 | <u>Herbert " "</u>      | <u>CANADIAN.</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>No 2320</u> | <u>Age 8</u>     |

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No 3 on 1896 roll as Pearl Zupfall  
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 " 5 " 1896 " Maggie  
 " 6 " 1896 " Benjamin  
 " 7 " 1896 " Grace

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Wash. D. C., March 18, 1903.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of GEORGE ZUFALL,  
Jr., as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Committee: It is directed that a copy of the testimony  
had in the matter of the application of the applicant's father,  
Maggie Zufall, Cherokee card No. B. 1041, heard this 18th day  
of March, 1903, be filed with and made part of the record in  
this case.

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I, J. O. Messers, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the  
proceedings had this day in above application, and that the foregoing  
is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes there-  
of.

*J. O. Messers*



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 14, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the enrollment of  
GEORGE SUFFALL, ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, intro-  
duced as part of application.

The applicant was notified by registered letter February  
27, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself,  
wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be  
taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its of-  
fices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 14th day of March,  
1902, and on said date the said wife appeared and by agree-  
ment the case was continued until the 14th day of March, 1902.  
The same being this day, the 14th day of March, 1902, called  
the applicant appears in person.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

W. E. AGNEW, being duly sworn, testified as follows on  
part of the applicant:  
BY THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A W. E. Agnew.  
Q How old are you? A 30.  
Q Post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant in this case, George Suffall?  
A You mean the boy?  
Q No, George Suffall, Sr.? A The old man?  
Q Yes. A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you acquainted with his wife, Margaret? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A I knowed the family ever  
since '61, when they was small children, but I don't know the names  
apart; I have been well acquainted with them since '67.  
Q Where were they living then? A In '67?  
Q Yes? A In Fort Gibson.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long did she continue to reside there after that? A Well,  
she was there a part of the time in Canadian District with an Aunt  
up to about the time she was grown.  
Q And then where did she go? A She married Mr. Suffall and they  
located here in Muskogee.  
Q Had she always been recognized as a Cherokee citizen?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you ever hear her right to enrollment disputed?  
A No, sir, never nothing more than place of residence, or something  
that way.  
Q Do you know about when they came to the the Creek Nation to live,  
about what year it was? A It must have been somewhere about  
'72.  
Q And they continued to reside here continuously up until the pres-  
ent time and are living now now? A Yes, they have made this  
their home; they own a ranch and property down in the Cherokee Na-  
tion.  
Q They own property in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, he has  
sold a ranch there and sold back of property ever since they were  
married.  
Q They were living here when the roll of 1902 was made? A Yes,  
sir.

Q Do you think that is the reason their names do not appear upon that roll? A Yes, sir, that is the only reason.  
Q Have they ever made their home outside of the Territory since you have known them? A No, sir.

MARY E. HENNE A GENU, being duly sworn, testified as follows on part of applicant:

Commissioner:

Q What is your name? A Mary E. Agnew.  
Q How old are you, Mrs. Agnew? A I will be 65 in May.  
Q You are acquainted with Maggie Infall, the wife of George Infall?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A Ever since she was an infant.  
Q Are you related to her? A She is my sister.  
Q Same father and mother? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not she has always made her home in the Indian Territory? A Yes, sir.  
Q She has never lived outside of the Indian Territory?  
A No, sir.  
Q Does your name appear upon the roll of 1889? A Yes, sir.  
Q You were then living in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where was your sister living at that time? A In Muskogee.  
Q In the Creek Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you ever hear her & fight an enrollment dispute until that time? A No, sir.  
Q She has always been recognized as a citizen? A Yes, sir.

Commissioner: The applicant and the representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case. The case is now closed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. C. Henson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had this day in the above application, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. C. Henson*



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Cherokee D-1041.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Waskagee, I. T., March 18, 1902.

<sup>A</sup> SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of George Sufall for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens.

TESTIMONY ON BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

BY COMMISSIONER: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 27th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its office in Waskagee, Indian Territory on the 17th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and on this the 18th day of March, 1902, applicants appear in person, this case having been continued over from the 17th.

JOSHUA ROSS, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

Appearances:  
Applicants in person;  
W.V. Hastings, attorney for Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q What is your name? A Joshua Ross.  
Q What is your age? A 69 years.  
Q What is your post-office? A Waskagee.  
Q Please state what you may know about the citizenship of Mrs. Sufall? A In 1873 I made out papers asking signers, getting signers to give citizenship to George Sufall and his wife Mrs. Sufall. And I know that they were married October, 1873. And that they have lived together as man and wife ever since. That they had made a place over in Canadian District. George Sufall's business has been here most all the time; he has lived there and has lived here. He is a blacksmith, and has raised a large family of children I know. I know their names that she is a Cherokee Indian, and that he was married according to Cherokee law.  
Q How do you know he was married according to Cherokee law?  
A Because he got the signers there and they presented it to the clerk.  
Q Did you ever see the license? A No sir, I never saw the license.  
Q What do you know about her citizenship? A Well I know she was a Cherokee Indian.  
Q You don't know that she was ever admitted by any act of council?  
A No I don't know anything about that; I got acquainted with her here in 1873 or '3, as a Cherokee Indian.  
Q Been recognized to your knowledge as a Cherokee citizen since that time? A Yes sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q Where was she living when you first knew her? A Living here in Waskagee, but her relatives were living near Fort Gibson.  
Q That is about all you know about it? A Yes sir, that's all I know.

AFTER TESTIMONY BEING FIRST DULY SWORN AND BEING EXAMINED  
TESTIMONY AS FOLLOWS:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q What is your name? A Anna Sufall.  
Q What is your age? A 30.

Q Where do you live? A In Muskogee.  
Q You know Mrs. Maggie Zufall? A Yes sir.  
Q You know anything about her citizenship? A She was always considered as a citizen of the Cherokee nation, a Cherokee.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee nation yourself? A Yes sir.  
Q You know anything about her marriage to Mr. Zufall? A I was present at her marriage.  
Q When was that? A In 1893.  
Q You know whether they had a license from the Cherokee authorities? A Why, no, sir, I know the Judge of the Canadian District married them; Judge Taylor.  
Q They been living together continuously since that time as man and wife? A Yes sir.  
Q You know whether Mrs. Zufall was ever admitted as a Cherokee citizen by the Cherokee authorities? A She never was out to be admitted. She has always been here; considered a Cherokee.  
Q You know whether her name is on the 1890 roll or not?  
A I don't know; it ought to be, but she says they couldn't find it.  
Q What was her maiden name? A Cobb.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q Where did you first know her Mrs. Elliott? A I know her out in Canadian about Brushy Mountain, and Choctaw.  
Q How long before her marriage was that? A I know her about a year before she was married; I knew the family.  
Q You didn't have any personal knowledge of her before that time? A No sir.  
Q Were you present at her marriage and knew the Judge of the district married her? A Yes sir.  
Q Been living in Muskogee since that time? A Oh I think she lived in the Cherokee Nation a while.  
Q Most of the time in Muskogee? A Yes sir; they have always had a place.  
Q What is her father's name? A Cobb.  
Q You know his first name? A No sir.  
Q You know her mother's name? A No sir.

SIR GARLAND, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER HENDLES:

Q What is your name? A Sir Garland.  
Q What is your age? A 40.  
Q What is your present office address? A Muskogee.  
Q What is your nationality? A Choctaw.  
Q Do you know Maggie Zufall? A I have known her ever since 1870 I think.  
Q You know anything about her Cherokee citizenship? A Well she was always considered a Cherokee ever since I knew her, she has always lived there.  
Q You know her husband, George Zufall? A Yes sir, I know him.  
Q You know anything about his marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q What do you know? A I was at Brushy Mountain when they were married; a few minutes after that Judge Taylor told me that George Zufall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it.  
Q Well have they lived together since that as man and wife? A Yes sir, to the best of my knowledge.  
Q You know her father and mother? A No sir, I don't know them.  
Q Don't know how much Cherokee blood she had? A No sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q How do you happen to remember the circumstances of the Judge saying that Mr. Zufall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it? A Never thought anything more about it, until Mr. Hendles asked me to come up here the other day, and I was thinking what the circumstances were.  
Q You never saw the license? A No sir.

Q Nor the ten dollar bill either? A No sir, only he was talking about it, and he said he would like for a few more white men to get married.

Q Did you know the judge who issued the license? A No sir.

Q Didn't know anything about that? A No sir.

Q The clerk of the district was not there was he? A No, not that I know of.

Q Your acquaintance with this woman is dated back as far as 1870? A Yes sir.

Q You didn't know her parents? A No sir.

GEORGE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q What is your name? A My name is George Zufall.

Q What is your age? A My age is 62.

Q What is your post-office? A Muskegoe.

Are you the husband of Maggie Zufall? A Yes sir.

Q You were married to her according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Did you get out a regular marriage license? A Went down to the office and got a certificate from the clerk of the court, handed it to Mr. Judge Tayler, and got married under an Brushy Mountain under Cherokee law in the Cherokee nation. I didn't get no marriage license, why I don't know, the time I got marriage I guess, I suppose they didn't get any, I don't know, our marriage license has never been on record.

Q You haven't got the license? A No sir.

Q You are a white man? A Yes sir.

Q Have you lived with your wife continuously since that time? A Yes sir.

Q You say you paid for the license? A Down to the Falls, yes sir.

Q How much did you pay? A Two dollars; that was to the clerk of the court down at Webbers Falls.

Q Cherokee court? A Yes sir.

Q Did you get out a petition? A I got a petition, Mr. Reas there did.

Q You got out a petition? A Yes sir, had nine signers on it; Mr. Reas was one of the first ones that ever signed it.

Q You never got the license back? A No sir.

Q License didn't cost you but two dollars? A That was a certificate; I took the oath of allegiance down there and paid the clerk two dollars; that's all I paid.

Q Was that the price of a marriage license at that time; for a white man marrying a Cherokee woman, only two dollars? A I couldn't tell you about that.

Q Who did you pay the two dollars to? A To the clerk of the court, his name is McCorkle; he is living yet.

Q Who married you? A Judge Tayler.

Q You know whether your wife ever applied to the Cherokee authorities to be admitted as a Cherokee citizen or not? A I don't know; we never went out of the Nation. I knew under the compact law we could live in the Creek Nation as well as the Cherokee Nation, and we have had more property in the Cherokee Nation the last twenty years than we have got in the Creek Nation.

Q Your wife was never admitted by the Cherokee authorities, that you know of? A Not that I know of. I don't know as it is necessary to be re-admitted when we never lived out of the Nation.

MAGGIE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q Your name is Maggie Zufall? A Yes sir.

Q You are the applicant here? A Yes sir.



MY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q Your maiden name was Cobb? A Yes sir.  
Q Where were you born? A Georgia.  
Q When did you come to this country? A I don't know, I was 3 years old when we came here.  
Q You are about 43 now? A Yes sir.  
Q You came to the country then before the war? A Yes a long time I reckon.  
Q You stay here during the war? A Yes. We were over in Gibson all during the war.  
Q Did you live in the Cherokee Nation up until the time you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Your father's name was Jack Cobb? A Yes sir.  
Q What was your mother's name? A Lucy Vickery.  
Q Where did your father and mother die? A Over there about a half a mile from Fort Gibson.  
Q Where were you living at the time you married Bufall? A I was living with my aunt down on the Arkansas river, at Frosen Rock.  
Q In Canadian District? A Yes sir.  
Q Since that time you have either lived in Muskogee or Canadian District, one or the two? A Yes sir.  
Q Most of the time in Muskogee? A Yes sir.

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q You know the reason your name is not on the 1880 roll?  
A No, I really don't. He might have been not in the Nation, or maybe was sick or something, I don't know how it was.

GEORGE W. ELLIOTT, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q What is your name? A George W. Elliott.  
Q What is your age? A 44.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q What nationality are you? A I was born in Baltimore, Maryland.  
Q You are not an Indian? A No sir.  
Q Do you know Maggie Bufall? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A Since 1878 anyhow, I don't know whether it was before that or not.  
Q You know anything about her marriage to George Bufall? A Yes sir, I was at the wedding, and stayed all night at their house.  
Q You know whether he had a Cherokee license or not? A No sir, I do not.  
Q You know anything about the citizenship of Mrs. Bufall? A No sir,

MRS. MAGGIE BUFALL, -recalled and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q Any questions you would like to ask him? A No sir, not that I know of.  
Q Any other witnesses? A No, that is all we have.  
Q Are you willing to submit your case to the Commission now on the testimony that has already been given? A I don't know; if I am doubtful of course I can prove up that I am an Indian, if that is what you want to know. Indian by blood and I know my mother was an Indian.  
Q Did you apply in 1884 to be enrolled as a citizen; did you apply to the Commission in 1884 under the law of June 10? A I was enrolled wasn't I? No, I didn't apply to the Bureau Commission.  
Q But is you have never applied to any Commission to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen before your present application? A No sir.



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Q Will if you are willing to accept the facts of the testimony, the case will be ordered closed? A Yes, I am willing to accept the facts of the testimony. I am willing to accept the facts of the testimony. I am willing to accept the facts of the testimony.

Q You applied for your daughter for her when you applied for yourself? A Yes, sir.

Q She was 21 years of age? A Yes, sir.

Q Why didn't she apply for herself? A She was not here, she was off at school and they said it would be all right as she was under my care, it would be all right.

Q She is still unmarried? A Yes, sir.

BY COMMISSIONER:

Will you please you until the 24th of this month, to bring witnesses to prove your daughter still unmarried.

A Yes sir, I can get them any way I want.

BY COMMISSIONER READING: Case continued until the 24th of the present month.

I, H. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the mission to the Five Civilized Tribes I have recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskegee, Indian Territory, June 27th, 1902.

In the matter of the application of George Zufall, et. al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee nation.

Supplemental to D 1041.

J. L. McGarkle, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. J. L. McGarkle.  
Q. What is your post office address? A. Webbers Falls.  
Q. Have you ever held any official position in the Cherokee nation?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What? A. Clerk of the district and circuit courts.  
Q. During what year were you clerk of Canadian district? A. I  
was clerk of Canadian district from the year 1869 to 1874.  
Q. During the time that you were acting as clerk of Canadian  
district do you remember whether or not you ever issued a license  
to one George Zufall authorizing him to marry Maggie Cobb?  
A. I do.  
Q. Did he comply with the Cherokee law in procuring that marriage  
license? A. Fully.  
Q. Do you know whether or not he was married in accordance with  
the license that you issued? A. I don't know.  
Q. How long had you known Mr/ Zufall prior to the issuing of the  
license? A. I had never known him before.  
Q. Have you known him since that? A. Never since.  
Q. Has he always been recognized as a citizen by intermarriage  
since that time? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You didn't see the ceremony of marriage performed? A. No, sir.  
Q. You are positive that the license was issued to him while you  
were acting--while you were clerk of that district? A. Yes, sir;  
issued to him in September, 1873. Let me corroborate it. In  
running over some of my old papers that I found in my old trunk  
that I had stored away I found his petition. How it happened to  
be retained in my possession I don't know, but I turned the papers  
over to my successor. Some how or other that remained.  
Q. You recognize this as the original petition Mr. Zufall presented  
when he applied for the license? A. Yes, I do. Then here is  
something that I---There was my commission, one dated 1869 and  
here is one dated 1871, from another judge that was elected.

The witness exhibits a commission showing that on the  
15th day of November, 1869, he was appointed clerk of the  
district court of Canadian district, Cherokee nation, by J. M.  
Hilderbrand, Judge of the district court of Canadian district.

He also exhibits a commission showing that on the 24th  
day of November, 1871, he was again appointed district clerk  
in and for Canadian district, Cherokee nation by Judge Woodall,  
judge of the district court of Canadian district, Cherokee  
nation. These documents are returned to the witness.

James O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenogra-  
pher to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he carefully  
recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the  
foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic  
notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ... day of July, 1902.

1 Seal

James O. Carr  
J. L. McGarkle

Sir

We have the honor to say that Mr. Thomas Rogers of the United States thus came for license to sell liquor in this territory.

Miss Rogers of the same name.

We have the honor to say that Mr. Rogers is a good man, and good morals. He will be a good citizen of this territory.

We pray that you may give his request, and his object obtained.

Yours

Sept 8, 1873.

Respectfully

To the Clk Dist Court,  
Canadian Dist  
Cherokee Nation.

James W. Rogers  
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Washington, D. C., July 20, 1873.

I, R. H. Wams, an stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the original Petition now on file in the office of the Commission.

*R. H. Wams*



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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., August 28, 1902.

In the matter of the application of George Sufall, for the enrollment of himself, and his wife Maggie, and his children, Pearl E., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A., and Herbert Sufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

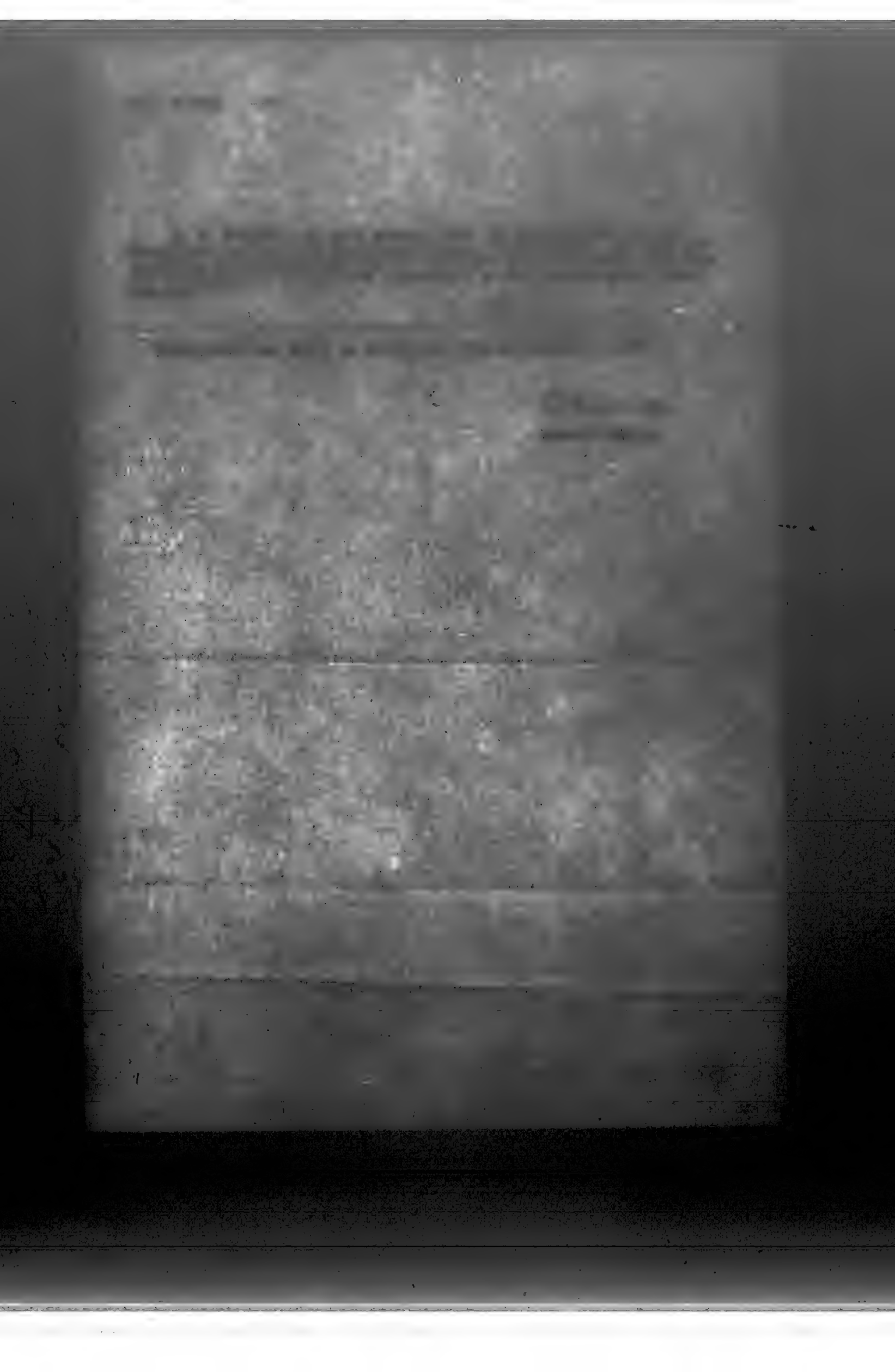
PEARL E. SUFALL, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Pearl Elizabeth Sufall.  
Q What is your age? A Twenty four.  
Q What is your post office address?  
A Muskogee, Indian Territory.  
Q What district do you live in? A Muskogee, in the Creek Nation.  
Q What district in the Cherokee Nation do you call your home?  
A Canadian.  
Q Do you wish to make application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you wish to include anyone else in your application?  
A No sir.  
Q Give me the name of your father? A George Sufall.  
Q Is he living or dead? A Living.  
Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A No sir.  
Q Give me the name of your mother? A Maggie Sufall.  
Q Is she living or dead? A She is living.  
Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived all your life in the Cherokee Nation?  
A No sir, not all my life.  
Q How long have you been living in the Creek Nation?  
A All my life, except about-I don't know- about three years- I was in the Cherokee Nation, Canadian District. I have lived partly in the Creek Nation and partly in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q You have never lived anywhere except in the Creek Nation and in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.  
Q Are you at this time living in Muskogee, Creek Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Does your name appear upon the 1880 authenticated roll of Cherokee citizens? A I don't think it is on the '80 roll.  
Q Were you admitted by the Cherokee National Council after that date?  
A Well I don't know.

--The 1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined, and applicant is not identified thereon;

--The 1880 census roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined, and the applicant is identified thereon at page 83, # 2215, Canadian District, as Pearl Sufall, native Cherokee.

The Commission: This testimony will be filed with and made supplemental to the record in the matter of the application for the enrollment of George Sufall, et al, Cherokee E 1041.



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Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship No

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D. C., October 2, 1901.

In the matter of the application of GEORGE SUVALE, for the  
enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and his wife  
NANCIE, and his children, FRANK E., OSCAR O., MARVIN E., and  
GEORGE A. and HERBERT SUVALE, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee  
Nation:

GEORGE SUVALE, called as a witness, said that he was  
examined by the Commission, and testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A George Suvale.  
Q What is your age? A Thirty three.  
Q Your post office? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you the same George Suvale who was admitted as an intermarried citizen  
Commission for the enrollment of yourself as an intermarried citizen  
at the Cherokee Nation, and for your wife and children as citizens  
by blood, on January 15, 1901? A My wife made the application.  
Q When, I think.  
Q You are the same George Suvale? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Nancie.  
Q Do you call her Nancie? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you want her enrolled as a wife of yours?  
Q Is don't make any difference. Just make it Nancie.  
Q What year you and your wife Nancie married, was it 1875?  
Q A We were married in 1875, in October.  
Q Were you ever married before you married your wife Nancie?  
A No sir.  
Q Was she ever married prior to her marriage to you? A No sir.



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D. C., October 2, 1902.

In the matter of the application of GEORGE DUFFALL, for the naturalization of himself as a citizen by naturalization, and his wife MAGGIE, and his children, EDWARD H., GEORGE C., MARTIN, BENJAMIN H., GRACE A., and HERBERT DUFFALL, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

GEORGE DUFFALL, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A George Duffall.  
Q What is your age? A Thirty-three.  
Q Your present office? A Engineer.  
Q Are you the same George Duffall who made application to this Commission for the enrollment of yourself as an American citizen as a Cherokee Nation, and for your wife and children as citizens by blood, on January 22, 1902? A My wife made the application, I think.  
Q You are the same George Duffall? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Margaret.  
Q Do you call her Maggie? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you want her enrolled as Maggie or Margaret? A It doesn't make any difference. Just make it Maggie.  
Q When were you and your wife Maggie married, Mr. Duffall? A We were married in 1880, in October.  
Q Were you ever married before you married your wife Maggie? A No, sir.  
Q Was she ever married prior to her marriage to you? A No, sir.  
Q You were her first husband and she was your first wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you and she lived together continuously from the time of your marriage, as husband and wife, up to the present time? A All except three months I have been in Europe.  
Q Were you living together as husband and wife on September 1, 1902? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Been living here in Cherokee since 1891.  
Q You have lived in the Indian Territory all the time, then, since 1891? A Yes, sir, or lived out.  
Q Has your wife lived in the Indian Territory all the time since 1891? A Yes.  
Q Been living in the Cherokee Nation? A She went to the Cherokee Nation on a business trip, stayed there four or five months, but my business was in Oklahoma.  
Q Are your children, EDWARD H., GEORGE C., MARTIN, BENJAMIN H., GRACE A., and HERBERT, all living in this territory? A Yes, sir.  
Q And have they all lived in the Indian Territory since they were born? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have they lived outside the Indian Territory? A No, sir. When the oldest girl I took to the old country with me in the summer.

I, E. J. [illegible], an oath officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the testimony of the above named witness, and that the same was taken in the presence of the undersigned, and that the same is a true and correct statement of the testimony of the above named witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of [illegible], 1902.

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Cherokee D-1041, D-1043 & D-1088.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Maggie Zufall et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating  
the applications of:

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| Maggie Zufall et al.,   | Cherokee Doubtful No. 1041 |
| George Zufall Jr.,      | " " " 1043                 |
| Lewis E. Zufall et al., | " " " 1088                 |

DECISION.

The record in these cases shows that on January 15, 1901, Maggie Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl E., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin E., Grace A. and Herbert Zufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Zufall, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 18, 1902, June 27, 1902, August 28, 1902, and October 2, 1902.

On January 16, 1901, George Zufall Jr., appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

On February 11, 1901, Lewis E. Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The application also included his wife, but as she is differently classified she is not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, a Cherokee citizen by blood, was born in Georgia, and was brought to the Cherokee Nation by her parents about the year 1866, being at that time about three years old. It is further shown that George Zufall a white man, married his said wife, Maggie, in 1873, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation. All of the applicants herein claim citizenship by blood through Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, with the exception of George Zufall, the husband of said Maggie Zufall, his rights being based upon said marriage.

It is further shown that Lewis E. Zufall was lawfully married in 1897, to one Lena J. Jones, and as a result of that marriage the minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, were born. Subsequent to the application of said Lewis E. Zufall, Eva Zufall was born.

Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, Pearl E. Zufall, George Zufall Jr., and Lewis E. Zufall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1885, 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1896. Oscar O. Zufall, Maggie Zufall and Benjamin H. Zufall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1896. Grace A. Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1890, 1894 and 1896. Herbert Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1894 and 1896. George Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1890 and 1896, as an inter-married white person. Marion R. Zufall and Eva Zufall are duly identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

The evidence further shows that Maggie Zufall has been a continuous resident in the Indian Territory since her removal thereto, as hereinbefore shown. Her husband, George Zufall, has resided in the Indian Territory with his said wife, Maggie Zufall, continuously since his marriage to her, up to and including September 1, 1902. The other applicants have resided in said Territory all their lives. Warren E. Zufall is shown to have died February 13, 1902, as evidenced by death affidavit made a part of the record herein. It is presumed from the enrollment by the Cherokee Nation of Maggie Zufall on the various rolls of said nation, as hereinbefore shown, and the further fact that her sister Mary E. Agnew is identified on the 1880 Cherokee roll as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, that the said Maggie Zufall and her family were duly and lawfully recognized or admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities of the Cherokee Nation subsequent to their removal to the Cherokee Nation in 1858.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Maggie Zufall, Pearl E. Zufall, Oscar O. Zufall, Maggie Zufall, Benjamin H. Zufall, Grace A. Zufall, Herbert Zufall, George Zufall Jr., Lewis E. Zufall, Marion R. Zufall and Eva Zufall as citizens by blood, and George Zufall as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, should be granted in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1896 (29 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

It is further ordered by this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Warren E. Zufall as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

(signed) Tom Ditty  
Chairman.

(signed) J. B. Peoples  
Commissioner.

(signed) C. R. Brackinridge  
Commissioner.

Done at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this May - 2 1902

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20250



Case No. 11

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE, MUSKOGEE, A. T.  
JANUARY 9, 1905.

Testimony taken to show that Otto Zufall mentioned in the Letters of Administration issued to Maggie Zufall on December 9, 1904, is the identical person whose name appears upon the Cherokee Citizen Roll No. 27312 as Oscar D. Zufall.

MAGGIE ZUFALL, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

BY THE COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A Maggie Zufall.  
Q What is your post office address? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you the mother of Oscar D. Zufall? A Yes sir.  
Q Is he now living? A No sir, he is dead.  
Q When did he die? A He died November 24, 1904.  
Q How old was he at the time of his death? A He was, I don't remember, but he wasn't 24 years old, he looked some, if he had lived until the 10th of December, he would have been 24.  
Q As the legally appointed administrator of his estate do you now desire to select an allotment in full on the west side of Grand River? A Yes sir.  
Q You have the land selected to make it? A Yes sir.

With as filed Letters of Administration issued December 9, 1904.

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George H. Leasley, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported the proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*George H. Leasley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1905.

*Charles H. Sawyer*  
Notary Public.



Cherokee-10194.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 2, 1907.

In the matter of making proof of the marriage of George  
Zufall to his Cherokee wife, prior to November 1, 1875.

Margaret Zufall, being first duly sworn by John H. Tidwell, a  
Notary Public, testified as follows:

COMMISSIONER:

- Q. What is your name? A. Margaret Zufall.  
Q. How old are you? A. 50 years old.  
Q. What is your post office address? A. Muskogee, I.T.  
Q. In whose behalf are you appearing here today? A. George  
Zufall.  
Q. Was he a claimant for rights as an intermarried citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.  
Q. What was the name of his Cherokee spouse through whom he claimed  
rights? A. Margaret Cobb.  
Q. When were you and George Zufall married? A. In 1875.  
Q. What date? A. October 22.  
Q. Where were you married? A. At Brushy Mountain.  
Q. Were you married under a license from the Cherokee Nation? A.  
Yes sir.  
Q. Have you that license? A. No, we had no license.  
Q. What became of the license? A. The Judge turned them in at  
the Court house at Webbers Falls, and the Court house was  
burned and all the papers, before it was moved to Tahlequah.  
Q. Was George Zufall ever married prior to his marriage to you?  
A. No sir.  
Q. Were you ever married prior to your marriage to George Zufall?  
A. No sir.  
Q. Was he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation at the time of your  
marriage? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Is George Zufall living or dead? A. Dead.  
Q. When did he die? A. In 1906.  
Q. What date? A. January 23rd.  
Q. Who married you? A. Sam Taylor, the Judge at Okmulgee.  
Q. Have you any other witnesses that you wish to put on? A. No.  
I could get witnesses, but I don't know of anything else to say.  
Q. You say you were married by the Judge, Sam Taylor? A. Yes  
sir.  
Q. Did he issue the license? A. No, the license was issued by  
W. F. McCorkley, and he is living.  
Q. Can you get him here to testify? A. Yes, by putting up for  
his expenses, I guess. He gave his testimony once before the  
Dawes Commission. We had him here once.  
Q. Where were you living in 1875? A. We were on the farm I  
think. We lived here in Muskogee and on the farm, and I don't  
remember whether we were here or on the farm.  
Q. You were living in the Indian Territory? A. Yes sir.

- Q. Why were you not enrolled on the 1880 roll? A. I was not  
enrolled, for the reason we were not at the time. And I  
do not know how we are not enrolled.  
Q. Did you make application to be enrolled in 1880? A. Yes sir,  
we were enrolled.  
Q. In 1880? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Were you living in the Cherokee or Creek Nation in 1880? A.  
Muskogee was our home.  
Q. Did you draw money in 1880 -- the Strip Money? A. Yes sir,  
we drew in every payment.

(Reference is here made to the testimony offered in sup-  
port of the application of George Haffall for enrollment as a claimant  
by intermarriage, at Muskogee, on March 18, 1882; August 13, 1882,  
and October 2, 1882. Also a certified copy of the petition filed by  
the applicant for Cherokee lands.)

The applicant's Cherokee wife is identified on the 1896  
Census Roll, opposite No. 2312.)

Witness excused.

Eula Jeanes Branson, being duly sworn, states that she cor-  
rectly reported the proceedings had in the above and foregoing, on  
the 2nd day of January, 1907.

Eula Jeanes Branson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 25 day of January  
1907.

Walter W. Chappell  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, C  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
GEORGE SUFALL as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee  
Nation.

D E C I S I O N

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That on January 18, 1901 application was received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of George Sufall as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 18, 1901, February 11, 1901, January 28, 1902, March 18, 1902, March 19, 1902, June 27, 1902, August 28, 1902, October 2, 1902 and January 2, 1907. The records further show that on March 2, 1903 the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered its decision herein granting the said applicant the right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

THE EVIDENCE IN THIS CASE SHOWS: That the applicant herein, George Sufall, a white man, was married in accordance with Cherokee law on October 22, 1878 to his wife, Maggie Sufall, nee Cobb, who was at the time of said marriage a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation and whose name is included on the approved partial roll of citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, opposite No. 27910. It is further shown that from the time of said marriage the said George Sufall and Maggie Sufall resided together as husband and wife and have continuously retained their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. Said applicant is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896 as an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States dated November 8, 1906 in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al. vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, the decision rendered by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes March 2, 1903, granting, in accordance with the provisions of Section Twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats. 495), the application for the enrollment of George Sufall as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, should be, and the same, is, hereby affirmed.

SIGN. *James Dixby.*  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory

this FEB 6 1907.

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SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27, 1902

Mrs. Maggie Bufall,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your husband and six  
minor children

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

17 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney,  
when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your applica-  
tion.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same  
time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enroll-  
ment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such  
testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with your marri-  
age license and certificate under Cherokee law.

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Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.



In reply to letter  
Cherokee B-2000.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 2, 1902.

J. T. Parks,

National Sec'y., Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

In the matter of the application of George Zufall of Muskogee,  
Indian Territory, for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish to this Commission additional  
testimony, showing his marriage to his wife, Maggie Zufall, in ac-  
cordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

In Reply, Please Refer to  
Cherokee File No. 1.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 9, 1902.

J. T. Parks,

National Sec'y., Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of the application of Maggie Sufall of Muskogee, Indian Territory, for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish this Commission additional testimony showing her re-admission to citizenship by the Tribal Council or Council of the Cherokee Nation.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

In Reply, Please Refer to  
Bureau File No.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 9, 1902.

Mrs. Maggie Bufall,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish this Commission additional testimony, showing your re-attainment to citizenship of the Tribal Council or Committee on Citizenship of the Cherokee Nation.

This testimony must be furnished on or before July 1st, 1902.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

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cc: Mr.

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In Reply, Please Refer to  
Bureau File No. 100-100000

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 1, 1902.

Mr. D. B. Duffell, Esq.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

In the matter of your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish this Commission additional testimony, showing your marriage to Maggie Duffell, in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation. Your daughter, Pearl, must make personal application for enrollment. This testimony must be furnished on or before July 1st, 1902.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Maggie Bufall for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl B., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A. and Herbert Bufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Bufall, as a citizen by inter-marriage, the application of George Bufall Jr., for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the application of Louis H. Bufall for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion H. and Eva Bufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing his application for the enrollment of his wife, Warren H. Bufall.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the



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applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 19, 1903.

George Zufall,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your wife, Maggie, and your six minor children, Pearl H., Oscar G., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A. and Herbert Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James B. Smith

Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 21, 1906.

George Zuffall,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

November 6, 1906, the United States Supreme Court held that white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens according to Cherokee law prior to November 1, 1875, are entitled to enrollment and allotments of land as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

You are advised that to properly determine your right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, it will be necessary for you to appear before the Commissioner for the purpose of giving testimony as to the date of your marriage and whether or not your wife, by reason of your marriage to whom you claim the right to enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, was a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation at the time of your marriage to her, and whether or not you were married to her in accordance with Cherokee laws.

You are, therefore, directed to appear before the Commissioner at Muskogee, Indian Territory, at 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, January 2, 1907, and give testimony as above indicated.

Respectfully,

J.H.H.

Acting Commissioner.







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Department of the Interior.  
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Muskogee, I. T., January 18, 1901.

In the matter of the application of George Bufall for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen; he being sworn and examined by Commissioner G. B. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name. A George Bufall.  
Q How old are you? A 24.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Muskogee.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q In what district do you claim citizenship? A Canadian.  
Q Do you live in Canadian? A I have up until last year.  
Q You have been living since that time in Muskogee? A I lived here when I was 10 years old, then I went to the Cherokee Nation until the last year.  
Q What are you doing in Muskogee? A I am a blacksmith.  
Q Who is it you want to have enrolled; just yourself? A Yes sir.  
Q You are a Cherokee by blood, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir, in the Creek Nation, this place.  
Q How much of your life have you spent in the Cherokee Nation? A About 12 years I guess.  
Q That is, 12 years up to about a year ago? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your father? A George Bufall.  
Q Is he dead? A No sir, he's living.  
Q Is he a Cherokee or white man? A No, he's German.  
Q Your mother? A She's a Cherokee.  
Q What is her name? A Maggie.  
Q Is she dead? A No sir, she's alive.  
Q Is your mother a native of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is she living now? A In Muskogee.  
Q How long has she lived in Muskogee? A I don't know, she was born here;— nearly all her life, I guess.  
Q Have you drawn money as a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you ever drawn money as a Creek? A No sir.  
Q Have you ever voted as a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you ever voted as a Creek? A No sir.  
Q You are working here now in a blacksmith shop, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q You are a single man, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any interests in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, we have a farm over there; two of them.  
Q They belong to your father? A Yes sir.  
Q You have interest in that property as a child? A That's all.  
1894 roll: page 82, #2314, George Bufall, Canadian district.  
1894 roll: page 85, #2312, Maggie Bufall, Canadian district.

Commissioner Breckinridge—

The applicant is identified on the roll of 1898 as a native Cherokee. He is not identified on the roll of 1890, and states that he was born in the Creek Nation and lived in the Creek Nation until some twelve years ago, since which time he has lived in the Cherokee Nation to within about one year ago, since which time he has lived at Muskogee, in the Creek Nation. He is now 24 years of age. He states that he has drawn money as a Cherokee, and never drew money as a Creek, and that he has voted as a Cherokee citizen, but never has voted as a Creek citizen. He also stated that his mother is a native Cherokee. He is not identified on the roll of 1890, but is identified on the roll of 1898. She made application for herself and other members of her family on the 15th of the present month, and reference is made to her case for further particulars in regard to this family. The applicant will now be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood, but with a doubtful case, for the further consideration of his case, and the decision will finally be made known to him at his present postoffice address.

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Name George Zuffell Jr Date Muskogee, I.T.  
 District CANADIAN. Year 1896 Page 83 No. 2214  
 Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship George Zuffell — W  
 Intermarried citizen Parents { Maggie — C  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

District \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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On 1896 roll as George Gufall



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Department of the Interior,  
Commission on the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D. C., March 22, 1907.

REPORT OF A. PHILLIPS, Chairman, on the application of  
George Smith, Jr., for the citizenship of himself as a Cherokee  
citizen.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee Nation.

BY Commission on the Five Civilized Tribes, by registered letter  
February 1, 1907, the following was received from the  
of himself as a Cherokee citizen, and was taken  
up by the Commission for final consideration and report.  
in evidence. The following is a copy of the evidence  
presented and the Commission's findings thereon, and  
the applicant's statement of his own case, and the  
evidence and findings of the Commission, and the  
Commission for final consideration based upon the evidence now of  
record.

I, H. D. Green, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and  
correct copy of the evidence and findings of the Commission on the Five  
Civilized Tribes as to the citizenship of George Smith, Jr., and that the foregoing is a true and correct  
transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

H. D. Green



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Cherokee B-1041

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
Hastings, I. T., March 10, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of George Infall for the enrollment of himself and wife, and children as Cherokee citizens.

TESTIMONY ON BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

BY COMMISSIONER: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 27th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its office in Hastings, Indian Territory, on the 17th day of March, 1902; receipt had been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and on this the 18th day of March, 1902, applicants appear in person, this case having been continued over from the 17th.

JOSEPH ROSS, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

Appearances:  
Applicants in person;  
W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation

BY COMMISSIONER HASTINGS:

- Q What is your name? A. Joshua Ross.  
Q What is your age? A. 69 years.  
Q What is your postoffice? A. Hastings.  
Q Please state what you may know about the citizenship of Mrs. Infall? A. In 1878 I made out papers asking signers, getting signers to give citizenship to George Infall and his wife Mrs. Infall. And I knew that they were married October 1873. And that they have lived together as man and wife ever since. That they had made a place over in Canadian District. George Infall's business has been here most all of the time; he has lived there and has lived here. He is a blacksmith, and has raised a large family of children I know. I know that she is a Cherokee Indian, and that he was married according to Cherokee law.  
Q How do you know that he was married according to Cherokee law?  
A Because he got the signers there and they presented it to the clerk.  
Q Did you ever see the license? A. No sir, I never saw the license.  
Q What do you know about her citizenship? A. Well, I know she was a Cherokee Indian.  
Q You don't know that she was ever admitted by any act of council?  
A. No, I don't know anything about that; I got acquainted with her here in 1878 or '9, was Cherokee Indian.  
Q Were recognized to your knowledge as a Cherokee citizens since that time? A. Yes sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q Where was she living when you first knew her? A. Living here in Hastings, but her relatives were living near Fort Gibson.  
Q What is about all you know about it? A. Yes sir, that's all I know.

ADVICE BY MR. HASTINGS TO THE COMMISSIONER AND MR. ROSS (THAT):  
FIND AS FOLLOWS:

BY COMMISSIONER HASTINGS:

- Q What is your name? A. Annie Elliott.  
Q What is your age? A. 22

Q Where do you live? A. In Muskogee.  
Q You know Mrs. Maggie Zufall? A. Yes sir.  
Q You know anything about her citizenship? A. She was always considered as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, a Cherokee.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation yourself? A. Yes sir.  
Q You know anything about her marriage to Mr. Zufall? A. I was present at her marriage.  
Q When was that? A. In 1878.  
Q You know whether they had a license from the Cherokee authorities? A. Why, no sir, I know the Judge from the Canadian District married them; Judge Taylor.  
Q They been living now together continuously since that time as man and wife? A. Yes sir.  
Q You know whether Mrs. Zufall was ever admitted as a Cherokee citizen by the Cherokee authorities? A. She never was out to be admitted. She has always been here; considered a Cherokee.  
Q You don't know whether her name is on the 1880 roll or not?  
A. I don't know; it ought to be, but she says they couldn't find it.  
Q What was her maiden name? A. Cobb.  
BY MR. HASTINGS:  
Q Where did you first know her Mrs. Willott? A. I knew her out in Canadian about Brushy Mountain, and Choctaw.  
Q How long before her marriage was that? A. I knew her about a year before she was married; I knew the family.  
Q You didn't have any personal knowledge of her before that time? A. No sir.  
Q Were you present at her marriage and know the judge of the district married her? A. Yes sir.  
Q Been living in Muskogee since that time? A. Yes sir, I think she lived in the Cherokee Nation while.  
Q Most of the time in Muskogee? A. Yes sir, they have always had a place.  
Q What is her father's name? A. Cobb.  
Q You know his first name? A. No sir.  
Q You know her mother's name? A. No sir.  
SIM GARLAND, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:  
BY COMMISSIONER HENDERSON:  
Q What is your name? A. Sim Garland.  
Q What is your age? A. 40.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A. Muskogee.  
Q What is your nationality? A. American.  
Q Do you know Maggie Zufall? A. I have known her ever since 1870, I think.  
You know anything about her Cherokee citizenship? A. Well, she was always considered a Cherokee ever since I knew her, she has always lived there.  
Q You know her husband George Zufall? A. Yes sir, I know him.  
Q You know anything about his marriage? A. Yes sir.  
Q What do you know? A. I was at Brushy Mountain when they were married; a few minutes after that Judge Taylor told me that George Zufall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it.  
Q Well have they lived together since that as man and wife?  
A. Yes sir, to the best of my knowledge.  
Q You know her father and mother? A. No sir, I don't know them.  
Q Don't know how much Cherokee blood she has? A. No sir.  
BY MR. HASTINGS:  
Q How do you happen to remember the circumstances of the Judge saying that Mr. Zufall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it? A. Never thought anything more about it, until Mr. Zufall asked me to come up here the other day, and I was thinking what the circumstances were.  
Q You never saw the license? A. No sir.  
Q Saw the ten dollar bill either? A. No sir, only he was talking about it, and he said he would like for a few more white men to get married.  
Q Did you know the judge who issued the license? A. No sir.  
Q Didn't know anything about that? A. No sir.

Q. The clerk of the district was not there was he? A. No, not that I know of.

Q. Your acquaintance with the woman is dated as far back as 1870?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You didn't know her parents? A. No sir.

GEORGE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q. What is your name? A. My name is George Zufall.

Q. What is your age? A. My age is 62.

Q. What is your post office? A. Muskogee.

Q. Are you the husband of Maggie Zufall? A. Yes sir.

Q. You were married to her according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you get out a regular marriage license? A. Went down to the office and got a certificate from the clerk of the court, handed it to Mr. Judge Taylor, and got married on Brushy Mountain under Cherokee law in the Cherokee Nation. I didn't get no marriage license, why I don't know, the time I got married I guess, I suppose they didn't get any, I don't know; our marriage license has never been on record.

Q. You haven't got the license? A. No sir.

Q. You are a white man? A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you lived with your wife continuously since that time?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You say you paid for the license? A. Down to the Falls, yes sir.

Q. How much did you pay? A. Two dollars; that was to the clerk of the court down at Webber Falls.

Q. Cherokee Court? A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you get out a petition? A. I got a petition, Mr. Ross there did.

Q. You got out a petition? A. Yes sir, had nine signers on it; Mr. Ross was one of the first ones that ever signed it.

Q. You never got the license back? A. No sir.

Q. License didn't cost you but two dollars? A. That was a certificate; I took the oath of allegiance down there and paid the clerk two dollars; that's all I paid.

Q. Was that the price of a marriage license at that time?; for a white man marrying a Cherokee woman, only two dollars? A. I couldn't tell you about that.

Q. Who did you pay the two dollars to? A. To the clerk of the court, his name is McCorkle; he is living yet.

Q. Who married you? A. Judge Taylor.

Q. You know whether your wife ever applied to the Cherokee authorities to be admitted as a Cherokee citizen or not? A. I don't know; we never went out of the Nation. I know under the compact law we could live in the Creek Nation as well as the Cherokee Nation, and we have had more property in the Cherokee Nation the last twenty years than we have got in the Creek Nation.

Q. Your wife was never admitted by the Cherokee authorities, that you knew of? A. Not that I know of. I don't know that it is necessary to be readmitted when we never lived out of the Nation.

MAGGIE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q. Your name is Maggie Zufall? A. Yes sir.

Q. You are the applicant here? A. Yes sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q. Your maiden name was Cobb? A. Yes sir.

Q. Where were you born? A. Georgia?

Q. When did you come to this country? A. I don't know, I was 8 years old when we come here.

Q. You are about 48 now? A. Yes sir.

Q. You came to this country then before the war? A. Yes a long time I reckon.



- Q. You stay here during the war? A. Yes. We were over in Gibson all during the war.
- Q. Did you live in the Cherokee Nation up until the time you were married? A. Yes sir.
- Q. Your father's name was Jack Cobb? A. Yes sir.
- Q. What was your mother's name? A. Lucy Vickory.
- Q. Where did your father and mother die? Over there about a half mile from Fort Gibson.
- Q. Where were you living at the time you married Bufall? A. I was living with my aunt down on the Arkansas River, at Frozen Rock.
- Q. In Canadian District? A. Yes sir.
- Q. Since that time you have either lived in Muskogee or Canadian District, once or the two? A. Yes sir.
- Q. Most of the time in Muskogee, A. Yes sir.

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q. You know the reason that your name is not on the 1880 roll?
- A. No, I really don't. We might have not been in the Nation, or maybe was sick or something, I don't know how it was.

GEORGE W. ELLIOTT, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q. What is your name?
- A. George W. Elliott.
- Q. What is your age? A. 66
- Q. What is your postoffice address? A. Muskogee.
- Q. What nationality are you? A. I was born in Baltimore, Maryland.
- Q. You are not an Indian? A. No sir.
- Q. Do you know Maggie Bufall? A. Yes sir.
- Q. How long have you known her? A. Since 1872 anyhow, I don't know whether it was before that or not.
- Q. You know anything about her marriage to George Bufall? A. Yes sir, I was at the wedding and stayed all night at their house.
- Q. You know whether he had a Cherokee license or not? A. No sir, I do not.
- Q. You know anything about the citizenship of Mrs. Bufall? A. No sir.

MRS. MAGGIE BUFALL, recalled and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q. Any questions you would like to ask him? A. No sir, not that I know of.
- Q. Any other witnesses? A. No, that is all we have.
- Q. Are you willing to submit your case to the Commission now on the testimony that has already been given? A. I don't know; if I am doubtful of course I can prove up that I am an Indian, if that is what you want to know. Indian by blood and I know my mother was an Indian.
- Q. Did you apply in 1896 to be enrolled as a citizen; did you apply to the Commission in 1896 under the law of June 10? A. I was I was enrolled wasn't I? No, I didn't apply to the Dawes Commission.
- Q. Fact is you have never applied to any Commission to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen before your present application? A. No sir.
- Q. Well if you are willing to submit the case on the testimony given the case will be ordered closed? A. Well, I guess that is alright, I am willing to. I can prove that I am an Indian; I have relations and agents who have got theirs.
- Q. You applied for your daughter Pearl when you applied for yourself?
- A. Yes sir.
- Q. She was 21 years of age? A. Yes sir.
- Q. Why didn't she apply for herself? A. She was not here, she was off at school and they told me it would be all right as she was under my care; it would be all right.
- Q. She is still unmarried? A. Yes sir.



I, [Name], do hereby certify that on the 24th of May, 1904, I received from [Name] a true and correct copy of the [Name] until the death of the [Name].

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that on the 24th of May, 1904, I received from [Name] a true and correct copy of the [Name] and complete [Name] of my [Name].

(Signature) M. D. Green

I, Frances E. [Name], an attorney at law to the [Name] the [Name] [Name] to [Name] the [Name] a true and complete copy of the evidence of [Name] the case D-1000.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [Name] day of May, 1904.

(Signature)  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE SEVEN CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Maggie Zufall, et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating the  
applications of:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Maggie Zufall, et al.    | Cherokee Doubtful No. 1041 |
| George Zufall, Jr.,      | " " " 1043                 |
| Lewis E. Zufall, et al., | " " " 1088                 |

4. DECISION.

The record in these cases shows that on January 15, 1901, Maggie Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl E., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A. and Herbert Zufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Zufall, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 18, 1902, June 27, 1902, August 20, 1902, and October 2, 1902.

On January 16, 1901, George Zufall, Jr., appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

On February 11, 1901, Lewis E. Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The application also included his wife, but as she is differently classified she is not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, a Cherokee citizen by blood, was born in Georgia, and was brought to the Cherokee Nation by her parents about the year 1858, being at that time about three years old. It is further shown that George Zufall, a white man, married his said wife Maggie, in 1873, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation. All of the applicants herein claim citizenship by blood through Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, with the exception of George Zufall, the husband of said Maggie Zufall, his rights being based upon said marriage.

It is further shown that Lewis E. Zufall was lawfully married in 1897, to one Lena J. Jones, and as a result of that marriage the minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, were born. Subsequent to the application of said Lewis E. Zufall, Eva Zufall was born.


Maggie McFall, nee Galt, David E. McFall, George and Lewis E. McFall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1880, 1884 and 1888. Oscar O. McFall, nee Galt, and R. McFall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1880, 1884 and 1888. Grace E. McFall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1880, 1884 and 1888. Herbert McFall is identified on the rolls of 1884 and 1888. Warren McFall is identified on the rolls of 1880 and 1884, as an individual. The only identification by birth certificate with a date of the record herein.


The evidence further shows that Maggie McFall has been a continuous resident in the Indian Territory since her removal there, as hereinbefore shown. Her husband, George McFall, has resided in the Indian Territory with his said wife, Maggie McFall, continuously since his marriage to her, up to and including September 1, 1905. The other applicants have resided in said Territory all their lives. Warren E. McFall is shown to have died February 13, 1905, as evidenced by death affidavit made a part of the record herein. It is presumed from the enrollment by the Cherokee Nation of Maggie McFall on the various rolls of said nation, as hereinbefore shown, and the further fact that her sister Mary E. Galt is identified on the 1880 Cherokee roll as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, that the said Maggie McFall and her family were duly and lawfully recognized and admitted as citizens by the tribal authorities of the Cherokee Nation subsequent to their removal to the Cherokee Nation in 1838.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the application for the enrollment of David E. McFall, David E. McFall, Oscar O. McFall, Maggie McFall, nee Galt, and Lewis E. McFall, and the McFall as citizens by blood, and George McFall as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, should be granted, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 25, 1896 (29 Stat., 497), and it is so ordered.

It is further ordered by this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Warren E. McFall as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE CHIEF CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
J. H. Johnston,  
Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

  
L. B. Beckwith,  
Assistant Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BIXBY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRACKINRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AVLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27,

1902

Mr. George Sufall, Jr.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 15 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Cherokee D-1045  
Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.  
Commissioner in Charge.



In Reply, please refer to  
Bureau File No. 100-100000

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 1, 1900.

George Taffall, Jr.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish this Commission with additional testimony, showing the recommendation of your mother, Mary Taffall, to citizenship by the Tribal Council or Committee on Citizenship of the Cherokee Nation.

This testimony must be furnished on or before July 1st, 1900.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register.

In Reply refer to  
Cherokee D 1042.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 9, 1908.

J. T. Parks,

National Sec'y., Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

In the matter of the application of George Eufall, Jr., of Muskogee, Indian Territory, for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, you are requested to furnish to this Commission additional testimony, showing the re-admission of his mother, Maggie Eufall, to citizenship by the Tribal Council or Committee on Citizenship of the Cherokee Nation.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

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Cherokee D-1042,  
1043, 1044.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Maggie Bufall for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl B., Oscar G., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A. and Herbert Bufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Bufall, as a citizen by intermarriage, the application of George Bufall Jr., for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the application of Louis B. Bufall for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion B. and Eva Bufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing his application for the enrollment of his child, Warren B. Bufall.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the

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applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Tammie C. [unclear]  
Chairman.

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Cherokee D-1043

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 19, 1903.

George Kufald Jr.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tams Bixby.  
Chairman.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Washington, D. C., February 1, 1907.

In the matter of the application of Lewis B. McFall for the enrollment of himself, wife and children in the Cherokee Nation, being sworn and examined by Commissioner V. A. Johnson, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name. A Lewis B. McFall.  
Q How old are you? A 27 years.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Canadian.  
Q In what district do you live? A Canadian district, Cherokee  
Q Is the United States? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you live in the Cherokee district? A Yes sir.  
Q Who do you live with? A Myself and two children.  
Q You have no wife? A Yes sir.  
Q Don't you want to marry for her? A Yes sir, for all of them.  
Q Are you a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your wife a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I was born  
and raised here in Muskogee; but always staid on my father's ranch  
in the Cherokee Nation until about four years ago.  
Q And then what? A I moved to Shreveport and run a blacksmith  
shop.  
Q You moved there four years ago? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you ever voted over there in the Creek Nation? A In  
the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Did you vote in the Creek Nation? A No sir.  
Q Always considered yourself a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q You continued to vote in the Cherokee Nation all the time?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your father. A George McFall.  
Q Is he dead? A No sir, he's living.  
Q Give me the name of your mother. A Margaret Ann McFall, nee  
Harrison.  
Q Is she alive? A Yes sir.  
Q Are your father and mother living in the Cherokee Nation? A No  
sir, they live here in Muskogee.  
Q Give me the name of your wife. A Jane J.  
Q When did you marry her? A I married in 1897 I think.  
Q How old is your wife? A She is 24 years old.  
Q What was her name when you married her? A Jones.  
Q Were you ever married except to her? A No sir.  
Q Has she ever married except to you? A No sir.  
Q You and she lived together ever since you were married? A Yes  
sir.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Marion B. McFall.  
Q How old is that child? A Three years old, last August.  
Q And then your next child is Warren B. McFall? A Yes sir.  
Q He was one year old last December? A Yes sir.

The applicant presents a certificate showing that he was  
married on the 4th of May, 1897, to Jane Jones, a citizen of  
the United States of Judge V. A. Johnson, of Canadian district.  
This is filed herewith.

- Q Your wife's name ought to have been put Jane in the certificate  
as Jones — they have, is young have they? A Yes sir.

The Cherokee Census roll of 1890 examined and the name  
of the applicant is found on page 25, No. 2215, as Lewis  
McFall, in Canadian district.  
The authenticated roll of 1890 examined, and the name of  
the applicant is not found thereon.

- Q How come it that you are not on the roll of 1890? A I don't  
know hardly. I left it to my mother I guess.  
Q But I don't find your father or mother on that roll? A No sir.

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Q You were born in the Cherokee Nation? A I was born in Muskogee. I staid on father's farm until I got old enough, about twenty-one miles from Muskogee in the Cherokee Nation.

Commissioner Brockbridge

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself, his wife and two children. He states that he is a Cherokee, and that his wife is a white woman. He is identified on the roll of 1901 as a native Cherokee, but not upon the roll of 1904 nor is his father or mother identified on the roll of 1900. He states that he was born in Muskogee, in the Creek Nation, and that after he was old enough to be of use upon the farm he lived on his father's farm in the Cherokee Nation until four years ago, since which time he has lived at Okcoteah where he has the trade of a blacksmith. He states that he has voted at elections in the Cherokee Nation, and never at any elections in the Creek Nation. He will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood upon a doubtful card for the further consideration of his case, and reference is made to Case B-1041; the same being the case of his father, and also D-1043, the case of a brother. He is shown to have married his wife in 1897, two days under the Cherokee law of December 16, 1895, to entitle her to enrollment. He states that neither was previously married, and that they have lived together since their marriage. Two applications for her enrollment is rejected. When he presents satisfactory certificates of birth of the two children, Mariah B. and Warren B. Sufall, these children will be listed for enrollment as Cherokees by blood upon the doubtful card with their father.

H.C. Rotherbenger, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes in said case.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February, 1904.

*E. G. Rotherbenger*  
*C. A. Sufall*  
Commissioner



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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1) Name Louis E. Tappan Date 1874 Page 83 No. 1  
 District Can  
 Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship yes  
 Intermarried citizen no  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

2 Wife's name Louise Tappan

District \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

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License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Children

2 Margaret Tappan Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age 3

1 Harriet E. Dist. \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age 1

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of  
INFANT CHILD.

Marion Raymond Zufall.

As a citizen of the

Cherokee Nation.

Approved FEB 11 1901



Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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 ACTING CHAIRMAN.

Department of the Interior,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
of Marion Raymond Zufall, born on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897  
Name of father: Louis E. Zufall, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Name of mother: Lena J. Zufall, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Post Office: Checotah Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, Lena J. Zufall, on oath, state that I am 27 years of age and a  
citizen, by Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the  
lawful wife of Louis E. Zufall who is a citizen, by Blood, of the  
Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was born to me on the 10<sup>th</sup> day  
of August, 1897; that said child has been named Marion Raymond Zufall  
and is now living.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1901.  
My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, D. M. Pate, Physician, on oath, state that I  
attended on Mrs. Lena J. Zufall, wife of Louis E. Zufall  
on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1897; that there was born to her on said date a Male child;  
that said child is now living and is said to have been named Marion Raymond Zufall.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1901.  
My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

Notary Public.

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Department of the Interior,  
Washington, D. C.

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Commissioner



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One of the two applicant's wife is living - one is deceased.

*[Signature]*

COMPLAINT 10185 F.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Eva Zuffall*  
as a citizen of  
*Cherokee* Nation

Approved, *February 15* 1902  
*C. R. Maxim*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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*[Signature]*  
Assistant Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Eva Zufall (Here insert name of child), born on the 20th day of August, 1901  
Name of Father: Lewis E. Zufall, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Lena J. Zufall, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Muskogee, I.T.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Northern District.

I, Lena J. Zufall, on oath state that I am 28  
years of age and a citizen, by Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Lewis E. Zufall, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a female child was  
(male or female.)  
born to me on the 20th day of August, 1901; that said child has been  
named Eva Zufall, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN

Lena J. Zufall(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1902  
My term Expires  
January 30, 1905 Joshua Ross  
NOTARY PUBLIC

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Northern District.

I, M. F. Williams M.D., a Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Lena J. Zufall, wife of Lewis E. Zufall,  
on the 20th day of August, 1901; that there was born to her on  
said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female.)  
named Eva Zufall.

WITNESSES TO SIGN

M. F. Williams M.D.(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1902  
My term Expires  
January 30, 1905 Joshua Ross  
NOTARY PUBLIC

To be filed with case D-1086

Cherokee D-1041

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION ON THE FIRST APPLICANTS  
Muskogee, I. T. March 18, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL FIRST APPLICANTS. in the matter of the application of George Sufall for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens.

TESTIMONY ON BEHALF OF APPLICANTS.

BY COMMISSIONER: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 27th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 17th day of March, 1902; receipt has also been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and on this the 18th day of March, 1902, the applicants appear in person, this case having been continued over from the 17th.

JOSHUA ROSS, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

Appearances:  
Applicants in person;  
W. W. Hastings attorney for the Cherokee

Nation.

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

- Q. What is your name? A. Joshua Ross.  
Q. What is your age? A. 49 years.  
Q. What is your postoffice? A. Muskogee.  
Q. Please state what you may know about the citizenship of Mrs. Sufall? A. In 1873 I made out papers asking signers, getting signers to give citizenship to George Sufall and his wife Mrs. Sufall. And I know that they were married October 1873. And that they have lived together as man and wife ever since. That they had a place over in Canadian District. George Sufall's business has been here most all of the time; he has lived there and has lived here. He is a blacksmith, and has raised a large family of children I know. I know that she is a Cherokee Indian, and that he was married according to Cherokee law.  
Q. How do you know that he was married according to Cherokee law?  
A. Because he got the signers there and they presented it to the clerk.  
Q. Did you ever see the license? A. No sir, I never saw the license.  
Q. What do you know about her citizenship? A. Well, I know she was a Cherokee Indian.  
Q. You don't know that she was ever admitted by any act of council?  
A. No, I don't know anything about that; I got acquainted with her here in 1873 or '8, as a Cherokee Indian.  
Q. Been recognized to you knowledge as a Cherokee citizen since that time? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Where was she living when you first knew her? A. Living here in Muskogee, but her relatives were living near Fort Gibson.  
Q. That is about all you know about it? A. Yes sir, that's all I know.

AMANDA HILLIOTT BEING FIRST DULY SWORN AND BEING EXAMINED TESTIFIED AS FOLLOWS



BY COMMISSIONER HARRIS:

- Q. What is your name? A. Annie Elliott.  
Q. What is your age? A. 33.  
Q. Where do you live? A. In Muskogee.  
Q. You know Mrs. Maggie Zafall? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Do you know anything about her citizenship? A. She was always considered as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, a Cherokee.  
Q. Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation yourself? A. Yes sir.  
Q. You know anything about her marriage to Mr. Zafall? A. I was present at her marriage.  
Q. When was that? A. In 1873.  
Q. You knew whether they had a license from the Cherokee authorities? A. Yes, no sir; I knew the judge of the Canadian District married them; Judge Taylor.  
Q. They been living continuously together since that time as man and wife? A. Yes sir.  
Q. You know whether Mrs. Zafall was ever admitted as a Cherokee citizen by the Cherokee authorities? A. She was never out to be admitted. She has always been here; considered as a Cherokee.  
Q. You know whether her name is on the 1880 roll or not?  
A. I don't know but it ought to be, but she says they couldn't find it.  
Q. What was her maiden name? A. Cobb.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q. Where did you first know her Mrs. Elliott? A. I knew her out in Canadian about Brushy Mountain, and Choctaw.  
Q. How long before her marriage was that? A. I know her about a year before she was married; I knew the family.  
Q. You didn't have any personal knowledge of her before that time?  
A. No sir.  
Q. Were you present at her marriage and knew the judge of the District married her? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Been living in Muskogee since that time? A. Oh I think she lived in the Cherokee Nation awhile.  
Q. Most of the time in Muskogee? A. Yes sir, they have always had a place.  
Q. What is her father's name? A. Cobb.  
Q. You know his first name? A. No sir.

BY MR. GARLAND, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER HARRIS:

- Q. What is your name? A. Sir Garland.  
Q. What is your age? A. 46.  
Q. What is your post office address? A. Muskogee.  
Q. What is your nationality? A. Choctaw.  
Q. Do you know Maggie Zafall? A. I have known her ever since 1873 I think.  
Q. You know anything about her Cherokee citizenship? A. Well she was always considered a Cherokee ever since I know her, she has always lived there.  
Q. You know her husband George Zafall? A. Yes sir, I know him.  
Q. You know anything about his marriage? A. Yes sir.  
Q. What do you know? A. I was at Brushy Mountain when they were married; a few minutes after that Judge Taylor told me that George Zafall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it.  
Q. Well they have lived together since that as man and wife? A. Yes sir, to the best of my knowledge.  
Q. You know her father and mother? A. No sir, I don't know them.  
Q. Don't know how much Cherokee blood she has? A. No sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q. How do you happen to remember the circumstances of the Judge saying that George Zafall handed him a license with a ten dollar bill in it? A. Never thought anything more about it, until Mr. Zafall said



falls

ed me to come up here the other day, and I was thinking what the circumstances were.

Q. You never saw the license? A. No sir.

Q. Nor that dollar bill either? A. No sir, only he was talking about it, and he said that he would like for a few more white men to get married.

A. Did you know the judge who issued the license? A. No sir.

Q. Didn't know anything about that? A. No sir.

Q. The clerk of the district was not there was he? A. No, not that I know of.

Q. Your acquaintance with this woman is dated as far back as 1870?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You didn't know her parents? A. No sir.

GEORGE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q. What is your name? A. My name is George Zufall.

Q. What is your age? A. My age is 42.

Q. What is your post office? A. Muskogee.

Q. Are you the husband of Maggie Zufall? A. Yes sir.

Q. You were married to her according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you get out a regular marriage license? A. Went down to the office and got a certificate from the clerk of the court, handed it to Mr. Judge Taylor, and got married on Brushy Mountain under Cherokee law in the Cherokee Nation. I didn't get no marriage license, why I don't know, the time I got marriage I guess, I suppose they didn't get any, I don't know; our marriage license has never been on record.

Q. You haven't got the license? A. No sir.

Q. You are a white man? A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you lived with your wife continuously since that time?

A. Yes sir.

Q. You say you paid for the license? A. Yes sir, down to the Falls.

Q. How much did you pay? A. Two dollars; that was to the clerk of the court down to Webbers Falls.

Cherokee court? A. Yes sir.

Q. Did you get out a petition? A. I got a petition, Mr. Ross there did.

Q. You got out a petition? A. Yes sir, had nine signers on it; Mr. Ross was one of the first ones that ever signed it.

Q. You never got the license back? A. No sir.

Q. License didn't cost you but two dollars? A. That was a certificate I took the oath of allegiance down there and paid the clerk two dollars; that's all I paid.

Q. Was that the price of a marriage license at that time? For a white man marrying a Cherokee woman, only two dollars? A. I couldn't tell you about that.

Q. Who did you pay the two dollars to? A. To the clerk of the court, his name is McGorkle; he is living yet.

Q. Who married you? A. Judge Taylor.

Q. You know whether your wife ever applied to the Cherokee authorities to be admitted as a Cherokee citizen or not? A. I don't know; we never went out of the Nation. I know under the compact law we

could live in the Creek Nation or still in the Cherokee Nation, and we have had more property in the Cherokee Nation the last twenty years than we have got in the Creek Nation.

Q. Your wife was never admitted by the Cherokee authorities, that you know of? A. Not that I know of. I don't know as it is necessary to be readmitted when we never lived out of the Nation.

MAGGIE ZUFALL, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER NEEDLES:

Q. Your name is Maggie Zufall? A. Yes sir.

Q. You are the applicant here? A. Yes sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS.

- Q. Your maiden name was Cobb? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Where were you born? A. Georgia.  
Q. When did you come to this country? A. I don't know, I was three years old then we come here.  
Q. You are about 48 now? A. Yes sir.  
Q. You came to the country then before the war? A. Yes a long time I reckon.  
Q. You stay here during the war? A. Yes. We were over in Gibson all during the war.  
Q. Did you live in the Cherokee Nation up until the time you were married? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Your father's name was Jack Cobb? A. Yes sir.  
Q. What was your mother's name?  
A. Lucy Vickory.  
Q. Where did your father and mother die? A. Over there about a half mile from Fort Gibson.  
Q. Where were you living at the time you married Sufall? A. I was living with my aunt down on the Arkansas river, at Frozen Rock.  
Q. In Canadian District? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Since that time you have either lived in Muskogee or Canadian District, one or the two? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Most of the time in Muskogee? A. Yes sir.

BY COMMISSIONER HENDRICKS:

- Q. You know the reason that your name is not on the 1880 roll?  
A. No, I really don't. We might have been in the Nation, or maybe was sick or something, I don't know how it was.

GEORGE W. ELLIOTT, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER HENDRICKS:

- Q. What is your name? A. George W. Elliott.  
Q. What is your age? A. 66.  
Q. What is your postoffice address? A. Muskogee.  
Q. What nationality are you? A. I was born in Baltimore, Maryland.  
Q. You are not an Indian? A. No sir.  
Q. Do you know Maggie Sufall? A. Yes sir.  
Q. How long have you known her? A. Since 1898 anyhow, I don't know whether it was before that or not.  
Q. You know anything about her marriage to George Sufall? A. Yes sir I was at the wedding and stayed all night at their house.  
Q. You know whether he had a Cherokee license or not?  
A. No sir, I do not.  
Q. You know anything about the citizenship of Mrs. Sufall? A. No sir.

MRS. MAGGIE SUFALL, recalled and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER HENDRICKS:

- Q. Any questions you would like to ask him? A. No sir, not that I know of.  
Q. Any other witnesses? A. No, that is all we have.  
Q. Are you willing to submit your case to the Commission now on the testimony that has already been given? A. I don't know; if I am doubtful of course I can prove up that I am an Indian, if that is what you want to know. Indian by blood, and I know my mother was an Indian.  
Q. Did you apply in 1896 to be enrolled as an Indian citizen; did you apply to the Commission in 1896 under the law of June 10? A. I was enrolled wasn't I? No, I didn't apply to the Dawes Commission.  
Q. But is you have never applied to any Commission to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen before your present application? A. No sir.  
Q. Well if you are willing to submit the case on the testimony given the case will be ordered closed? A. Well I guess that is all right, I am willing to- I can prove I am an Indian; I have relations and wants who have got theirs.  
Q. You applied for your daughter Pearl when you applied for yourself? A. Yes sir. Q. She was 21 years of age? A. Yes sir. Q. Why didn't she apply for herself? A. She was not here, she was off at school and

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for the Five Civilized Tribes I am  
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(Signed) M. D. Green.

I, Frances S. Botelahr as stenographer to the Commission to the Five  
Civilized Tribes do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is  
a true and complete copy of the evidence offered in Cherokee case  
D-1041.

*Frances S. Botelahr*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
day of May, 1904.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.





Supl.-C.D.#1936.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 26, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL to the matter of the enrollment of LEWIS E. ZUFALL,  
ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 26, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 19th day of March, 1902. The applicant has this day, been called and fails to respond either in person or by attorney, and it is directed that a copy of the testimony had on the 19th day of March, 1902, in the matter of the application of the applicant's mother, Maggie Zufall, Cherokee No. 1041, be filed with and made a part of the record in this case. This case is now deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. O. Brown, do hereby certify upon my official oath as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings this day had in the above application, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Brown*



...a citizen of the Cherokee Nation and ...  
Johns, a citizen of the United States this ...  
1907.

W. S. Agnew, Judge.

I, the undersigned stenographer to the ...  
Five Civilized Tribes do hereby certify that the above and ...  
is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the  
matter of the application for the enrollment of Lewis E. Bufall et  
al. as citizens of the Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
June 5, 1908.

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Cherokee D-1041, D-1043 & D-1088.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Maggie Zufall et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating  
the applications of:

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|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Maggie Zufall et al.,   | Cherokee Doubtful No. 1041 |
| George Zufall Jr.,      | " " " 1043                 |
| Lewis E. Zufall et al., | " " " 1088                 |

DECISION.

The record in these cases shows that on January 15, 1901, Maggie Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl E., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin E., Grace A. and Herbert Zufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Zufall, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 18, 1902, June 27, 1902, August 28, 1902, and October 2, 1902.

On January 16, 1901, George Zufall Jr., appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

On February 11, 1901, Lewis E. Zufall appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The application also included his wife, but as she is differently classified she is not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, a Cherokee citizen by blood, was born in Georgia, and was brought to the Cherokee Nation by her parents about the year 1858, being at that time about three years old. It is further shown that George Zufall a white man, married his said wife, Maggie, in 1873, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation. All of the applicants herein claim citizenship by blood through Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, with the exception of George Zufall, the husband of said Maggie Zufall, his rights being based upon said marriage.

It is further shown that Lewis E. Zufall was lawfully married in 1897, to one Lena J. Jones, and as a result of that marriage the minor children, Marion E. and Warren E. Zufall, were born. Subsequent to the application of said Lewis E. Zufall, Eva Zufall was born.

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Maggie Zufall, nee Cobb, Pearl E. Zufall, George Zufall Jr., and Lewis E. Zufall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1896. Oscar O. Zufall, Maggie Zufall and Benjamin E. Zufall are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1896. Grace A. Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1890, 1894 and 1896. Herbert Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1894 and 1896. George Zufall is identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1890 and 1896, as an inter-married white person. Marion E. Zufall and Eva Zufall are duly identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

The evidence further shows that Maggie Zufall has been a continuous resident in the Indian Territory since her removal thereto, as hereinbefore shown. Her husband, George Zufall, has resided in the Indian Territory with his said wife, Maggie Zufall, continuously since his marriage to her, up to and including September 1, 1902. The other applicants have resided in said Territory all their lives. Warren E. Zufall is shown to have died February 13, 1902, as evidenced by death affidavit made a part of the record herein. It is presumed from the enrollment by the Cherokee Nation of Maggie Zufall on the various rolls of said nation, as hereinbefore shown, and the further fact that her sister Mary E. Agnew is identified on the 1880 Cherokee roll as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, that the said Maggie Zufall and her family were duly and lawfully recognized or admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities of the Cherokee Nation subsequent to their removal to the Cherokee Nation in 1858.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Maggie Zufall, Pearl E. Zufall, Oscar O. Zufall, Maggie Zufall, Benjamin E. Zufall, Grace A. Zufall, Herbert Zufall, George Zufall Jr., Lewis E. Zufall, Marion E. Zufall and Eva Zufall as citizens by blood, and George Zufall as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, should be granted, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), and it is so ordered.

It is further ordered by this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Warren E. Zufall as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

(signed) Tom Bixby  
Chairman.

(signed) T. E. Hedley  
Commissioner.

(signed) G. B. McKinstry  
Commissioner.

Noted at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this Mar - 1 1903

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James C. Haggard

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THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRUCKENRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REPLY IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee Nation

February 22,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

1904.

ADDRESS ONLY IN  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Mr. Louis N. Smith,

Cherokee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

yourself and three minor

You are hereby notified that the application of  
children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 10 day of March, 1904.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application, that you may deem necessary.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Register.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Acting Chairman.



Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Maggie Zufall for the enrollment of herself and her children, Pearl B., Oscar O., Maggie, Benjamin H., Grace A. and Herbert Zufall, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, George Zufall, as a citizen by inter-marriage, the application of George Zufall, Jr., for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the application of Lewis H. Zufall for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Marion B. and Eva Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing his application for the enrollment of his child, Warren H. Zufall.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the

applicant. If you fail to take the necessary steps, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Very truly yours,

Enc. M-3163.

Cherokee Nation

COPY.

Hockagee, Indian Territory, March 12, 1903.

Louis E. Zufall,

Cherokee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two minor children, Varion E. and Eva Zufall, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing your application for the enrollment of your minor child, Warren E. Zufall, he having died on February 13, 1902.

Respectfully,

Tamm E. E. E.

Chairman.

Rev. E. E.

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the act.  
Q Do you know when his father and mother died? A Both killed during  
Q And the name of his mother was Jane Howell? A Yes sir.  
Q And you saw the name of his father was William Howell? A Yes sir.  
Q Did he live in the Charles Howell at the time? A Yes sir.  
Q Not in 1880? A He was dead with the measles at Athens.  
Q Do you know the exact date the name of Charles Howell was put on the  
Q These children the first of this time? A Yes sir.  
Q How old Charles was then in November, 1884? A Yes sir on the 15th

me told sb. sth.



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T. February, 15th 1901.

In the matter of the application of Malinda Norton for the enrollment of William Ross, Francis M. Ross, George Ross, Annie Ross and Margaret Ross as Cherokee citizens. She being sworn before Commissioner T. D. Needles, testified as follows:-

- Q What is your name? A. Malinda Norton.  
Q What is your age? A. 41.  
Q What is your post office? A. Webbers Falls.  
Q What district do you live in? A. Canadian.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. No sir.  
Q Are you married? A. Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A. Theodore Norton.  
Q For whom do you apply now? A. For five children by Mr. Ross.  
Q Was he your first husband? A. Yes sir.  
Q What was his first name? A. Charles.  
Q Is he living? A. No sir, he was killed.  
Q And since his death you have married again? A. Yes sir.  
Q Was Charles Ross a Cherokee Indian by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A. In 1881.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage? A. No sir, lost it.  
Q What are the names of these children for whom you apply for enrollment? A. William Ross.  
Q How old? A. 18.  
Q Next child? A. Francis M.  
Q How old? A. 18.  
Q Next child? A. George.  
Q How old? A. 8.  
Q Next child? A. Annie.  
Q How old? A. 8.  
Q Next child? A. Margaret V.  
Q How old? A. 7.  
Q Are these children living now? A. Yes sir.  
Q You say you were married to Charles Ross in 1881? A. Yes sir.  
Q When did he die? A. Been dead ever since November, 15th 1894.  
Q Did you live with him continuously from the time you married him until he died? A. Yes sir.  
Q Do you know his father's name? A. William Ross.  
Q Is William Ross living? A. No sir.  
Q Do you know his mother's name? A. Yes sir.  
Q What is it? A. Annie Spears.  
Q Do you know whether your husband's name is on the 1880 roll? A. I can't know.  
Q How much Indian blood did Charles Ross have? A. Cannot say how much.

Upon an examination of the Cherokee census roll of 1880, there is found on page 1284, 2729 the name of William Ross in Tahlequah district. On page 1284, 2729 thereof appears the name of Francis M. Ross in Tahlequah district. On page 1284, 2721, thereof appears the name of Georgia Ross in Tahlequah district. On page 1284, 2728 thereof appears the name of Annie Ross in Tahlequah district.

Upon an examination of the 1894 Pay roll of the Cherokee Nation on page 1155, 2644 appears the name of Charles Ross in Tahlequah district; on page 1155, 2645 thereof appears the name of Willie Ross in Tahlequah district; on page 1155, 2646 appears the name of Francis M. Ross in Tahlequah district. On page 1153, 2645 appears the name of George Ross in Tahlequah district. On page 1153, 2646 appears the name of Annie Ross in Tahlequah district.

Q You say Charles Ross died in November, 1884? A. Yes sir on the 15th.  
Q These children are all alive at this time? A. Yes sir.  
Q Do you know the reason why the name of Charles Ross is not on the roll of 1880? A. He was down with the measles at Vinita.  
Q Did he live in the Cherokee Nation all the time? A. Yes sir.  
Q And you say the name of his father was William Ross? A. Yes sir.  
Q And the name of his mother was Anna Ross? A. Yes sir.  
Q Do you know when his father and mother died? A. Both killed during the war.

Com'r Needles,-

The name of Charles Ross, the sworred father of the children applied for, is found on the pay roll of 1884. His name is not on the authenticated roll of 1880. Applicant avers that she is a non-citizen and was married to the said Charles Ross in 1881, and that he died in 1884 in the month of November, consequently his name is not on the census roll of 1880. Applicant avers that he said marriage she had five children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, whose names are on the census roll of 1880 and the pay roll of 1884 with the exception of the youngest child, Margaret V. Ross whose name does not appear on any of said rolls, said child being seven years of age. By reason of the fact that the name of the said Charles Ross does not appear on the authenticated roll of 1880, and from the fact that no proof of marriage as to the marriage made between the parents of these children is made, and from the fact that the name of the child Margaret V. does not appear upon the census roll of 1880 and no proof of birth being made, final judgment as to the enrollment of the said children will be suspended and their names will be placed on a doubtful card awaiting proof of citizenship as to the father, Charles Ross, proof of marriage between Malinda Morton and Charles Ross, and proof of birth as to the youngest child. The applicant's present name is Malinda Morton, she having married a man named Morton since the death of the said Charles Ross.

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Chas. von Zeise, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the proceedings in the above cause and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereon.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th of February, 1884.

*Chas. von Zeise*  
*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Intermarried citizen

Married under what law

Date of marriage

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Wife's name Mabelida Ross

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Names of Children:

- 1 William Ross
- 2 Francis W. "
- 3 George "
- 4 Annie
- 5 Margaret V.

Parent's children

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| William Ross      | Sah   | 1896 | 1234 | 2789 | 18  |
| Francis W. "      | "     | "    | 1234 | 2790 | 15  |
| George "          | "     | "    | "    | 2791 | 7   |
| Annie             | "     | "    | "    | 2792 | 8   |
| Margaret V.       | "     | "    | "    | "    | 7   |
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M. Ross 1896 rec as Georgia Ross.  
 Proof of citizenship of Father of Nos. 1, 2,  
 3, 4 and 5 to be supplied.  
 Proof of marriage of parents of  
 children to be supplied.  
 No. certificate of birth to be supplied.

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**IN RE**

Application for Enrollment of

**INFANT CHILD**

*Margaret V. Ross*

as a citizen of

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved **FEB 18 1901** 190

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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*[Signature]*

ACTING CHAIRMAN



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Margaret C. Ross, born on the 15th day of January, 1894  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: Charles Ross (deceased), a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Malinda C. Moton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Webbers Falls, Ia

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
District. }

I, Malinda C. Moton, on oath state that I am 41  
years of age and a citizen, by marriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I ~~am~~ <sup>was</sup> the lawful wife of Charles Ross (deceased), who ~~is~~ <sup>was</sup> a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 15th day of January, 1894 that said child has been  
named Margaret C. Ross, and is now living the whereabouts  
of the attending midwife is unknown, and there is no  
one who can say who was present at birth.  
(Must be Two Witnesses) { W. D. Lacey,  
Malinda C. Moton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Feb, 1901.

M. D. Green  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
District. }

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_, wife of \_\_\_\_\_,  
on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1894; that there was born to her on  
said date a \_\_\_\_\_ child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named \_\_\_\_\_  
(male or female.)

WITNESSES TO SIGNED:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1901.

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There is a fine and complete transcript of a stenographic report  
 regarding the above subject, and that the  
 Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the  
 I. J. O. Brown, do hereby certify that an stenographer to the

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Mr. J. O. Brown, Special Representative, present.

of record.

The Commission for final decision upon the evidence now  
 on, and the case is deemed closed and will be referred to  
 been called and fails to reach the point in person at the  
 the subject has this day, to wit: the 15th day of March, 1905,  
 and introduce any further testimony affecting his application.  
 subject before the Commission. It was in person or by someone  
 and that on said date an objection was made to the admission  
 Muskogee, Indian Territory, of the 15th day of March, 1905,  
 for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in  
 at St. Louis, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up  
 28, 1905, that his application for the enrollment of himself,  
 the subject, was notified by registered letter by mail.

ST. LOUIS, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

SUBMITTED TO THE SECRET OF THE ENROLLMENT OF ALIEN BORN

Muskogee, I. T., March 15, 1905.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Sapl.-C.D.#1112.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 19, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of WILLIAM ROSE,  
ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 28, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, et al., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 19th day of March, 1902, and that on said date an opportunity would be given him to appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney and introduce any further testimony affecting his application. The applicant has this day, to-wit: the 19th day of March, 1902, been called and fails to respond either in person or by attorney, and the case is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee representative, present.

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I, J. O. Rodson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the proceedings had this day in the above application, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Rodson*

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Witnessed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, 1908.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Example notes thereon.  
That the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the statements made in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and atmosphere to the Court and to the five Civilized Tribes as required by the provisions of the Act, and that the same are true and correct.

Notary Public

*John F. Smith*

Char. B-1112.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I.T., May 25, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Malinda Norton for the  
enrollment of William, Francis M., George, Anne and Margaret Ross,  
as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL TO B-1112.

Testimony in behalf of applicants.

Cherokee Nation appears by V. V. Hastings.

JOSHUA ROSS, being first duly sworn, testified as fol-  
lows:

- COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Joshua Ross.
- Q How old are you, Mr. Ross? A 60.
- Q Your postoffice address? A Muskogee.
- Q Were you acquainted with Charles Ross? A Yes, sir.
- Q Were you acquainted with his wife, who is now Malinda Norton? A No, I wasn't acquainted with her.
- Q Are you related to Charles Ross in any manner? A He was a nephew of mine.
- Q What was his father's name? A William C. Ross.
- Q When did his father die? A He died in '64.
- Q What was the name of Charles Ross' mother? A Anna.
- Q When did she die? A She died in '62.
- Q Were the parents of Charles Ross both Cherokees? A Yes, sir.
- Q When did Charles Ross die? A He died in '64.
- Q '64? A '64 I mean.
- Q Had he always lived in the Cherokee Nation prior to his death? A Yes, sir.
- Q Had he always been recognized as a citizen of the Nation? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know why his name doesn't appear upon the roll of 1860? A No, I don't, but I have a letter from Judge Henry Ross, an uncle of mine, saying that he was over in Coconawaw District in 1860.
- Q And failed to enroll because he was in Coconawaw District? A Well it was supposed that he was sick, I don't know that.
- Q What district did this Charles Ross belong to? A He was born in Tahlequah District, and was raised in Saline District, went to the Graham Asylum when it was at the male seminary in Tahlequah, and then after that he lived in Saline with his grandmother, my mother, Susan Ross, and after her death he worked about and went over to Coconawaw District, and was married there, and then lived in Saline again, afterwards moved to Tahlequah District, where he was killed.
- Q How do you know of your own knowledge whether or not he was ever outside of the Territory from the time of his birth up until the time he died for the purpose of making his home? A Yes, sir, I can swear to that; he never lived outside of the Nation.
- Q Do you know all these children of his? A No, only I have never seen them, only know their names.
- Q You don't know anything about his wife? A I was informed that she remarried; married a man by the name of Norton.
- Q You don't know anything about her marriage to Charles Ross, do you? A No, but then I have a letter from Joel Bryant saying that his father married by a contract in Coconawaw District.
- Q Do you know whether or not Malinda Norton and Charles Ross lived together from the time of their marriage up until the time of



LEONARD O. CHANDLER, Mayor of the City of New York,  
County of New York, State of New York,  
do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy  
of the original as the same appears in the files of the City of New York.

*Arthur J. [Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1942.

*(30) R. K. [Signature]*

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Margaret W. Ross  
as a citizen of

Approved

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Margaret V. Ross, born on the 17 day of Jan, 1880  
(State next name of child)  
Name of Father: Charles Ross, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Malinda Horton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Madison

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northern District.

I, Malinda Horton, on oath state that I am 42  
years of age and a citizen, by Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Charles Ross, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a female child was  
born to me on the 17 day of Jan, 1880; that said child has been  
named Margaret V. Ross, and is now living.

Malinda Horton

(Must be True)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

5 day of

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J. C. Buchanan  
NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Northern District.

I, Mrs. Rena Fair, midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Malinda Ross, wife of Charles Ross,  
on the 17 day of Jan, 1880; that said child is now living and is named Margaret V. Ross.

Rena Fair

(Must be True)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10 day of

June

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J. F. Buchanan  
NOTARY PUBLIC

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT



CHEROKEE NATION.  
TANLEQUAN, INDIAN TERRITORY.

I, B.W. Alberty, Assistant Executive secretary of the Cherokee Nation do hereby certify that the following names:

|                                |                             |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| "Ross Charles, N.C. age 30 M." | former, (shows was married) |
| "Malinda A.W. " 29 F."         | (Shows was married)         |
| "William N.C. " 7 M."          |                             |
| "Marian N.C. " 5 M."           |                             |
| "Henry N.C. " 3 M."            |                             |

are to be found on the Census roll of Saline District Cherokee Nation taken in the year of 1890 and shows to have been "Persons entitled to and exercising Citizenship" in said District and Nation; that said census roll has been filed in this Office by law and is in my legal custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the 12th day of June 1902.

*B.W. Alberty*  
Assistant Executive secretary.  
Cherokee Nation.

subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of July, 1902.

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whereof the foregoing is an accurate transcript of the original notes  
testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that  
the same are to the true and correct copies of the original records of the



In the matter of the application of WILLIAM ROSS, for enrollment of WILLIAM ROSS, Cherokee Nation, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

REBEKA FAIR, called as a witness being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Reba Fair.  
Q How old are you? A I am 44 or 45 I guess.  
Q What is your post office address? A Choteau.  
Q Do you know Charles Ross? A Yes sir, he was my brother.  
Q What was his citizenship? A Cherokee.  
Q Where was he born? A He was born up at Tahlequah.  
Q Was he born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did he live here after his birth? A As long as he lived. He lived until he was thirty seven.  
Q Was he ever outside the Cherokee Nation after his birth? A Never, only to go to Fort Smith and Parsons.  
Q How long did he stay at Fort Smith and Parsons? A About three days.  
Q Where was he living in 1880? A Among his friends sometimes. Sometimes he stayed with me and sometimes with uncle Joe.  
Q You are his full sister? A His full sister.  
Q Have any other brother or sister? A Yes sir we had a brother and sister but they are both dead.  
Q What was his wife's name? A Malinda Nix.  
Q What is her name now? A Morton now, I guess.  
Q Is she a white woman? A Yes, she is a white woman.  
Q When was he married to her? A In 1881.  
Q Did you see them married? A No sir.  
Q Did you see them living together as man and wife? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they generally recognized in the community as man and wife? A Yes sir. He was here in 1880, and the census takers missed him and he was just from one place to another. He wasn't out of the Nation that year at all.  
Q How long did Charles Ross and wife Malinda live together? A They were married in 1881, and he was killed in 1896.  
Q Did they live together up to the time of his death? A All the time; never separated a day.

Examined by Mr. Hastings:

- Q Had he ever been married before? A No sir.  
Q Had she? A No sir.  
Q How far did they live from you when they married? A I guess it was---they married at John McBride's place, and I lived at Choteau.  
Q Eight or ten miles? A Yes sir.

The Commission: There is offered in evidence a certificate signed by B. W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, showing that Charles Ross, his wife Malinda, and children, William, Morton and Henry Ross, are found on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, in Saline District.

--1882 roll, Coconawaw District, page 80, # 1771, Charles Ross;  
--1883- roll, Coconawaw District, page 80, # 1772, William Ross;

I, [illegible], do hereby certify that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of the [illegible] thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July 7, 1900.

(Seal)

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Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D. C.

In the matter of the application of H. C. Bagwell, for  
enrollment as citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

H. C. Bagwell, called and sworn, being duly sworn and examined  
by the Commissioner, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A H. C. Bagwell.  
Q How old are you? A Forty-two.  
Q What is your post office? A Locust Grove, Okla.  
Q Were you acquainted with Charles Ross during his life time?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Where did he live when you first learned to know him?  
A In the District.  
Q How were you related to him in any way? A Yes sir.  
Q How? A Second cousin.  
Q What was his citizenship? A Cherokee.  
Q Do you know his wife? A Yes sir.  
Q What was her citizenship? A She was a United States citizen.  
Q Do you know anything about the marriage of Charles Ross and  
his wife? A Not of my personal knowledge. I heard that  
they were married.  
Q Had you ever seen them living together as man and wife?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Were they recognized in the community in which they lived as man  
and wife? A They were.  
Q When did Charles Ross die? A The fall of 1894 I believe.  
Q Did you ever hear his wife's name to enrollment deceased prior  
to this time? A I never have.  
Q Was he generally recognized as a Cherokee by blood prior to his  
death? A Yes sir.

H. C. Bagwell, on oath states that as stenographer to the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the  
testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that  
the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes  
thereof.

*H. C. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this July 6, 1902.

*Seal*

*W. R. Rutter*  
Notary Public.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Acting Chairman



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June 28<sup>th</sup> 1902.

To whom it may concern!

This is to

certify that I, H. L. Crawford a  
regularly ordained Minister of the  
C. P. Church did unite in Marriage  
one Charles Ross, an accredited Cherokee  
Indian, to a Miss Matilda Nix. I can  
not remember the date but believe it  
was between the years 1880 & 85. The  
marriage took place at the place of  
residence of the bride's Parents in a bottom  
of Grand river in Cowlesville District  
in the State of Cherokee - N. C.

In witness to which I sign, date above written  
H. L. Crawford

~~I, H. Crawford, do hereby certify~~  
that the above statement is true  
and correct. subscribed to before  
me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1902!

J. B. Weaver J. P.

Mr. Cass -

I am allured  
to this for me - my  
mustang is very ill  
& I cannot come  
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Malinda Norton  
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J. J.

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM BIXBY.  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BRECKINRIDGE.

ALLISON I. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 25, 1902.

Mrs. Malinda Morton,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory.

Madam:

You are requested to furnish the Commission with satisfactory proof of the residence in the Cherokee Nation of your minor children for whom you made application for enrollment as citizens of said Nation.

This proof is essential in the disposition of the application for their enrollment, and your prompt attention to it is requested.

Yours truly

  
Commissioner in Charge.

Register

*Ind. Terr. } Malinda Morton August 2nd 1902*  
*Morton District*  
*Personally appeared before the undersigned*  
*Authority Malinda Morton - age 42 years & a*  
*resident of Muskogee Indian Territory and after*  
*being duly sworn & dep. - I am the mother*  
*William, Francis Marion, George, Annie, L.*  
*Morgan, Estlin & Ross - they were born & raised*  
*in the Cherokee Nation & now reside here, they*  
*are the children of the Ind. Terr. on*  
*the 1st of August*  
*Malinda Morton*  
*Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th*  
*day of August 1902*  
*John H. Hagan*  
*Notary Public*

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Is to each matter.

the undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer  
to the Commission to the Five Divisions he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing  
is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of October, 1902.

Notary Public.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., September 24, 1902.

In the matter of the application of William Ross for the enrollment of himself, his brothers, Francis M. and George Ross, and his sisters, Annie and Margaret Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Appearances: J. C. Starr for Cherokee Nation and J. Ross for applicant.

William Ross, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

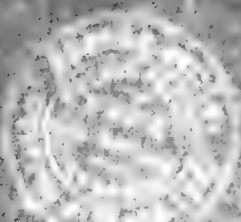
- Q What is your name? A William Ross.  
Q How old are you at this time? A Twenty years old, my last birthday.  
Q Are you the identical William Ross that is included in this application made on February 18, 1901, for the enrollment of yourself and brothers and sisters? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Malinda Moten Nov.  
Q It was Malinda Ross? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she a white woman or Cherokee? A White woman, I reckon.  
Q What was your father's name? A Charles Ross.  
Q Was he a white man or Cherokee? A Cherokee.  
Q Do you know how long he has been dead? A Seven years I think.  
Q Where was he living when he died? A In Tahlequah District, fifteen miles from Wagoner.  
Q Was your mother living with him at the time of his death? A Yes sir.  
Q These children named in this application were living with him at the time he died? A All but one, Margaret.  
Q She was born after his death? A Yes sir, about two weeks after my father died.  
Q After your father's death your mother married a man by the name of Moten? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you remember about when she married Moten? A Not exactly, it has been about five years.  
Q About two years after your father died? A Yes sir.  
Q After your father died where did your mother live? A In Gadsden District part of the time.  
Q Did she live in Gadsden District, Cherokee Nation, from the time your father died up until the time she married her present husband, Moten? A All but about two months.  
Q Where was she that two months? A In Tahlequah District.  
Q But still in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Where has she lived since she married Moten five years ago? A In Canadian District, six miles below Webbers Falls.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q All the time? A Yes sir.  
Q She has never lived out of the Cherokee Nation since your father died? A No sir.  
Q In '98 or '99? A No sir.  
Q Have these children and yourself, Francis M., George, Annie, lived with your mother in the nation since your father died? A Yes sir, all but me, I haven't stayed with them but very little.  
Q Where have you lived? A In the nation.  
Q With some of your other relatives? A Yes sir.  
Q Has Margaret lived in the nation with her mother since she was born? A Yes sir.  
Q Are all these children alive and living with your mother in the nation? A Yes sir.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

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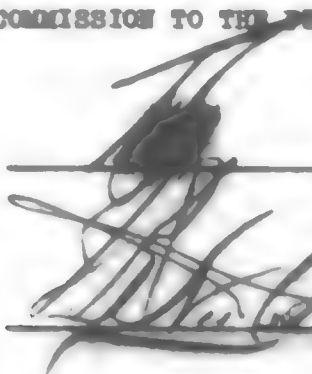
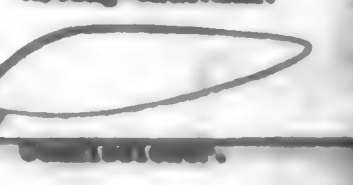
The record in this case shows that on February 18, 1901, Malinda Morton appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of her minor children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on May 26, June 27, June 28 and September 24, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross are the minor children of Malinda Ross, now Malinda Morton, by her former husband, Charles Ross, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is identified on the 1883 pay roll, the 1886 pay roll, the 1890 census roll and the 1894 Strip payment roll of the Cherokee Nation as a native Cherokee. All of said applicants, except Margaret V. Ross, are identified on the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation, the said Margaret V. Ross being identified by a birth affidavit made a part of the record herein.


The evidence further shows that all of the above named applicants have resided in the Cherokee Nation all their lives.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that William Ross, Francis M. Ross, George Ross, Annie Ross and Margaret V. Ross should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.  
  
Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this 24th MAR 1903

  
C. R. Riddinger,  
Commissioner.

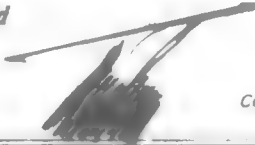
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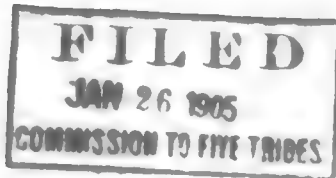
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THE DEATH OF  
*William Ross*  
a citizen of the  
*Cherokee* Nation.

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Commissioner.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of William Ross  
(Show latest name of deceased.)  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Robert Falls Ind. Ter., and died on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of  
January 1904  
(Show latest name of possessor)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Nowata DISTRICT.

I, Melinda Moten on oath state that I am 22  
years of age and a citizen, by United States Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Charwilla Ind. Ter.; that I am  
Moten (Show latest name of possessor.)  
who was a citizen, by Florat of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said William Ross died on the 19 day of  
January 1904 Melinda Moten  
(Show latest name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Sign to Test)  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1905  
W. O. Beale  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Nowata DISTRICT.

I, Geo. H. Blackstone on oath state that I am twenty nine  
years of age, and a citizen by Cherokee Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Nowata Ind. Ter.;  
that I was personally acquainted with William Ross  
who was a citizen, by Florat of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said William Ross died on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of  
January 1904 Geo. H. Blackstone  
(Show latest name of deceased.)

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Sign to Test)  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of January 1905

My Commission expires 1 day of August 1905

Chas. J. Little  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 20, 1902.

Mrs. Malinda Horton,

Wetmore Falls, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of William Ross et al

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 19 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application, that you may deem necessary.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with the certificate of marriage of the parents of these children.

Respectfully,

Yours truly,

Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes

Cherokee Nation  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 7, 1902.

Mr. Joshua Ross,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, you are advised that the Commission is unable to identify Charles Ross, the father of these children, on the 1880 authenticated tribal roll of the Cherokee Nation, and no evidence of his admission to Cherokee citizenship has been filed.

You are further advised that no evidence of the marriage of the parents of said children has been filed with the Commission.

In order to a proper determination of the application for the enrollment of the above named children, it is necessary that evidence of the citizenship of the said Charles Ross be submitted to the Commission at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, and that the original or a certified copy of the certificate of marriage of the parents of the said children be filed with the Commission.

You are further advised that Malinda, Norton, the mother of these children will be allowed until June 27, 1902 to comply with these requirements, and you may, within that time, take such action as you may deem necessary and proper.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register

Cherokee.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 7, 1902.

Mrs. Malinda Horton,

Yebbersville, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for the enrollment of your five minor children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Rose, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, you are advised that the Commission has been unable to identify, Charles Rose, the father of these children, on the 1880 authenticated Tribal Roll of the Cherokee Nation, and no certificate of his admission to Cherokee citizenship has been filed.

You are further advised that no certificate of the marriage of the parents of the above named children has been filed with the Commission. In order to a proper determination of the matter of the application for the enrollment of the above named children,

it is necessary that you submit further testimony in regard to the citizenship of Charles Rose at the office of the Commission in Muskogee, Indian Territory, and that you file with the Commission the original or a certified copy of the certificate of marriage of the parents of said children.

You will be allowed until June 27, 1902, to comply with these requirements.

Yours truly,

Register.

Acting Chairman.

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Washago, Indian Territory, July 22, 1906.

Mrs. Malinda Norton,

Wetters Falls, Indian Territory.

Register

You are requested to furnish the Commission with satisfactory proof of the residence in the Cherokee Nation of your minor children for whom you made application for enrollment as citizens of said Nation.

This proof is essential in the disposition of the application for their enrollment, and your prompt attention to it is requested.

Yours truly,

Register

Commissioner in Charge.

Cherokee D 222

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 11, 1902.

Joshua Ross,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are requested to appear before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, within fifteen days from date hereof, and submit evidence as to the residence of Malinda Meten since 1894.

Please give this matter your prompt attention.

Yours truly,

Moving Chairman.



Cherokee Bulletin

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 4, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Malinda Morton for the enrollment of her minor children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1903.

Malinda Morton,

Webber's Falls, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your five minor children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tame Bixby.*  
Chairman.

Enc. N-243

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Cherokee D-1112

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 29, 1903.

Joshua Ross,

Agent for William Ross et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Malinda Merton for the enrollment of her five minor children, William, Francis M., George, Annie and Margaret V. Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

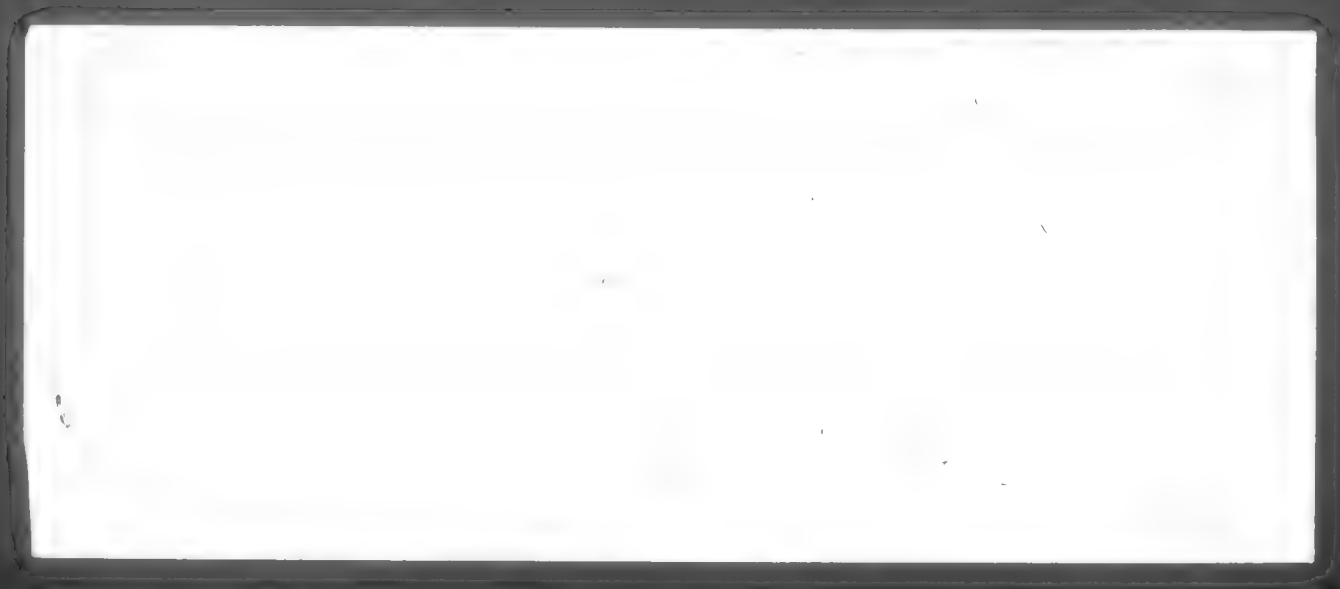
Respectfully,

Tame Bixby.  
Chairman.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., March 28, 1901.

In the matter of the application of John H. Dick for the enrollment of himself and wife as Cherokee citizens; he being sworn and examined by Commissioner G. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name. A John H. Dick,  
Q How old are you? A 53.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Fort Gibson.  
Q In what district do you live? A Tahlequah District.  
Q Who is it you want to have enrolled besides yourself? A I want to enroll my wife and my brother.  
Q Have you children? A No sir, no children.  
Q You want to enroll yourself and wife? A And my brother.

(We will take him separately.)

- Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Quarter Cherokee and quarter Creek.  
Q But you apply as a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your wife a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Ever since the 1st of January, '89.  
Q You lived here about all your life then, haven't you? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your father? A Charles.  
Q Is he dead? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your mother. A Peggy or Margaret.  
Q Is she dead? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your wife? A Sallie.  
Q How old is she? A I expect she is about 37 or 38.  
Q How long has she lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All her life.  
Q Give me the name of her father. A Jackson Jones. He also went by the name of Housebug.  
Q Is he dead? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your wife's mother. A Mary.  
Q Is she dead? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you and your wife married? A In January 27th, 1898.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q Is there anyone here who knows that you and she were married?  
A I guess so.

Witness, Simon Walkingstick, having been duly sworn, and examined by Commissioner G. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

- Q You are one of the interpreters here of the Dawes Commission?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant here, Mr. Dick? A Yes sir.  
Q You know his wife? A Yes sir.  
Q What was her name when he married her? A Sallie Jones.  
Q Was she the daughter of Jackson Jones? A I don't know as to that; I didn't know her parents.  
Q You never knew her father? A No sir.  
Q But you did know her as Sallie Jones? A Yes sir.  
Q That was her maiden name was it? A That is my impression.  
Q You were acquainted with her as Sallie Jones? A Yes sir; she was at the Male Seminary while I was going to school; she had some position there.  
Q She was recognized as a Cherokee woman? A Yes sir.

Re-direct.

- Q Mr. Dick, were you ever married except to your present wife? A That is all.  
Q Was she ever married except to you? A No sir.

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The Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 examined, and the name of the applicant is found on page 244, No. 729, as John Dick, Delaware District, Native Cherokee.

Q Your wife's father and mother were dead before 1880 were they?  
A Yes sir. She was an orphan living with Ruston Benge in 1880.

The Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 examined, and the name of the applicant's wife is not found of record thereon.

The Cherokee census roll of 1896 examined and the name of the applicant and his wife are found thereon as follows:  
On page 1159, No. 794, John H. Dick, Tahlequah District.  
On page 1159, No. 795, Sallie E. Dick, Tahlequah District.

Q Your wife has an E in her name? A Yes sir.  
Q Did your wife have any brothers or sisters? A No sir.  
Q She was the only one? A Yes sir.

Commissioner Breckinridge-

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself and wife. He is identified on the rolls of 1880 and 1896 as a native Cherokee. He has lived in the Cherokee Nation all his life, and will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood. His wife is identified with him on the roll of 1896, and she is there identified as a native Cherokee. He states that neither she nor he were previously married, and that she has lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life. Her change of name arising from marriage is established by the testimony of the applicant and other satisfactory testimony. Her name is not found, however, on the roll of 1880; she was an orphan and her failure to be upon that roll may have arisen from neglect or she may be upon the roll under some other name. For the present, and for the further identification of her as a native Cherokee, she will now be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood, but upon a doubtful card, and the applicant is desired to introduce testimony that will enable the Commission to identify his wife on the roll of 1880, or in lieu thereof, satisfactory personal testimony, showing that she is a native of the Cherokee Nation, and has lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life, and is of Cherokee blood as stated in the testimony.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported in full the testimony and proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes in said case.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of March, 1901.

  
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Salina, I. T.

Mar 20, 1902.

This is to certify that the name of  
Sallie Jones appears, as a pupil, of  
the Cherokee orphan Asylum, on a  
roll that seems to be the roll of 1880 - there  
being no date to the roll, excepting that of  
two deaths which occurred, one on the  
14th day of Aug. 1879, the other on the 13, day  
of Jan. 1880.

J H Dammberg  
Super

E. C. Albery.

Principal

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BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Cherokee D--1168

March 1, 1902.

Muskogee, I. T., March 20, 1902.

In the Matter of the Application of Alice Chisholm ~~for~~ ~~her~~ ~~husband~~ and her three children for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. Alice Chisholm is a sister of James and Charles Lewis and also Nancy L. Chisholm ; and all three of them the descendants of "Lewis" and Che-ge-nell <sup>r</sup> Lewis, deceased, full blood Cherokee Indians.

Alice Chisholm has lived in Coe-wee-scoo-we District for the past nine years in good faith as a Cherokee citizen on her own home, and that Your Commission has left with her the numbers of land and plat of same on which she now resides with her children.

Respectfully submitted,

Sp. Sec. for  
Applicant



Wichita Falls  
L. E. Smith

John E. Nick

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for Applicants

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

At Muscogee, I. T. March 2<sup>d</sup> 1902.

In the matter of the application of Jenn E. Dick, for the enrollment of his wife Sallie E. Dick, "Hoodenon," as Cherokee citizen by virtue of her Cherokee blood.

"B. B. 1185."

By notification to the said J. E. Dick, of the time of final hearing and closing of said case by the Commission, appeared by Attorney C. H. Benge, who agreed that the case be submitted to the Commission for final decision by the Commission, with leave to file brief in behalf of said Sallie E. Dick,

Brief,

The contention in this case is, that Sallie E. Dick is a Cherokee by blood, and is so recognized as such by the authorities of the Nation hence, entitled to be enrolled as such citizen by virtue of Cherokee blood. Pivot, because she was born in the Cherokee nation of Cherokee

Parentage, and it is said died during the late war, that she was thus left an orphan when about six years of age, since which time she made her home with Mrs. Houston Benge, until about the year of 1870, when she entered the Orphan Asylum School, for Orphan Cherokees, where she remained for 4 or 5 years, that she was at the Orphan school during the year of 1870, & 1880, is evidenced by a certificate of the Superintendent, & the present Principal Teacher of the school, certifying to the record entry of her name on the roster of inmates or students thereof, which is as follows: "Sallie E. Dick, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> 1870. This is to

certify that the name of Sallie Jones, appears as a pupil of the Cherokee Orphan Asylum, on a roll that seems to be the roll of 1880, there being no date to the roll excepting that of the death of one occurred on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1870, the other on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Jan. 1880. (Signed) J. H. Dannerberg, Sup't. E. S. Liberty, R. Principal. (I enclose copy hereto attached.) The fact that she was at the Orphan Asylum in the year of 1880. Then of tender age, is a reason plain why her name does not appear on the 1880 roll, but is then entered as accepted as a Cherokee Orphan, at the Asylum. Thus being recognized by the authorities of said institution on part of the Nation, as a Cherokee citizen. That she has always been treated as such, is evidenced by reference to the pay roll of 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, & 1884, also see 1885 roll. In fact her right was never before disputed, as said by E. H. Mainwaring, that he knew nothing to the contrary, but was always considered a Cherokee citizen. Her name failing to appear on the roll of 1880, seems to be the only point taken against her. Then being a minor, the fact should not be charged against her, but should be waived for enrollment as a citizen by Cherokee blood.

Respectfully Submitted,

.....  
W. H. Benge

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I, F. O. Nesdon, do hereby certify that as the member to the Commission to the Far East, I have personally examined the proceedings had in this case, and that the enclosed is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

C. B. 1186.

Willie Dick,

Brief of the Char-  
able Nation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Washington D. C. June 11, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Sallie Dick for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood.

Cherokee B 1180.

Brief on part of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant Sallie Dick applies for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation; she is thirty-seven years of age and claims to have lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life and claims that she was the orphan Asylum and claims that she was reared by Houston gangs of Fort Gibson, Indian Territory.

Her name does not appear upon the authenticated roll of eighteen hundred and eighty but does appear upon the eighteen hundred and ninety-six roll after her marriage to John H. Dick which might account for its being there, he perhaps attended to the enrollment himself and wife. This application is made by her husband who is only thirty two or thirty-three years of age while his wife is five or six years older. The statements made by her husband are purely hearsay and are not corroborated by any testimony whatever although he claims that his wife was reared by Houston gangs a well known Cherokee who resides within two miles of Fort Gibson and the Commission has sat at Fort Gibson two months since this application was filed on March 22nd 1901 yet no effort whatever was made to have Sallie Dick the applicant whose past office is also Fort Gibson or to have Houston Gangs to appear before the Commission and give testimony as to the citizenship of Sallie Dick. The Cherokee Nation does not think the the roll of Eighteen hundred and eighty which was confirmed by Congress should be set aside upon such flimsy testimony; here this woman is thirty-six or thirty-seven years old she was sixteen or seventeen years old when the eighteen hundred and eighty roll was made. Proof could easily be gotten as to who her parents were, where she was born and who were her other relatives in the Cherokee Nation if she has any.

A strange feature in this case is that this woman is represented by George W Benge, a son of Houston Benge. George W Benge must know the antecedents of this woman himself and if she was a Cherokee why didn't he take the stand in her behalf or why didn't he have his father take the stand in her behalf and not submit it on the uncorroborated statement of John H Dick alone. We do not believe that the Commission will admit this woman upon the bare statement of John H Dick which is hearsay uncorroborated, when the applicant herself has declined to go before the Commission when ample opportunity has been given her to produce proof as to her Cherokee blood and Cherokee citizenship.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. W. Hastings, Jr.*  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

J. C. S.

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NOTARY PUBLIC.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of June, 1900.

In a line and correct form, after of the aforesaid notes thereof,  
the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing  
to the Commission to the said Officer and that he is duly qualified,  
the undersigned, being duly sworn, states that he is a Notary Public.

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and the Commission to the said Officer and that he is duly qualified,  
and the undersigned, being duly sworn, states that he is a Notary Public.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washoe, I. T., June 20, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Sallie Dick for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Applicant appears by her husband; Cherokee Nation by E. W. Hastings.

J. H. Dick, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A J. H. Dick.

Q How old are you? A 37.

Q What is your postoffice address? A Tahlequah.

Q You are the husband of Sallie E. Dick? A Yes sir.

Q How long did you know her prior to your marriage to her? A About six or seven years.

Q When were you married to her? A January, 1892.

Q Did she draw the money in 1890 at the payment made by the Cherokee? A Yes from 1891.

A Yes. A Yes sir.

Q Did she also draw the strip money in 1894? A Yes sir.

Q What district was she living in in 1890 or 1891? A Tahlequah.

Q What was your wife's name at that time? A Sallie Jones.

Q Do you know who drew her money at that time? A I think she drew it herself.

The applicant's wife is identified under the name of Sallie Jones on the Cherokee pay roll made in 1890. She is identified on page 917 in Tahlequah District.

The applicant's wife is also identified on the Cherokee Strip Payment Roll in Tahlequah District on page 1048, No. 795, as Sallie E. Dick.

Q Do you know why the name of your wife does not appear on the roll of 1890? A I think it is because she was at the orphan asylum in 1890 and that part of the roll was made up in Illinois District has been lost.

Q Have you any evidence that your wife was ever recognized as a Cherokee prior to the making of the roll of 1890? A I find her name on the roll of 1867. Her mother and a man named Hannan were living together in Sealinghouse District at that time.

Q How old is your wife? A I don't know her age.

Q About how old? A I would imagine she is somewhere about 35 or 36.

Q What is your wife's mother's Indian name? A I don't know it - Follie.

Q Do you know what your wife's father's name was? A Jackson Jones.

Q Was your wife's mother ever married before she married Jackson Jones? A Not that I know of.

Q Did she ever live with anybody prior to that time? A No sir.

Q Was she married to anybody after she married Jackson Jones? A My information is she was married to Hannan.

There is offered in evidence certified copy of the original Cherokee census roll of Sealinghouse District for the year 1867.

Q Is there any other statement you desire to make relative to the application of your wife? A That is all except if you could get a record from the orphan asylum. I have been up there myself, by understanding was from Mr. Denge that they had been procured. It seems her name got through in 1890 at the orphan asylum.

Q Did your wife have any brothers or sisters? A Not that I know of. She had some half brothers by the same father.

On the 20th day of March, 1902, there was offered in evidence a certificate signed by J. H. Burroughs, Supt. and E. S. Albury, Principal, certifying that the name of Sallie Jones appears as a pupil of the Cherokee orphan asylum on a roll which seems to be the roll of 1890. This will be filed and made a part of the record in this case.

1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.

Submitted and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1902.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
MISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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# Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, ~~March 21,~~ 1902, 189-

I, A. S. TOMER, Acting, Commissioner  
of Indian Affairs, do hereby certify that the paper hereto  
attached is a true copy of the original as the same  
appears on file in this Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed  
my name, and caused the seal of this  
Office to be affixed, on the day and year  
first above written.

A. S. Tomer  
Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Sallie E. Dick as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

D E C I S I O N .


The record in this case shows that on March 22, 1901, John H. Dick appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of himself and his wife, Sallie E. Dick, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The said John H. Dick is differently classified and is not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on June 20, 1902.


The evidence shows that Sallie E. Dick is a Cherokee by blood, and that she is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1867, on file in the office of the United States Commissioner of Indian Affairs at Washington, D. C., and also on the 1890 census roll, the 1894 Strip payment roll and the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation. It appears that the said Sallie E. Dick was formerly a pupil in the Cherokee Orphan Asylum and that her name is upon the roll of that institution prepared about 1880.

The evidence further shows that the said Sallie E. Dick has resided in the Cherokee Nation all her life.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Sallie E. Dick should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Gallie Jones as a citizen of the Cherokee nation.

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for enrollment.

Q Now, what is your name and residence? A My name is

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Q What is your name? A

Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir, I am.

Q For whom do you desire to make application for enrollment?

A For the following named persons on the 1880 Cherokee roll, their families and descendants:

Q Are there any other persons for whom you desire to make application for enrollment?

A I desire to apply for the following named persons on the 1880 Cherokee roll, their families and their descendants:

Mollie Jones, page 642, 643, Salina District.

M. G. Bagwell, on oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*M. G. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 6, 1902.

*[Signature]*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TAHLEQUAH, INDIAN TERRITORY, DECEMBER 15TH., 1903.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of SALLIE JONES as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

JOHN HENRY DICK, being first duly sworn, and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A John Henry Dick.
- Q What is your age? A About 34.
- Q What is your postoffice address? A Tahlequah.
- Q You are a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, are you not?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Now, Mr. Dick, the name of one Sallie Jones, about 40 years old, was included in a blanket application made by Emmet Starr on June 30th, 1902, for enrollment of certain persons as Cherokee citizens, and so far the Commission has been unable to get any information concerning the said Sallie Jones. Now, your wife was a Sallie Jones at the time you married her, was she not? A Yes, sir.
- Q How old is she?
- A At the time I made the application I didn't know, but since then I have found a woman who was present when she was born, and she says she was born on the 31st. day of May, 1865--the day the soldiers moved out of Fort Gibson.
- Q She would be about 38 years old? A Yes, sir. Since I was up here I have made some investigation and have not been able to find any other Sallie Jones. She was in the orphan asylum in 1880 and at that time was recognized as being 18 years old by the faculty of the institution.
- Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.
- Q Where was she living at the time you married her?
- A In Tahlequah. After she was left an orphan she was taken in charge by Houston Benge.
- Q She was in the orphan asylum in 1880, was she? A Yes, sir.
- Q You say you have made careful inquiry as to whether there was any other Sallie Jones?
- A Yes, sir; and have not been able to hear of any.
- Q Have you talked to your wife about it? A Yes, sir.
- Q Does she know of any other Sallie Jones? A No, sir.
- Q What was her father's name? A Jackson Jones.
- Q Was he a Cherokee? A Yes, sir.
- Q What was her mother's name? A I think it was Mary.
- Q They died before the 1880 roll was made, did they?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Your wife never was enrolled in 1880? A No, sir; I couldn't find her on any of them. We searched the rolls of Saline and Tahlequah Districts but could not find her name on them. I went to the asylum and found it on the asylum roll.
- Q And brought a certificate? A Yes, sir.

George W. Irwin, on oath, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of June 1900

Cherokee D-2086.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
MUSKOGEE, I. T., OCTOBER 3, 1896.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS had in the matter of the application for the enrollment of SALLIE JONES as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

JOHN HENRY DICK, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A John Henry Dick.  
Q Your age? A 36.  
Q What is your post office? A Tahlequah, I. T.  
Q You are a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You have heretofore given testimony in connection with an application made to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of one Sallie Jones, whose name appears on the 1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation and who was listed for enrollment from information? A My recollection I did at Tahlequah.  
Q You stated in your testimony at that time that you ~~were~~ thought she was your present wife, did you? A Yes sir, and I still think so.  
Q Have you made inquiries around as to the Sallie Jones who was enrolled in 1880 in Saline District? A Yes sir, I have made inquiries from old enough people in Saline district to know that there was no other Sallie Jones up there and I have never been able to locate any other.  
Q Sallie Jones was your wife's maiden name? A Yes sir.  
Q She is living at the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q She is a duly enrolled Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir, and I find for her.

It is considered that the testimony now taken and that heretofore taken in this case conclusively shows that the Sallie Jones listed on Cherokee card Field No. D-2086 is identical with the witness's wife whose name appears on Cherokee card Field No. 10188.

George H. Lesley, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported the proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*George H. Lesley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of October, 1896.

*Myron H. White*

Notary Public.



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Cherokee D-2000.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Sallie Jones as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

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O R D E R.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That, at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on June 30, 1902, Emmet Starr appeared before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and made application for the enrollment of Sallie Jones as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 18, 1903, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 3, 1905.

The records further show that the said Sallie Jones was also listed for enrollment on Cherokee card Field No. 10198, and that her name is included in a partial roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation approved by the Department July 29, 1905, opposite No. 27924.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED: That the enlistment of Sallie Jones for enrollment on Cherokee card D-2000 be cancelled, and that the record in said case be transferred to Cherokee case Field No. 10198.

ORDERED.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this SEPT 31 1905

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*[Signature]*  
ARTIST'S CONSENT

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1902

Mr. John H. Dick,

Fort Gibson, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of **Gallie H. Dick**

for enrollment as **citizen** of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

**March 25, 1902.**

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Register.

Commissioner in Charge.

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Cherokee D-1186

McKagge, Indian Territory, March 7, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John E. Dick for the enrollment of his wife, Nellie E. Dick, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James Dixon

Chairman.

Enc. D-1186

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Cherokee D-1155.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1903.

John H. Dick,

Fort Gibson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, Sallie E. Dick, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tams Pixby.*

Chairman.

Enc. N-14.

Register.



COPY.

Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 23, 1903.

G. W. Benge,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John H. Dick for the enrollment of his wife, Nellie H. Dick, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Jame Birby.

Chairman.

Enc. B-15.

Register.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 14, 1908.

V. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed herewith a copy of an order of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 31, 1908, cancelling the enrollment of Sallie Jones, on Cherokee card No. D 2089, and transferring the record in said case to Cherokee case, Field No. 10195, they being duplicate enrollments.

Respectfully,

*T. J. T. T.*

Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I. T. October, 23, 1901.

In the matter of the application of George M. Price for the enrollment of himself and two children as citizens by blood and the enrollment of his wife as an enrolled Cherokee- He being first duly sworn by the Commission testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A George M. Price.  
Q How old are you? A I was born in '43.  
Q Makes you 49? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your post office address? A Coladon.  
Q Do you apply for the enrollment of yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you apply for the enrollment of anyone besides yourself? A My wife and two children.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Eliza Jane Price.  
Q How old is she? A She is about 34.  
Q Is she living? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your oldest child? A William.  
Q How old is William? A He was born in 1894.  
Q How many years old? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of the next living child? A Henry Lee.  
Q How old is he? A Two years old next June.  
Q Is that all, just those two children? A Yes sir.  
Q Are they both living and living with you at this time? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A Leoney Price.  
Q Is he dead? A Dead.  
Q Was he a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q What was your mother's name? A Letitia Coodey.  
Q Is she living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she a Cherokee or a white woman? A Cherokee.  
Q Where were you born? A Near Tahlequah.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you always made your home in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes.  
Q How long? A Since 1891.  
Q How long have you been a Cherokee citizen? A I believe my father was a Cherokee citizen until '91. A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you been a citizen? A Yes.  
Q How long have you been a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes.  
Q How long have you been a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes.  
Q Cherokee blood do you claim? A My father and mother.  
Q Your wife's father? A Noach.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A White man.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A Noach.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A Yes.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A Yes.

Q A. Because he said it wasn't necessary.  
Q Is this the only paper you have? A Yes sir, there is the man that  
Q married the man that married you? A Yes sir.

This document will be filed.

U.S. B. B. B. Cherokee representative: The Cherokee Nation objects  
to the date of marriage presented as it does not comply  
with the law under which the marriage was performed at the time.

Q Is the date of marriage?

Q Was she married before she married you? A Yes sir.

Q What was her former husband's name? A J. B. Vinyard.

Q Was she ever divorced from him? A Yes sir.

Q Was you ever divorced from him? A Yes sir.

Q Have you any evidence of your wife's divorce? A Yes sir I have a  
decree.

The applicant presents a copy of a decree of divorce between  
J. B. Vinyard and James F. Vinyard. The same is returned  
to the applicant and he will be required to file with the Com-  
mission a certified copy of the decree in said divorce proceed-  
ings.

Q Were you married before you married your present wife? A No sir.

Q Are you and your wife now living together at the present time are you?

A Yes sir.

Q Have you continued to live together ever since your marriage in '94

A Yes sir.

Q Have you any evidence of your admission to citizenship in the  
Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

There is offered in evidence a certificate of admission

to Cherokee citizenship signed by J. B. Vinyard, Cherokee

representative, dated

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Q Was there any other man say of the name of

A Yes sir, I married I

Q Was he married in 1894? A Yes sir, he was married at

Q Was he married before Allen Huddy and old man

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Q What time did you get up that morning?

A I don't know the fall or spring? A I don't know.

Q Was you living when you were admitted to the bar?

A Yes, I was living when I was admitted to the bar.

Q Did you go back to the bar after you were admitted?

A Yes, I went back to the bar after I was admitted.

Q Were you ever married?

A No, I was never married.

Q Have you been living together continuously since you were admitted to the bar?

A Yes, we have been living together continuously since I was admitted to the bar.

Q Under what law were you acting as Mayor of the City of New York?

A I was acting as Mayor of the City of New York under the laws of the State of New York.

Q Did you ever go back to the bar after you were admitted?

A Yes, I went back to the bar after I was admitted.

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Name William B. Price

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under what law No Date of marriage 1894  
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A certified copy of decree of divorce between No. 2 and her first husband, John Vinyard.

No. 3 and 4 Birth certificates required

**BRIDGEMAN & RASMUS**  
COLLECTORS

Attorneys and Counselors at Law

Marquette and Gaylord, Mich. and Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Acting Chairman

# Commission of Citizenship to Cherokee Citizens

OFFICE OF COMMISSION ON CITIZENSHIP  
TAHLEQUAH, CHEROKEE NATION.

To all Whom it May Concern—GREETING:

This is to Certify, That the following named, to-wit: George P. Rogers

aged 30 years

did, pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the National Council of the Cherokee Nation, approved December 8th, 1886, <sup>and the amendment thereto of Feb'y, 7th, '88</sup> entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a Commission to try, and determine, applications for Cherokee Citizenship," make such application to and before said "Commission" on the 5th day of October 1887; that the proof submitted by the above named Applicant in support of his said application has been found, and is hereby declared and certified to be sufficient and satisfactory to the said Commission according to the requirements of Section Seventh of said Act of the National Council—and that, by virtue of such finding of fact by the Commission, and in conformity with the Fourteenth Section of said act, the above named parties (Applicants for citizenship) are, from this, the date of said finding and decision of the Commission as announced and recorded, re-admitted by the National Council, as provided in said Fourteenth Section, to the rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship under Section 2, Art. 1 of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation; and this certificate of the said decision of the Commission and of re-admission by Council is made and furnished to the said parties accordingly.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto sign my name, as Chairman of the Commission, on this the Twenty-seventh day of June 1888.

J. P. Adair  
Chairman Com. on Citizenship.

Attest:

Comstock Rogers  
Clerk Com. on Citizenship.

Approved and endorsed:

J. B. Mays



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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ACTION CHAIRMAN

Oologah Ind. 4, 1898<sup>th</sup> 1897

This is to certify that I D. C. Price as Mayor  
of the Town of Oologah and having the  
right of office vested in me did, while  
filling that office in the year 1894  
perform the marriage ceremony of  
Geo. M. Price and Mrs. Jane Vinyard  
according to the Cherokee law & usages.

There has been born to the above  
parties since their marriage two  
children a son by name William  
S. Price & a daughter named Sarah  
Jane Price.

From some cause I cannot now  
say why his certificate of marriage  
was never returned to your office  
for record

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1897

D. C. Price  
H. C. Smith  
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp. Dec. 26, 1897

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Henry Lee Price*

As a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved *October 22* 1901

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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*[Signature]*  
Acting Chairman

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee  
of Henry Lee Price, born on the 27th day of June  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: George M. Price, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Name of Mother: Eliza Jane Price, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Post-office, Dolagah, D. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
Northern INDIAN TERRITORY. District. }

I, Eliza Jane Price, on oath state that I am 33  
years of age and a citizen, by adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of George M. Price, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 27th day of June, 1900; that said child has been  
named Henry Lee Price, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Oct. H. 1909.

Wm. Clapham  
my com exp Sept 17. 1907

NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
Northern INDIAN TERRITORY. District. }

I, Edgar Pleas, a Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Eliza Jane Price, wife of George M. Price  
on the 27th day of June, 1900; that there was born to her on  
said date a Male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Henry Lee Price.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October 1910.

Wm. Clapham  
my com exp Sept 17. 1907

NOTARY PUBLIC

S. D. #1245.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 27, 1902.

**SUPPLEMENTAL** in the matter of the enrollment of **GEORGE M. PRICE, ET AL.**, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter March 1, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 1st day of March, 1902, and that he could on said date appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney; when an opportunity would be given him to introduce any further testimony in support of his application. The applicant has this day, to-wit: the 1st day of March, 1902, been called and failing to respond either in person or by attorney the case is deemed completed and will be taken for consideration and reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. O. Rogers, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

J. O. Rogers



Encl.-C.D.#1243.

Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Muskogee, I. T.: March 22, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of **WILLIAM M. PRICE, ET AL.**, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter March 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 22d day of March, 1902. The applicant this day, to-wit: the 22d day of March, 1902, appears in person and by his Attorney, J. M. LeHay.  
Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

Commission of Mr. LeHay: Is there any statement you desire to make?

Mr. LeHay: I wish to submit a decree of divorce granted by the United States Court of the First Judicial Division Indian Territory held at Muskogee, on the 29th day of June, 1894.

Commission: The same will be filed and made a part of the record.

Mr. LeHay: And also a birth certificate of the birth of William Shory Price.

Commission: The same will be filed and made part of the record.

Commission: The Attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case. The same is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. O. Rossen, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings this day had in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

J. O. Rossen

COMMISSION TO THE PEOPLE  
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This office has been advised that the above-named person has been selected to the position of...

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

) ss.

First Judicial Division, Indian Territory.)

IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA in the Indian Territory. First Judicial Division, at a term thereof begun and held at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 29th. day of June, 1902, before the Honorable Charles B. Stewart Judge of said Court.

The following decree was made and entered of record, to-wit:

Eliza J. Vineyard, Plaintiff )

vs.

) Decree of Divorce.

James F. Vineyard, Defendant. )

This cause this day coming or to be heard upon the Master's report filed herein, and the Court having read the same and being fully advised in the premises doth sustain said report, and it is ordered considered, adjudged and decreed that the Plaintiff Eliza J. Vineyard be Decreed a Divorce from the Defendant James F. Vineyard and that the Bonds of Matrimony heretofore existing between said Plaintiff and Defendant be set aside and held for naught.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
Indian Territory, )  
Northern District. ) ss.

I, Chas. A. Davidson, Clerk of the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Decree made by said Court on the 29th. day of June, 1902, as appears upon the records of said Court now on file in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, at my office in Muskogee, in said District, this 22nd. day of March, 1902.

Chas. A. Davidson, Clerk.

By P. M. Ford  
Deputy.

**IN RE**

**Application for Enrollment of**

**INFANT CHILD**

*William Henry Price*

as a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved, *MAR 24 1902* 190

*[Signature]*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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*[Signature]*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of William Henry Price, born on the 3rd day of Sept, 1894.  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: George M. Price, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Eliza Jane Price, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Colagah Ind. Terr.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

Western District.

I, Eliza Jane Price, on oath state that I am 34  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of George M. Price, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 3rd day of Sept, 1894; that said child has been  
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(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of Sept, 1902.

My Comm. exp. May 24th 1902

J. E. Hutchinson  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Western District.

I, Sarah Mayfield, Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Eliza Jane Price, wife of George M. Price  
on the 3rd day of Sept, 1894; that there was  
and date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named William Henry Price.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

H. E. Smith  
Simon Love

Sarah Mayfield  
marked

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3rd day of Sept, 1902

J. E. Hutchinson  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 30th, 1902.

In the matter of the application of George M. Price for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation; for the enrollment of his wife Eliza J. Price as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation and for the enrollment of his children William S. and Henry L. Price as citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to D-1243.

Appearances:

D. C. Price for Applicant.  
J. C. Starr for Cherokee Nation.

D. C. PRICE, being duly sworn, testified as follows:  
Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name, please? A. D. C. Price.  
Q. What is your age and post office? A. 58 years; Oologah, Indian Territory.  
Q. Are you acquainted with Eliza J. Price, who is an applicant before this Commission as an intermarried citizen? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is her husband's name? A. George M. Price.  
Q. Is he a citizen by blood? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were Eliza J. and George M. married? A. They were married in 1894.  
Q. Was he ever married before he was married to Eliza J? A. No, sir.  
Q. Was she ever married prior to her marriage to him? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How many times? A. Once.  
Q. Was her first husband living or dead when she married George M. Price? A. Living.  
Q. Was she divorced from him? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Has Eliza J. and George M. Price lived together from the time they were married until the present time? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Living together on the first of September, 1902? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Never been separated? A. No, sir; never been separated.  
Q. Has she married any other man since she married George M. Price? A. No, sir.  
Q. How long has George M. Price lived in the territory? A. He has lived in the territory for the last 10 or 11 years.  
Q. She has lived with him--- A. Not with him that long.  
Q. I know, but has she lived with him since she was married to him? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is George M. Price, his wife and two children William S. and Henry L. alive at this time? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. These children have always lived in the Cherokee Nation have they? A. Yes, sir, they were living Sunday when I left.

Subscribed



By the order of the Board of Directors of the  
Federal Reserve Bank of New York, the  
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has authorized the Board of Directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York  
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S. M. L. Price, an officer of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

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2. In 1917, I joined.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Marriage, Divorce, Remarriage in the 1990s*, Washington, D.C., 1995.

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Q. Do you have any other contributions in any payments?

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*Journal of Management Studies*, 19(1), 67-80.

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Q. Was your name at that time? A. Yes, I was. That was my name.

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Cherokee D-1243.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of George M. Price for the enrollment of himself and minor children, William S. Price and Henry L. Price, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Eliza J. Price, as a citizen by intermarriage of said Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on October 22, 1901, George M. Price appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of himself and minor children, William S. Price and Henry L. Price, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Eliza J. Price, as a citizen by intermarriage of said Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 22, September 30, and October 24, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said George M. Price was born in the Cherokee Nation in 1852 and lived there until 1868, when he removed to Texas; that on June 27, 1868, he was re-admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities of said Nation; and that he is identified on the 1894 Strip payment roll of said Nation. The said children, William S. and Henry L. Price, do not appear on any of the tribal rolls, but are identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

It further appears that George M. Price was lawfully married in July, 1894, to one Eliza J. Vineyard, a white woman, and that the said minor children are the issue of such marriage. It also appears that his said wife had been previously married to one James F. Vineyard, but was divorced from him prior to her marriage to the applicant George M. Price.

The evidence further shows that the said George M. Price in 1891 returned to the Cherokee Nation, where he has since resided, up to and including the date of the application herein, and that he and his said wife have resided together continuously from the date of their said marriage, up to and including September 1, 1902. The residence of the said minor children has been in the Cherokee Nation since their birth.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the said George M. Price, William S. Price and Henry L. Price should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that

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Eliza J. Price should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of said Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section 480, one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 480), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO CIVILIZED TRIBES

Acting Chairman.

Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903



## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage,  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harlow        | 794 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 12  | John Whisenbunt     | 300 |
| Sarah E. McCoy       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 28  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 304 |
| Laura Hansen         | 48  | Vester C. Martin    | 308 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| George Wood          | 54  | William J. Luggan   | 302 |
| Walter A. Helms      | 60  | Joseph P. Willis    | 304 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 60  | James T. Miller     | 500 |
| Samuel G. Vieter     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Janette Mamer       | 608 |
| William B. Watson    | 106 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 703 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 190 | William Gordon      | 700 |
| Urie Ann Smith       | 300 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Bessie M. Perry      | 300 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Palano      | 324 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 330 | Sadie Fivokiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 340 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 360 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

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| Mary Pettit            | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1584 |
| Bettie Mitchell        | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison       | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman      | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard          | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons       | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton         | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair          | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake        | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg             | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott         | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor        | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard          | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin        | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall           | 1137 | Willie E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore    | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys         | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll      | 1177 | Lillie M. Dausler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley            | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton       | 1234 | Malissa A. Maxwell  | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson     | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel     | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile          | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid      | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge           | 1276 | Lissie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson          | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell             | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1894 |
| Sarah Fleetwood        | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo          | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver      | 1323 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch        | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles             | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller         | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor         | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge        | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton         | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2040 |
| Minnie McKinney        | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2115 |
| Nettie Seabolt         | 1412 | Hiram Stephens      | 2127 |
| Lawrence G. Pennington | 1432 | Ann L. Gunn         | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt          | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2173 |
| Jennette Polcott       | 1482 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt          | 1508 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles     | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown       | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2261 |
| Tim Creedon            | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2286 |
| Odie Fidecock          | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2281 |
| Gino A. Saterfield     | 1529 | Henry C. Fennel     | 2371 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah      | 1539 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2609 |
| Eta Hicks              | 1549 | Dona A. Fraser      | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney    | 1569 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2629 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldrige         | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lissie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadus       | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Ball L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Elija O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3866 |
| Margaret Suages       | 2983 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
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| Benjamin F. Kelley    | 3010 | Lathan Lumbard         | 3891 |
| Martha Daugherty      | 3039 | Micajah P. Haynes      | 3897 |
| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
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THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 8, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Bad Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128 and application of said persons to the Cherokee Nation, to enroll as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

This January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS  
HARRY L. DAVIS,  
JAMES B. DAVIS,  
THOMAS B. DAVIS,  
H. R. BRADSHAW,  
ALLISON L. AVLEWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 3,

Mr. George M. Price,

Oologah, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of **yourself, your wife and two minor children** for enrollment as **citizens** of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on **March 22, 1902.**

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application. **that you may deem necessary.**

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

**You are required to supply the Commission with certified copy of decree of divorce of your wife Kliza from her former husband Jim Vinard.**

Yours truly,

Register.

Acting Chairman.

James H. Jones, Jr. in Charge



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ACTING CHAIRMAN



George M. Price,

Gallegos, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby directed to appear before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office at Muskogee, Indian Territory, prior to October 31, 1904 and submit such testimony as will enable the Commission to determine whether or not you participated in the payment made by the authorities of the Cherokee Nation in 1894.

Please present this letter when you appear before the Commission.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

George M. Price,

Oelagah, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are hereby directed to appear before the Commission on the Civilized Indians at its office at Washington, D.C., prior to October 31, 1904 and submit such evidence as will enable the Commission to determine whether or not you were entitled to the payment made by the authorities of the Cherokee Nation in 1904.

Please present this letter when you appear before the Commission.

Commissioner in Charge.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, August 21, 1902.

Joe M. LaMay,

Attorney for George M. Price et al,  
Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that Emma Jane Price, wife of George M. Price, has this day been notified to appear before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office at Muskogee, Indian Territory, prior to October 31, 1902, and testify relative to her rights to enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee Nation, on September 1, 1902.

You are further advised, that George M. Price has been directed to appear before the Commission prior to the date above mentioned, for the purpose of testifying as to whether or not he participated in the Cherokee Strip payment of 1904.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

Washington, D. C., September 1, 1902.

Major John Price,

Coleman, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

The act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (Public Law 273) and ratified by the citizens of the Cherokee Nation, which act provides that "the roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation shall be made as of September first, nineteen hundred and two."

In accordance with said provision, you are hereby notified that the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, will be at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, until Friday, October 11, 1902, and will require, before determining your right to enrollment by intermarriage to the Cherokee Nation, that you appear in person and testify relative to your right to enrollment, on September 1, 1902.

Please present this letter when you appear before the Commission.

Respectfully,

Commissioner in Charge.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of George M. Price for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, William S. and Henry L. Price, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Eliza J. Price, as a citizen by intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, of the said application, or of the enrollment of the said applicant. If no protest is filed within the time specified, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James O. Smith,  
Chairman.

Enc. M-6167



Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

W. H. Price,

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two minor children, William S. and Henry L. Price, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Eliza J. Price, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Enc. M-240

Register.

COPY.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 18, 1906.

J. M. LeMay,

Attorney for George M. Price et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1906, granting the application of George M. Price for the enrollment of himself and his two minor children, William S. and Henry L. Price, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Eliza J. Price, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. H-340

Register

Doc. 100 1011

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 18, 1907.

Wm. J. Price,

Oogalah, Indian Territory.

Dear Woman: There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Decn. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

... .., Indian Territory, ... ..

Miss J. Price,

Colagah, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 14,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

WM

Commissioner.

Cherokees  
5 et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Encl. C-100  
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Exhibit 1-2002.

Statement of the Defendant  
in the matter of the application of [Name] for admission  
to the United States as a citizen by naturalization.

[Name], being sworn and examined by the Commissioner  
of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, deposes and says:

- Q What is your name? A [Name] Still.
- Q How old are you? A Twenty-six years old.
- Q What is your occupation? A I am a [Occupation].
- Q Are you a native-born citizen? A No sir.
- Q What is your birthplace? A [Birthplace].
- Q What is your date of birth? A [Date].
- Q Is she a white woman? A Yes sir.
- Q Does she want to be enrolled as a citizen by naturalization? A Yes.
- Q When were you and she married? A Third of November, '95.
- Q Had you ever been married before you married this woman? A No.
- Q Had she ever been married before? A No sir.
- Q Have you filed your marriage certificate with the Commissioner? A Yes.
- Q Where did you file it? A I had it at West Gibson.
- Q I understand that the children are I had to have it filed.
- Q Have you and your wife lived together ever since your marriage? A Yes sir.
- Q You have never separated? A No sir.
- Q And were living together on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.
- Q Has she lived with you in the Cherokee Nation ever since you were married? A Yes sir.
- Q Have you lived outside? A No sir.
- Q How many children have you? A Two.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer  
to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly transcribed  
the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing  
is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*[Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of December, 1902.

*[Signature]*

Notary Public.

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CHEROKEE CASE NO. 1647.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 15, 1902.

In the matter of the application of David Still et.al. for  
enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

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In compliance with the direction in field decision there  
was filed with this Commission on the 16th day of January, 1901,  
a marriage license issued by the Clerk of the United States Court in  
Indian Territory, authorizing a marriage between David Still and  
Rissie Graham; also a certificate of marriage from which it appears  
that the parties named in said license were duly married on the 3rd  
day of November, 1898 by S. F. Weems, a licensed preacher.

A birth affidavit duly executed on the 16th day of August,  
1900, was received by this Commission on the 20th day of the same  
month from which it appears that Henry Still was born to Rissie  
Still on the 29th day of October, 1897; and on the 6th day of January  
1902, there was received by this Commission a birth affidavit duly  
executed on the 30th day of December, 1901, from which it appears  
that a female child was born to Rissie Still on the 13th day of  
September, 1901, and that said child has been named Luella Still.  
It further appears from the affidavits that all of the children  
herein named were living at the time of the executing of such  
affidavits, and the same have been approved and filed with this  
Commission and the child Luella Still has been listed for enrollment  
as entitled by blood to the Cherokee Nation.

It is directed that copies of this statement be filed with  
the testimony in the above case.

  
Commissioner.

Cherokee B 3002.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Rissie Still as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on October 27, 1902, David Still appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of his wife, Rissie Still, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. David Still has heretofore made application for the enrollment of himself and his two minor children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. They have been differently classified and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Rissie Still was lawfully married on November 3, 1895, to her said husband, David Still, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. The evidence further shows that the said Rissie Still has lived in the Cherokee Nation with her said husband continuously since her marriage to him, up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Rissie Still should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903



## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Harberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Leam Henson          | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Dargen   | 408 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 524 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Mosser      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 768 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Bunk Fivckiller     | 867 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Darrow   | 867 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 |
| William Hall         | 1137 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 |
| Jennette Polocat     | 1492 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 |
| Lena Sittingsdown    | 1511 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 |
| Odie Pidecock        | 1517 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 |
| Laura J. Joesaminah  | 1530 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1549 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1559 |

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| Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Lillie M. Daeiler   | 1802 |
| Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Lissie Benge        | 1828 |
| John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Ann L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Thomas J. Measles   | 2193 |
| Julia Coody         | 2218 |
| Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Henry E. Lee        | 2261 |
| Sarah Gritts        | 2299 |
| John A. Madden      | 2291 |
| Henry C. Fennel     | 2271 |
| Matilda S. Cleland  | 2302 |
| Dana A. Franier     | 2312 |
| Laura B. Cordrey    | 2329 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred | 2328 |
| Pearl V. Sisson      | 2339 |
| Nancy J. Sevier      | 2380 |
| Mollie Hair          | 2385 |
| Dora Sayers          | 2474 |
| William T. Jones     | 2501 |
| Sarah L. Martin      | 2502 |
| William J. Shoemaker | 2506 |
| Maud Baldrige        | 2511 |
| James L. Townsend    | 2513 |
| George L. Morgan     | 2568 |
| Andrew A. Brown      | 2575 |
| Louis K. Fair        | 2623 |
| James L. Mitchell    | 2644 |
| Martha E. McNair     | 2659 |
| Millard F. Eggleston | 2668 |
| Elisha M. Gray       | 2686 |
| Jennie M. Ballard    | 2694 |
| Annie Mayes          | 2798 |
| Belle Sixkiller      | 2809 |
| James P. Riley       | 2825 |
| William Broadus      | 2854 |
| William A. Martin    | 2865 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan   | 2888 |
| Marcellus L. Baker   | 2905 |
| Etta M. Hill         | 2915 |
| John R. Smith        | 2922 |
| Ira W. Wallen        | 2926 |
| John B. Laurence     | 2959 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock    | 2961 |
| Bell L. Muskrat      | 2975 |
| Elisa O'Field        | 2977 |
| Margaret Suagoo      | 2993 |
| Winfield S. Nance    | 3007 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley   | 3010 |
| Mollie Daugherty     | 3039 |
| Charles H. Leathman  | 3043 |
| Alice A. Edwards     | 3100 |
| Dorinda Adair        | 3106 |
| William R. Gray      | 3118 |
| Dora B. Caulk        | 3143 |
| Jose M. Gallman      | 3161 |
| Martha E. Garrett    | 3162 |
| Artie E. Large       | 3164 |
| Andrew A. Kelley     | 3191 |
| Anna B. Ryne         | 3193 |
| Eliam Henderson      | 3198 |
| David B. Jenkins     | 3212 |
| Liane Felling        | 3233 |
| Robert L. Payne      | 3252 |

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| William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
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| William Brown          | 3344 |
| Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William Little         | 3377 |
| Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| Lissie Denton          | 3417 |
| Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
| Lathan Lumbard         | 3891 |
| Micajah P. Haynes      | 3897 |
| Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
| Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3950 |
| Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3999 |
| Beth R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Wiley Hanna            | 4016 |
| Martha M. Woods        | 4033 |
| Lissie Gray            | 4117 |
| Nancy C. Carey         | 4131 |
| Annie E. Kenney        | 4165 |
| William H. Ward        | 4169 |
| Nannie Brewer          | 4189 |

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 Dora Frenchman 4262  
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 Perley Israel 4295  
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 Charles Horton 5390  
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 Addison Reeves 5565  
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 Julia Kidd 5575  
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 Nancy Inlow 5587  
 Daisy H. Owen 5599  
 Annie R. C. Owen 5600  
 Jennie McKnight 5602  
 Geo. J. Strango 5610  
 Henry Wostenhaver 5611  
 Emma H. Runch 5612

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 Paulina P. Fiteber 5614  
 Charley Headrick 5615  
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| Joseph Lehr           | 5851 |
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| Matilda Thompson      | 5861 |
| William W. Young      | 5872 |
| Earley F. Ellis       | 5874 |
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| Sarah Cannon          | 5879 |
| Mamie Beck            | 5887 |
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| John D. Merchant      | 5889 |
| Sarah E. Ghormley     | 5894 |
| Jerry Young           | 5906 |
| James H. Brickey      | 5916 |
| Mary Hicks            | 5919 |
| George W. Weems       | 5922 |
| Albert Crain          | 5923 |
| James M. Jones        | 5932 |
| Alfred W. Shelly      | 5935 |
| John M. Stratton      | 5936 |
| Waddie Hudson         | 5937 |
| Robert C. Johnson     | 5939 |
| Mary T. Thompson      | 5941 |
| Edith A. Parris       | 5943 |
| Addie Hubbard         | 5949 |
| John A. Lowry         | 5962 |
| John R. W. Brantley   | 5963 |
| James T. Carroll      | 5964 |
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| Lelia C. Harris     | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones        | D | 3086 | Ella Anspach      | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws       | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade        | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick       | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan       | D | 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Pharris      | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael        | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis      | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 563 |
| Grace Guthrie       | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
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| Jimmie G. Thompson  | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly    | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell       | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Roseanna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue    | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne    | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said persons are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1896 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 30, 1907.

Still,

Very, truly,  
Yours,

The Commission has received your letter of September 22, relative to the application to be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Chinese woman.

In reply you are advised that if the woman is listed for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage, you will be allowed first priority in the application within which to apply for the enrollment of the woman to her right to enrollment.

Respectfully,



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Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 8, 1903.

W. W. Williams,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, upon the application of David Still for the enrollment of himself, Elmer Still, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be required to file from date hereof, in which to file such petition, you are advised to make against the action of the Commission, and in case of which protect you.

applicant. If you fail to do so, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Okla. Territory, March 2, 1906

Dear Sir,

Enclosed is a copy of the report of the

Commissioner of the

Commission to the Executive Committee of the Board of  
Education, dated March 2, 1906, regarding your application for the position of principal of the  
School, as a citizen by inheritance of the American Indian.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Yours truly,

Osage 1000

Osage, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907

Dear Sir:

Osage, Indian Territory.

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Osage Nation. The Commissioner's decision has been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's decision as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Chicago, Illinois, June 10, 1907.

Dear Sir:

George L. Indian

Sir:

You are hereby advised that your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Five Civilized Tribes, made at the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C., on June 10, 1907, has been approved and you are hereby notified that you are now a citizen of the Five Civilized Tribes.

Cherokee  
S. M. M.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 29, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James [redacted], et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

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1. The first step in the process of creating a new product is to identify a market need. This involves conducting market research to understand the preferences and behaviors of potential customers. Once a need is identified, the next step is to develop a concept that addresses this need. This concept should be innovative and differentiated from existing products in the market.

2. After developing a concept, the next step is to create a prototype. A prototype is a preliminary model of the product that allows the development team to test and refine their ideas. This can be done through various methods, such as 3D printing, computer simulations, or building a physical model. The prototype is used to gather feedback from stakeholders and make necessary adjustments to the design.

3. Once a prototype is developed, the next step is to conduct a feasibility study. This study evaluates the technical, financial, and market viability of the product. It involves assessing the resources required for production, the potential costs, and the competitive landscape. The feasibility study helps the development team make informed decisions about whether to proceed with the product development process.

4. The final step in the process is to launch the product into the market. This involves creating a marketing plan, establishing distribution channels, and implementing promotional activities. The launch is a critical moment for the product, as it determines its initial success and sets the stage for long-term growth. Continuous monitoring and evaluation are essential to ensure the product remains competitive and meets the needs of the market.

Exhibit A, Case No. 100,000,000, 1902.

In the case of the application of James O. Carr, for the  
certificate of marriage as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee  
Nation.

Supplemental to A-22.

Cherokee Nation appears by J. C. Carr.

JOHN V. P. LARSON, being duly sworn, deposes as follows:

- Q. What is your name? A. John V. P. Larson.  
Q. How old are you? A. 32 years.  
Q. What is your post office? A. ...  
Q. Are you in good health? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were you admitted to citizenship? A. I was admitted in  
'87, I believe, or '88.  
Q. When did you come to the Cherokee Nation? A. In '88.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. ...  
Q. When were you married to her? A. Married in '88.  
Q. In the Cherokee Nation? A. No, sir, in Georgia.  
Q. Is she your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are you her first husband? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Have you and your wife been living together in the Cherokee  
Nation ever since you came here in 1888? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Never been separated? A. No, sir; never been separated.  
Q. Living together on the 1st of September, 1902? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are your children all living? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Any children died within the last two years? A. No, sir.

BY MR. SPARR:

- Q. This woman is your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You are her first husband? A. Yes, sir.

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James O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as  
stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he  
received the above certified case and that the foregoing is a  
true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December, 1902.

Notary Public.

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Filed July 18. 1900



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COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 11, 1902.

In the matter of the Application of Hannah E. Langley for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage with the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to H-32.

Cherokee Nation appears by J. C. Starr.

JOHN V. D. LANGLEY, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commissioner.

- Q. What is your name? A. John V. D. Langley.  
Q. How old are you? A. 32 I believe.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Baptist.  
Q. Are you an admitted citizen? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were you admitted to citizenship? A. I was admitted in '87, I believe, or '88.  
Q. When did you come to the Cherokee Nation? A. In '88.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Hannah E.  
Q. When were you married to her? A. Married in '88.  
Q. In the Cherokee Nation? A. No, sir; in Georgia.  
Q. Is she your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are you her first husband? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Have you and your wife both lived together in the Cherokee Nation ever since you came here in 1888? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Never been separated? A. No, sir; never been separated.  
Q. Living together on the first of September, 1902? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are your children all living? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Any children died within the last two years? A. No, sir.

BY MR. STARR:

- Q. This woman is your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You are her first husband? A. Yes, sir.

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James O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported the above entitled case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 1902.

*J. C. Starr*  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Hannah E. Langley as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Na-  
tion.

D E C I S I O N

The record in this case shows that on July 18, 1900, John W. D. Langley appeared before the Commission at Westville, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment, among others, of his wife, Hannah E. Langley, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 9, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Hannah E. Langley was lawfully married in April, 1888, to John W. D. Langley, who was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities of said Nation, on May 18, 1888, as shown by an examination of the records of the Cherokee Nation in possession of the Commission, and who has been enrolled by the Commission as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, his enrollment number being 951. The Cherokee Supreme Court in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson held that a white woman married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. The said Hannah E. Langley is identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said John W. D. Langley has resided in the Cherokee Nation since 1890 and that the applicant and her said husband have been living together in said Nation from that time up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Hannah E. Langley should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this

WIR-21002

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

\* In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 10  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 45  | William Grigby      | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Janette Mamer       | 686 |
| William B. Watson    | 105 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 172 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 186 | William Gordon      | 788 |
| Urie Ann Smith       | 200 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 206 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Sadie Fivestiller   | 887 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 256 | William H. Burrow   | 907 |



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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas J. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Hendrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willie E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creeden          | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2256 |
| Odie Pidcock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2303 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1550 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2800 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadbuss     | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCanish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Elisa O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Winfield S. Nance     | 3007 | Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
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| Lissie Pharris     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 466 |
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| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 648 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rosanna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs,

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1906, granting the application of John W. D. Langley for the enrollment of his wife, Hannah E. Langley, as a citizen by membership of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file a protest against the desire to make against the action of the Commission, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. Fox,  
Chairman.

Enc. B-120

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

John W. D. [unclear]

Register, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903,  
granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, [unclear]  
[unclear], as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. H-20.

Cherokee 10301

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Hankok E. Langley,

Baptist, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 16, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Deca. 2

Commissioner.

Mr. W. L. Langley,

Baptist, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 26, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.



Cherokee  
S. M. A.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Encl. C-100  
LWS

CHAS. H. HARRIS

ELIZABETH C. HARRIS

Town of ...

Calvin Coker—Native Cherokee; also Lizzie, Samuel O. and Verberly M.  
Coker and her daughter William Myers—Rejected.  
Lizzie B., William P.A., and Joseph O. Coker—REJECTED.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Nowata, I. T., October 18th, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Calvin Coker for enrollment  
of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, as  
being duly sworn testified before the Commission as follows:

Q What is your full name? A Calvin Coker.  
Q Any middle name? A No, sir.  
Q How old are you? A 50.  
Q What is your post office? A Goodie's Bluff, I. T.  
Q In what district do you live? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Who is it that you want to have enrolled? A Myself, wife and  
eight children.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife? A A Cherokee by blood.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All my life.  
Q Give me the name of your father? A John R. Coker.  
Q Is he alive? A No, sir.  
Q Give me the name of your mother? A Ann Coker.  
Q Is she alive? A No sir she died in 1878.  
Q Give me the name of your wife? A My present wife is named Eliza  
J. Coker.  
Q How old is she? A 48 years old.  
Q When did you marry her? A In 1891.  
Q What was her name when you married her? A Winberly.  
Q Give me the name of her father? A Samuel Couch.  
Q What Give me the name of her mother? A Nancy A. Couch.  
Q Is her father dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is her mother dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q Has she lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life? A Part of  
the time only, she was taken out by her guardian.  
Q Is she on the roll of 1880? A No, sir.  
Q When did she come to the Cherokee Nation? A Her guardian,  
through her father's request sent her to Texas and she staid  
there some time.  
Q Where was she born? A In the Cherokee Nation.  
Q How long has she lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation? A I  
married her in 1891.  
Q How long had she lived here before you married her? A 8, 9  
or 10 months.  
Q Was she married more than once before you married her? A Win-  
berly was her second husband.  
Q Who was her first husband? A Myers was her first husband.  
Q Were both of them dead when you married her? A Yes, sir.  
Q Had she apply for re-admission to citizenship after she came  
back from Texas? A No, sir.  
Q You say she was here 8 or 10 months before you married her?  
Yes, sir.  
Q Previous to that she had been in Texas? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did she first come back to the Cherokee Nation any time  
prior to the time that she came back and was here 8 or ten months  
before you married her? A She came back before that; she had  
been here off and on all the time you will find her on every roll  
except the 1880 roll.  
Q Where was her first husband you say? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was he a white man? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was Winberly a white man? A Yes, sir.  
Q How were you married before you married this wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you married more than once before? A No, sir.  
Q What was your first wife's name? A Lizzie Bullett.

Q When did you marry that wife? A 14th of May, 1891.  
 Q How long was she? A On May 14th, 1891—she died on the 14th of May.  
 Q How long was your present wife in the same year? A Yes.  
 Q How long is she now? A November 1, 1891.  
 Q How long was your first wife married together from your marriage until her death? A 14 years.  
 Q Give me the name of your step-child? A Willala Myers.  
 Q She is 19 years old is she? A Yes, sir.

(Here witness hands Commissioner Breckinridge a paper containing the names and ages of his children)

Q William P. A. Coker is the next one is he? A Yes, sir.  
 Q He is 17 years old last April? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Next one is Frank R. Coker? A Yes, sir.  
 Q He is 15 years old is he? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Next one is Calvin E. Coker? A Yes, sir.  
 Q He is 11 years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Joseph C. Coker, is that the next one? A Yes, sir.  
 Q He is 8 years old is he? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Next one is Lizzie? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Five years old? A Yes, sir.  
 Q What is the name of the next one? A Samuel G. Coker age 5.  
 Q Last one is Varana E. Coker? A Yes, sir, that's the baby.  
 Q One year old? A Yes, sir, about that.  
 Q These children are all living are they? A Yes, sir.  
 Q How many of these children are by your last wife? A The last three.  
 Q The others are by your first wife? A Yes, sir.  
 Q And now, Willala Myers, is a child of your present wife by a former husband? A Yes, sir.  
 Q When did your present wife's mother die? A About 1878.  
 Q When did her father die? A About '78.  
 Q When did your present wife marry her husband Myers? A (No response) Q Do you know Myers's first name? A Burton.  
 Q Where did she marry him? A In Texas, and then came back here and married according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation.  
 Q When did Myers die? A About 1880.  
 Q Is this the only child that they had? A The only one living.  
 Q Did the father die when other three children were born? A The father died, if I am not mistaken—but positive—before the last one was born.  
 Q In your time, where? A No, sir.  
 Q Did you spend most of her time in the Cherokee Nation before she married the husband Myers? A Principally, married here.  
 Q Was she born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes.  
 Q Did your wife and her husband Myers move into the Cherokee Nation and live here? A They came here and lived awhile and then came back to Texas again as he liked Texas better than the Cherokee Nation.  
 Q Did Myers ever go and live here in the Cherokee Nation? A He lived here for one year and then went back to Texas.  
 Q Did he want or own the farm? A Didn't own it.  
 Q After Myers' death did she come back here with her children? A She was back and forth.  
 Q Where did she marry her husband Winberly? A In Texas.  
 Q How long did she and Winberly live together? A Only a short time, he died soon after they married.  
 Q Did she and Winberly come to the Cherokee Nation and settle? A No, sir.  
 Q Do you know when Winberly died? A I can't state that.  
 Q After Winberly's death did she come back here? A Yes, sir.  
 Q When was it that she came back here after Winberly's death? A In '89, somewhere along there.  
 Q Did she apply to the Cherokee Commission or Council for redemp-



tion as a Cherokee citizen? A No, sir.

Q Your first wife was a Delaware was she? A Yes, sir.

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| 1880 roll, page 77, No. 460, Calvin Coker, Geoweesohowee, H. C. |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 941, Calvin Coker, " "                           |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 942, Miss Coker, " "                             |  |
| 1888 " " 23, " 943, Willella Myers, " "                         |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 944, Wm. P. A. Coker, " "                        |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 945, Frank R. Coker, " "                         |  |
| 1888 " " 130, " 946, Calvin E. Coker, " "                       |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 947, Joseph C. Coker, " "                        |  |
| 1888 " " 130 " 948, Lizzie Coker, " "                           |  |
| 1888 " " 130, " 949, Samuel Coker, " "                          |  |

Q Do you insist on applying for your wife as a Cherokee by blood?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you consider that she lost her blood right under the Cherokee laws by living in Texas? A No, sir.

Q Do you make application for her as a Cherokee by blood or a Cherokee by intermarriage? A By blood.

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself, his wife and eight children, one of whom is his step-child. He is identified on the roll of 1880 and 1886 as a native Cherokee. He has lived in the Cherokee Nation all his life and will now be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood. He applies for his wife as a Cherokee by blood. He states that she was born in the Cherokee Nation but when a child was sent by her guardian to Texas. (It is shown that she continued to live in Texas and married twice in that state, and there lived with and buried both of her said husbands. The applicant's step-child, for whom application is made, was born in Texas. His wife's first husband came to the Cherokee Nation and spent one year on rented ground but the balance of his life was spent in Texas. It is also shown that his wife did not come back here to permanently reside until 1880 at which time she was 30 years of age. Under the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation, First Article Second Section, it is considered that applicant's wife had forfeited her citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, and she did not apply for re-admission to citizenship upon her return to the Cherokee Nation. She is identified on the roll of 1880, but she is not considered to be entitled to enrollment at this time according to the status under which application is made and her application for enrollment is therefore rejected. The child Willa Myers, a child of applicant's present wife by a former husband, is identified on the roll of 1888 but she was born in the state of Texas and possesses no rights not possessed by her mother, therefore the application for the enrollment of the child Willa Myers is rejected. Of the remaining children, the first four are children of applicant by his first wife who is identified with him on the roll of 1880 as an adopted Delaware. These four children William O. A. Coker, Frank R. Coker, Calvin E. Coker and Joseph C. Coker are all living now and are identified on the roll of 1880; they are minors and will be listed for enrollment at this time as Cherokee-Delawares. The remaining children are children of the present marriage. While applicant's wife fails to establish her citizenship by blood, it is shown that she and applicant were free to marry at the time of their union, that she has lived with him in the Cherokee Nation ever since she married him. These are therefore legitimate children by this marriage. The first two Lizzie and Samuel O. Coker are identified on the roll of 1888 and will now be listed for enrollment as Cherokees by blood. The youngest child Varana E. Coker will also be listed for enrollment when the Commission is supplied with a proper certificate as to its birth.



Chas. W. ...  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1961.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1961.



Commissioner.

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deposited and sworn to before me this 23rd day of October, 1901.

or the original transcript.  
the foregoing copy, and that the same is a true and complete copy  
of the original transcript.  
Witness my hand and seal this 23rd day of October, 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
I. E. B.  
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Commissioner.

(Signed) T. E. Neely,

deposited and sworn to before me this 23rd day of October, 1901.

(Signed) Chas. von Meier

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and complete, being first duly sworn states that as stenographer

# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Date OCT 10 1900 1900

Name *Croady Bluff Jr.*

District Year Page No.

Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law Date of marriage

License Certificate

Wife's name *Eliza J. Coker*

District *COOWEESCOOWEE* Year *1896* Page *130* No. *942*

Citizen by blood *Yes* Mother's citizenship *Sam'l. Couch - d*

Intermarried citizen *No* *Nancy A. " - d*

Married under what law Date of marriage

License Certificate

Names of Children:

*2 Willella Myers* *COOWEESCOOWEE* Year *1896* Page *213* No. *3236* Age *19*

*Father of Buttrick Myers -* Year *1896* Page *213* No. *3236* Age *19*

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*1 On 1896 Roll as Eliza Coker*

*2 " " " " Willella Myers*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
FILE NO. 11  
OCT 19 1906

  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

Received of the [illegible] to the [illegible] [illegible]  
one copy of the testimony in [illegible] of the [illegible]  
enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of [illegible]

[illegible] for [illegible]

Claremore, Indian Territory,

October 24th, 1907.

Cherokee Card #R-303.



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Exhibit A---H. Card No. 1.

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

STATEMENT OF J. J. COOK, being sworn and examined by Commissioner G. H. Bland, and certified by him as true and correct.

Q. Now, J. J. Cook, being sworn and examined by Commissioner G. H. Bland, and certified by him as true and correct.

Q. What is your full name? A. My full name is Mary Ellen Cook, but I sign as Mrs. J. J. Cook.

Q. How old are you? A. Forty-nine years.

Q. What is your present office? A. Cook's Bluffs, Indian Territory.

Q. In what district do you live? A. Coconino.

Q. For whose enrollment do you wish to apply, for your own? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Just yourself? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are you the wife of John J. Cook? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Your husband made application for the enrollment of himself and family at Phoenix, Arizona, 18th. In that case your husband persisted in making application for you as a Cherokee by blood?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And the trouble appeared to be that you had gone out of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And lost your rights as a Cherokee by blood. Is that the way you understand it? A. Well, yes, I guess so.

Q. Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And went down to Texas when you were a child? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You continued to live in Texas, did you, until you were of age? A. Well, I was here and there. I didn't live there all the time. I was part of the time.

Q. You married down there, didn't you? A. Yes, sir; I married there and I came here right straight and was married over here.

Q. Was your first marriage---

A. (interrupting) Well, that is the one I am speaking of, to William Myers.

Q. Was your first husband? A. William Myers.

Q. You married him in Texas? A. Yes, sir; and then up here.

Q. When did you marry him? A. In 1878.

Q. He is dead, is he? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When did he die? A. Died in 1882.

Q. Did you live with him until he died? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Now, where did you and he have your home during that period? A. Well, we made it here part of the time, and then we went down there with the intention of coming back on account of my husband. We moved down and we had a home here and aimed to come back. Well, he sold out there. What little we had there, and aimed to come back here and build a house, and died, and I neglected to come back just then, but I came back in 1883, and I staid here ever since.

Q. Now you married again in Texas? A. Yes, sir, but my husband died in 1883. He was coming out here and was taken sick and died.

Q. After your husband Myers died in Texas you came back to the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.

Q. It was in 1883 that you returned? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are on the roll of 1883? A. No, I don't think I am.

Q. Your first husband only spent one year here, didn't he. He came here and rented land? A. Well, yes, he rented land the first year and he bought him a home here then.

Q. But you didn't continue to own that home? A. Yes, sir; we owned that home for five or six years and then sold it.



- Q When did you marry him? A I was married in 1891.
- Q And you have lived with him ever since you married him in 1891? A Yes, sir.
- Q Now, when you were back here, did you apply for real estate to the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir. I didn't think there was any need to, but I did apply for it.
- Q But you had been several years out of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.
- Q You had gone down there in 1884 or 1885, about 1885, to Texas, and married Mr. Wimberley, and stayed in Texas from the time you married him until 1890. That was all together several years? A Yes, sir.
- Q And that is where you were living. That is where you were domiciled? A Yes, sir; I had lived here all the time.
- Q Did you look upon the Cherokee Nation at the time as your real home? A Yes, sir. I just neglected to come back. Something just kept hindering me and is why I didn't, and that is all.
- Q You did not, in any sense, consider Texas your home? A Oh no.
- Q Did you have your household goods and effects back up here? No. I had a home here; that is, I had a house here.
- Q But your household goods and effects were there? A Yes, sir. I didn't have very many of them then.
- Q But such as you had were in Texas? A Yes, sir.
- Q And your husband, Mayers, was engaged in business in Texas? A Well, he was there some.
- Q Your husband, Wimberley, was engaged in business there? A He was just farming there.
- Q Did he own land? A Well, yes. He owned land.
- Q Was it the purpose of your husband, Wimberley, to come to the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir. He was intending to come.
- Q And that was hindered by something before he could carry that intention out? A Well, yes.
- Q And you went up his property down there in Texas while you were staying there? A Yes, sir.
- Q You sold it all out? A Well, he had one child. I left it to her and didn't sell it at all.
- Q But you closed out your interest in it? A Yes, sir.
- Q And came back to your own place, that is, the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir. I have a little piece of land in Texas. I have been trying to get rid of it.
- Q Did you have a residence back here all the time, a house? A No, sir; I didn't have a house here all the time, but I have a lot in Vinita.
- Q But it was improved? A No, I don't think it was improved.
- Q You had no residence or household goods here? A Well, yes I did, pretty near all the time.
- Q After your husband, Mayers, died, or before he died, did you acquire a residence here, that is, a house? A Yes, sir; we had a home here on Big Creek. He had a bill of sale for it.
- Q Now, when you went back to Texas, at the time you married your husband, Wimberley, did you still own that house here? A No, I didn't own that one.
- Q Did you own any house? A Yes, sir. I owned one over on Lightning Creek.
- Q During the time you were living in Texas as the wife of Wimberley. A I don't know for sure about that.
- Q Did you dispose of your household goods and furniture and such things while you were down in Texas, married to your husband, Wimberley? Did you have any household goods and furniture and things of that kind back here? A No. I had a lot here.



Q I am talking about household goods now, or is it about the land? A Well, these are sold, but I don't know where they are. I don't know whether I have them or not. Q Now, when you returned to your home in Cherokee, all your household goods, your clothes and things of that kind, were with you in Texas? A Yes, sir.

Q And all those goods and effects of that character were with you in Texas until you came back in 1891? A Yes, sir.

Q Now, you want to apply for admission, do you, as a Cherokee by intermarriage? A Yes, sir.

Q You claim that you retained your Cherokee rights, if they lapsed, by your marriage to your present husband? A Yes, sir.

Q When you came back in 1891? A Yes, sir.

Q You and he have lived together ever since you were married to him in 1891, is that right? A Yes, sir.

Q Had he been previously married? A Yes, sir.

Q How many times? A Once.

Q That man's wife was dead, was she, when he married you? A Yes, sir.

Q Both your former husbands were dead? A Yes, sir.

Q You were only married twice before you married your present husband? A Yes, sir.

THE COMMISSIONER: This evidence will go as supplemental testimony in the application heretofore made for the enrollment of Eliza Coker et al, case R. 303. It appears that the applicant should, under the Cherokee law, have applied for readmission to citizenship when she came back to the Cherokee Nation in 1890, and that failing to do so she could not be considered as having entered into the enjoyment of her original rights as a Cherokee by blood. But, in as much as she married in 1891 her husband Calvin Coker, who is found in his own case No. 4646 to be a regularly enrolled Cherokee, she thereby acquired full rights as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage.

But this testimony will be placed in her case and final decision will be rendered when it is reached in its regular order.

MRS. COMMISSIONER: Then, I suppose there is no use to say anything about the child.

Q You desire to make further statements in reference to the enrollment of your child. What is the name of the child? A Willella Coker.

Q Is that Will-ella, one name? A Yes, sir. We call her by her full name.

Q Now, that child was born in the State of Texas? A Yes, sir.

Q How long was it after your marriage to Myers before you returned to the Cherokee Nation? A We were married and came right on out here. We were married one evening and came on the next day.

Q And the got married here under the Cherokee law? A Yes, sir.

Q As already shown? A Yes, sir.

Q And how long was it you staid here then? A We staid here a year.

Q And then went back to Texas? A Yes, sir.

Q And there the child was born? A Yes, sir.

Q And did you then stay in Texas until Myers died? A Yes, sir. He came out here but I didn't come.

Q And how was engaged in business down there was he? A Well he was on a farm? Yes, sir; I guess that is what you would call engaged in business.

Q He made a crop there? A Yes, sir.

Q Did he live there until he died? A Yes, sir.

Q Which was how many years? A Well we went there in 1879 and he died in 1883.

Q He was there three years about? A Yes, sir I guess. From the last of 1879--we went there in December 1879, and he died in 1883.

Q How old were you when your husband Myers died? A I was sixteen.



Q Did you have a residence at that time? A Yes, sir.  
 Q And you lived there? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Did you have some household effects and furniture  
 or clothing or things of that kind? A I don't think there was any-  
 thing of that kind, but we had our home there.  
 Q You had never sold your home? A No, sir; we hadn't never  
 sold it.  
 Q Did he vote there after you were married under the  
 Cherokee law? A No, sir; he didn't do anything of that kind,  
 because he was bound to live there his home, and he wouldn't do  
 such as that.  
 Q When you were married under Cherokee law he considered  
 himself a Cherokee? A Yes, sir.

THE COMMISSIONER: This testimony will also be considered  
 in connection with the application for the enrollment of one child  
 of Mrs. Eliza J. Comer by her former husband  
 William Myers.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that he has read over  
 to the Commission the Five Civilized Tribes and has con-  
 sidered the supplemental testimony and has found it to be correct  
 at the time and place above mentioned, and that the foregoing is a  
 correct and complete transcript of his proceedings and report.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of November 1909

*W. H. Harrison*

Commissioner.

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(Signed) C. R. [illegible]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1901.

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Commissioner.

Cherokee B-303.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Eliza Coker and Wilhelmina Myers as citizens by blood of the Cherokee  
Nation.

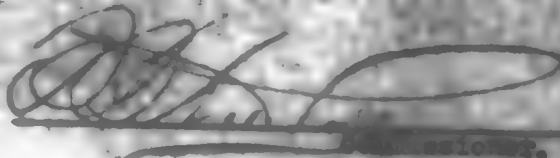
SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT.

An examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation,  
in possession of the Commission, shows that Eliza Coker is identified  
thereon as follows:

On the 1883 roll page 58 #1320 Coconawadsee District, as  
Eliza Myers; on the 1886 roll page 76 #1493 Coconawadsee District,  
as Eliza Myers; on the 1890 roll page 145 #3125 Coconawadsee District,  
as Eliza Myers; on the 1894 roll page 120 #230 Coconawadsee District,  
as Eliza Myers; on the 1896 roll page 130 #342 Coconawadsee Dis-  
trict, as Eliza Coker.

Wilhelmina Myers is identified on the 1883 roll page 58 #1322  
as Will E. Myers, Coconawadsee District; on the 1886 roll page 76  
#1495 Coconawadsee District, as Wilhelmina Myers; on the 1890 roll page  
145 #3127 Coconawadsee District, as Wilhelmina Myers; on the 1894 roll  
page 120 #232 Coconawadsee District, as Wilhelmina Myers; on the 1896  
roll page 130 #344 Coconawadsee District, as Wilhelmina My-  
ers.

It is ordered that copies of this statement be filed with  
this case and made a part of the record herein.

  
Commissioner.

1. The first of these is the fact that the  
2. Government has not been able to secure  
3. the necessary funds to carry out its  
4. policy of non-interference in the  
5. internal affairs of the country.

from under my hand and seal of office this the 20th day  
of February 1879.

(55A1)

(Signed) James W. Cowart.

I, the undersigned as stenographer to the above named committee, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same as the same was presented for enrollment of Mr. Apple as a member of the Senate.

James S. ...





Cherokee R-303.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Eliza J. Coker and Wilella Myers as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

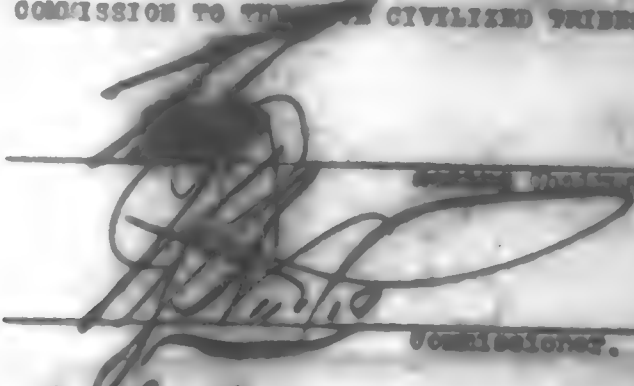
DECISION.

The record in this case shows that on October 19, 1900, Calvin J. Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment, among others, of his wife, Eliza J. Coker, and his step-daughter, Wilella Myers, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, on November 20, 1900. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Eliza J. Coker, a Cherokee citizen by blood, was born in the Cherokee Nation and prior to 1880 went to the State of Texas, returning to the Cherokee Nation in 1890, and married Calvin J. Coker. It appears that she had formerly been twice married, and as a result of her marriage with one Myers, Wilella Myers was born. Her former husbands were dead at the time she married Calvin J. Coker, as was also a former wife of his. The evidence further shows that the applicants herein are identified on the Cherokee rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1896, and that they have resided in the Cherokee Nation continuously since 1890.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Eliza J. Coker and Wilella Myers should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1900 (31 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
C. R. Beecham.  
Commissioner.

Noted at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR-2-1901

Enklagee, Indian Territory, January 4, 1900.

Mr. Calvin Coker,

Goody's Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of the 20th  
ultimo with reference to furnishing the Commission with evidence  
of your marriage to your present wife. You state that you did  
not procure a license authorizing your marriage to her, but that  
the certificate as to your marriage has been duly recorded.

You are requested to furnish the Commission with a certified  
copy of the same.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

In answering refer to  
R. 303.

Char-See B-103

Enbridge, Indian Territory, July 29, 1906.

Calvin Carter,

Goody's Bluff, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

When you applied to this Commission for the enrollment of Elias J. Carter et al as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you filed with that application marriage license and certificate showing your marriage on March 10, 1898, to Mary Elias Couch.

The same is herewith returned to you, a copy having been made and retained in the Commission's files.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Encl. B-104.

COPY

Cherokee Nation

McKagoo, Indian Territory, March 9, 1908.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 3, 1908, granting the application of Calvin J. Gaher for the enrollment of his wife, Eliza J. Gaher, and his step-daughter, Wilhelmina Ewers, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. Kirby,

Chairman.

Enc. 1-9

Washington, Indian Territory, March 2, 1908.

Calvin J. Carter,

George Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908, granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, Eliza J. Carter, and step-daughter, Wilhelmina Myers, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

George Bluff,  
Chairman.

Enc. No. 1.

Register.



Chas. 10278

Alma 14256

Trans. from R. 302

1. The first step in the process is to identify the problem or issue that needs to be addressed. This involves gathering information and understanding the context of the problem.

Q When did you move to the Cherokee Nation? A Just had 10 years, most a little.

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Be it remembered

That

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H. G. ... ..  
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Witnessed and signed by me this 5th day of November, 1900.

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
Secretary

of Council.

Concurred in by the Senate, Nov. 10, 1892.

T. M. Blount,  
President of Senate.

Approved Nov. 10th, 1892.

G. J. Harris,  
Principal Chief.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation,  
Tahlequah, N.C.

I, B. W. Allmon, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the application for enrollment of Alma Keith as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, on file in the Executive Office of the Cherokee Nation in the year of 1892, on file in the Executive Office of the Cherokee Nation this the 10th day of September, 1902.

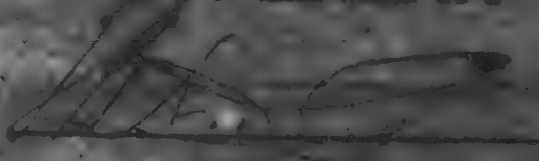
B. W. Allmon,  
Assistant Executive Secretary  
Cherokee Nation.

Department of the Interior,

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, I.T., January 24, 1902.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of Alma Keith as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

  
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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 **ACTING CHAIRMAN**





### Class Name:

C. ... ..

Dr. J. L. ...

In the matter of the application filed with the  
Department of Justice as a citizen by [redacted]  
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## SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

ALMA KEITH, being sworn, testified as follows:

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

N. ... ..

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of the District Court of the County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_,  
 do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears from the records of said Court.  
 Witness my hand and seal of office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 189\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_, Mo.,  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of Court.  
 Book \_\_\_\_\_, Marriage Record, Page \_\_\_\_\_.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory, this 10th day of May, 1906.

This day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 189\_\_\_\_\_

**Clerk.**

**By** \_\_\_\_\_ **Deputy.**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T., February 1, 1902

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of \_\_\_\_\_

Alma Keith is a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

C. R. McQuinn  
Commissioner.

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No. 652

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between  
Mr. Reuben V. Keith, of Burlington, in  
the Indian Territory, aged 30 years, and Miss Alma Arnett,  
of Burlington, in the Indian Territory, aged 18 years,  
according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

March A. D. 1898.

**Clerk of the U. S. Court.**

By W. A. Young, Deputy.

## CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a Minister of the Gospel of Christ,  
do hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_, A. M., has  
been licensed as a Christian Worker, and his name and address  
are as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

Approved by Special Agent in Charge \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge



*L. H. Westmoreland*  
Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Alma Keith as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

DECISION.

The record in this case shows that on November 9, 1900, William F. Keith appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment, among others, of his wife, Alma Keith, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 11, 1902. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that the said Alma Keith was lawfully married, on April 3, 1892, to William F. Keith who was re-admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities of said nation, on December 10, 1892. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs Nancy Rogers, and Melissa Dawson vs W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. The said Alma Keith is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Alma Keith has lived with her husband in the Cherokee Nation continuously since his re-admission to citizenship therein, up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Alma Keith should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Acting Chairman.

Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Filed at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this 2 day of March, 1902.

# Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

## DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McGay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 398 |
| William W. Barnes    | 43  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 544 |
| Arda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jennette Mosser     | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulice Ann Smith      | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Ramon M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Nanna Morris        | 842 |
| Hugh White           | 229 | Russie Fivekiller   | 867 |
| Mary A. White        | 245 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 263 | William H. Burrow   | 927 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lissie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1897 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John O. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1366 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2010 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2040 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenant  | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1440 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1462 | Thomas J. Meales    | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1506 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2261 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 | Sarah Gritta        | 2266 |
| Odie Piddock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1580 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2293 |
| Kita Hicks           | 1580 | Dona A. Frasier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1580 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldrige         | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
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| Almira Mouse         | D 9   | William S. Edwards    | D 560 |
| Lenora Prather       | D 16  | Susan L. Reed         | D 572 |
| Andrew M. Cooter     | D 17  | William H. Lyman      | D 574 |
| Martin L. Stokes     | D 23  | Gracia Davis          | D 577 |
| Peter Walters        | D 44  | Edward C. Bolen       | D 582 |
| Columbus M. Reeves   | D 58  | Dora Guthrie          | D 585 |
| Sarah Barnes         | D 103 | Samuel H. Hawkins     | D 594 |
| George T. Kiddy      | D 108 | Lula M. Purcell       | D 600 |
| Henry C. Agent       | D 139 | Ben Estes             | D 603 |
| Joseph Phipps        | D 147 | Thomas M. Reynolds    | D 621 |
| Henry Hilton         | D 149 | Arthur Dodge          | D 622 |
| David A. McGlamery   | D 161 | Carrie L. McNair      | D 624 |
| Maggie Doublehead    | D 169 | Constantine N. Walker | D 641 |
| Annie Lovett         | D 180 | Joseph Davis          | D 648 |
| Nora Hood            | D 184 | Leander A. Keys       | D 650 |
| John A. Johnson      | D 232 | James J. Barndollar   | D 655 |
| Nathaniel G. Simpson | D 242 | Nathan J. Brink       | D 682 |
| Ondeco W. Head       | D 244 | William S. Miles      | D 688 |
| Etta Taylor          | D 245 | Emma Waybourn         | D 698 |
| Susan V. Sullivan    | D 262 | Dora E. Rogers        | D 708 |
| Levi H. Tackett      | D 263 | James W. Turley       | D 700 |
| William H. Connelley | D 264 | Linnie Ward           | D 711 |
| Julia A. Sullivan    | D 284 | Robert J. Holly       | D 713 |
| May Fields           | D 297 | Belle I. Quinton      | D 728 |
| Katie Hummingbird    | D 305 | Francis M. Boothe     | D 734 |
| William F. Sager     | D 320 | Amos W. Lord          | D 740 |
| Lovick P. Garrison   | D 334 | Agnes N. Childers     | D 749 |
| Henry Grubb          | D 336 | John E. Renfrow       | D 752 |
| Lucy F. Lacey        | D 340 | William Coon          | D 759 |
| Callie Blevins       | D 341 | Louis Bruere          | D 779 |
| James B. Alfrey      | D 355 | Georgia A. Waybourn   | D 786 |
| Shadrach C. Wallen   | D 368 | Eliza Fields          | D 787 |
| Ada Hall             | D 378 | William H. Brown      | D 788 |
| Jane M. Hicks        | D 390 | William A. Cox        | D 793 |
| Fannie L. Dupree     | D 408 | Charles A. Robison    | D 799 |
| Willie Battles, Jr.  | D 404 | Artha Williams        | D 800 |
| Joshua W. Ellis      | D 418 | Adam Gearhart         | D 806 |
| Nina B. Owen         | D 430 | Cleora F. Rogers      | D 845 |
| John M. Ridemour     | D 455 | Annie Garrett         | D 856 |
| Henry S. Thompson    | D 464 | George S. Yarbrough   | D 878 |



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| Manuel Spencer        | D | 884  | Linnie Wofford       | D | 1330 |
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| Mary Brassfield       | D | 935  | Katie Rider          | D | 1334 |
| James L. Tindle       | D | 944  | Samuel G. Mills      | D | 1337 |
| Silas G. Reneckar     | D | 966  | Alfred H. Woods      | D | 1342 |
| Elisa Wofford         | D | 987  | Cynthia Whitekiller  | D | 1352 |
| Jasper L. Newton      | D | 971  | Susie McSpadden      | D | 1361 |
| John N. Guinn         | D | 974  | Martha J. Houston    | D | 1363 |
| Hannah Parson         | D | 989  | Samuel M. Collier    | D | 1367 |
| Nellie C. Halterbrand | D | 1003 | Katy Payne           | D | 1369 |
| Thomas J. Welch, Jr.  | D | 1006 | Joseph H. Warren     | D | 1375 |
| Lissie Christian      | D | 1010 | Mattie Miller        | D | 1433 |
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| Etta B. Payne         | D | 1270 | Mary Smart           | D | 2612 |
| Mary Garrett          | D | 1271 | Rufus Tidmore        | D | 2613 |
| Joe W. Goodman        | D | 1272 | Jasper Turquitt      | D | 2614 |
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| Martha A. Perdue   | R 45   | Lizzie Davis      | R 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R 61   | Clara M. Eames    | R 808 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States dated November 4, 1890, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al. vs. the United States, the said persons are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act approved June 28, 1906 (34 Stat. 498), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

1915 January 29, 1907.



U. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901, granting the application of William F. Keith for the enrollment of his wife, Alma Keith, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be requested to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Wm. F. Keith

William P. Smith,

Belmont, New York.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed copy of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 3, 1907, granting your application for the appointment of your wife, Mrs. Smith, as a citizen of the Chickasaw Nation.

Respectfully,

Thomas C. Smith,  
Director.

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No. 10222

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907

Allen Keith,

Priartown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. been. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

Wahkago, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Adm. 1113.

Briartown, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Charleston  
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Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 25, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Flora A. Tarrill

Trans. from R 573

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Claremore, I.T., November 15, 1900.

In the matter of the application of ALBERT P. TERRILL for the enrollment of himself and children as Cherokee by blood, and his wife as a Cherokee by intermarriage; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Housie, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Albert P. Terrill.  
Q What is your age? A 41.  
Q What is your post office address? A Collinsville.  
Q What district do you live in? A Okfuskee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself and family.  
Q Your wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Flora A.  
Q Is she a citizen by blood? A No, sir.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A No, sir.  
Q When did you marry her? A I married her in Texas.  
Q When is your name on the roll of 1899? A No, sir, I don't think it is.  
Q Have you any certificate of admission? A Yes, sir, I have a Good & certificate.  
Q An applicant presents a certified copy of an act of the Cherokee Council, known as Bill No. 12, readmitting Albert P. Terrill and others to citizenship, said act having been approved by B. W. Bushyhead, Principal Chief on the 15th of April, 1895; the correctness of the copy presented being certified to by E. W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary, under the seal of the Cherokee Nation.)  
Q What are the names of the children you apply for? A Willie B. Terrill.  
Q How old is she? A She is 31 years old.  
Q She must apply for herself. Is she single? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of the next one? A Una B.  
Q Is find the name of Una on here, is that your child? A Yes, sir.  
Q How old is Una? A She is 15.  
Q What are the names of your other children, give me their names? A Pearl E. Terrill, 15 years old.  
Q What is the next one? A May Terrill, 9 years old.  
Q Any others? A Edward E., 11 years old.  
Q Next? A Ransom, 5 years old.  
Q Any others? A That is all, I have got two affidavits too.  
Q What are the names? A Dennis E., 3 years old, and Jack E., 7 months old.  
Q Where is Lula Terrill? A She is dead.  
Q In the certificate you present I find the name of Albert P. Terrill and Willie B. Terrill; are you the identical Albert P. Terrill mentioned in here? A Yes, sir.  
Q And is Willie B. Terrill your child? A Yes, sir.  
Q Your wife wasn't admitted, was she? A Well I don't think that she was, it is on this here.  
Q You say you were married in the State of Texas? A Yes, sir.  
Q About what year? A I ought to know, but I guess I have forgotten Mr. W. H. Hastings, representative of the Cherokee Nation; it was before 1895, before you were readmitted? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you move to the Territory? A In 1895.  
Q Ever living here continuously ever since? A Yes, sir.  
Q All the children under Willie B. were born here, since you came to the Territory? A Yes, sir.  
Q You were never married to your wife under the laws of the Cherokee Nation since 1895? A No, sir.  
Q (Albert P. Terrill on 1899 roll, page 71, No. 2422, Canadian dist.  
Flora A. Terrill on 1899 roll, page 94, No. 247, Flora M. Terrill,

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Canadian district. Willie H. Terrill on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2020, Canadian district. Una L. Terrill on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2021, Under L. Terrill, Canadian district. Pearl S. Terrill on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2022, Canadian district. May Terrill on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2023, Canadian district. Edward H. Terrill snr. on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2024, Canadian district. Roscoe Terrill on 1896 roll, page 73, No. 2025, Roscoe Terrill, Canadian district.)

Commissioner Needles: Have you any certificate of marriage to your wife? A No, sir.

Q You ought to have proof of marriage to your wife before these children can be legally enrolled; you were married under the laws of Texas, were you? A Yes, sir.

Q You can send there and get a certified copy of your marriage certificate? A Yes, sir.

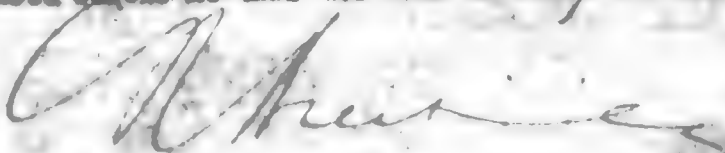
Q These children are all living and living with you at this time? A Yes, sir.

The name of Albert P. Terrill appears upon the census roll of 1896 as well as the name of his eldest child, Willie H., and he presents satisfactory proof of the admission to citizenship, more particularly described in the testimony, said certificate admitting himself and his eldest daughter, Willie H., and her name also appears upon the census roll of 1896. The names of his children, Una L., Pearl S., May, Edward H. Jr., and Roscoe, appear upon the census roll of 1896. He presents satisfactory proof of birth as to two younger children, Fannie G. and Noah L., whose names do not appear upon the census roll of 1896, they having been born thereafter. Satisfactory proof of citizenship and residence is made as to himself and his eldest child, Willie H., and they will be duly listed for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood. The names of his children as enumerated herein, except Willie H., will be duly listed for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood, upon the filing with this Commission of satisfactory proof of his marriage to his wife, Flora A., said marriage, he avers, having been solemnized in the State of Texas.

He proof of admission to citizenship is made as to his wife, Flora A., although her name is found upon the census roll of 1896; consequently his application for the enrollment of his wife, Flora, A., he not having been married to her according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation, will be rejected.

Bruce G. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 13th of November, 1900.



Commissioner.

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A Yes A  
Q These children are all living and living well at this time?  
A Yes.  
Q Located A Yes.  
Q You own said there and you carried copy of your marriage certificate, very good.  
A Yes.  
Q You want to have proof of marriage? I want to see before these witnesses can testify.

The name of Albert P. Torrell appears upon the census roll of 1886 as well as the name of his oldest child, Willie E., and no previous satisfactory proof of the relation to citizenship, more particularly described in the testimony, said certificate admitting himself and his oldest daughter, Willie E., and her name also appears upon the census roll of 1886. The names of his children, Una E., Pearl E., May, Edward M. Jr., and Robert, appear upon the census roll of 1886. He presents satisfactory proof of birth as to two younger children, Pearl E. and Noah E., whose names do not appear upon the census roll of 1886, they having been born thereafter. Satisfactory proof of citizenship and residence is made as to himself and his oldest child, Willie E., and they will be duly listed for enrollment as naturalized citizens by blood. The names of his children as described, except Willie E., will be duly listed for enrollment as citizens by blood, upon the filing with this Commission of satisfactory proof of his marriage to his wife, Flora A., said marriage, he avers, having been celebrated in the State of Texas. No proof of relation to citizenship is made as to his wife, Letta A., although her name is found upon the census roll of 1886; consequently his application for the enjoyment of his wife, Flora A., do not having been made to her according to the laws of the State, will be rejected.

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Citizen by blood

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Law Conference Nation ( Regular Session ) 1885.

Council Bill No. 118.

An Act Admitting Albert P. Terrell and others to Citizenship.

Be it enacted by the National Council:

That Albert P. Terrell  
and children, viz Mary Martha Terrell, Willis B. Terrell,  
Terrell, Oliver C. Terrell and John C. Terrell, Edward M. Terrell,  
( Brothers ) be and they are hereby readmitted to the full  
enjoyment of all the rights, privileges and immunities as other  
Native Cherokees.

Passed the House this 25th day Nov. 1885.

C.C. Lipe,

Alex. Hawk,

Clerk Council.

Speaker Council.

December 3rd 1885 Concurred in by the Senate.

R.T. Hanks,

L.B. Bell,

Clerk Senate.

President Senate

Approved Dec'r. 5th 1885.

D.W. Bushyhead,

Prin Chief.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation.

Tahlequah I.T.

I, B.W. Alberty, assistant Executive secretary,

of the Cherokee Nation do hereby certify that the foregoing  
is a true copy taken from record of laws passed by the National  
Council and approved in the year of 1885; on file in this  
Office and in my custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation,  
this the 12th day of October 1890.

House Committee on Education (Regular Session) 1885.

Committee Bill No. 12.

An Act Relating to the National Council and others to Citizens.

ship.

Be it enacted by the National Council:

That Albert P. Terrell

Terrell, Oliver C. Terrell and John G. Terrell, Edward M. Terrell,

( Brothers ) be and they are hereby readmitted to the full enjoyment of all the rights, privileges and immunities as other

Native Citizens.

Passed the House this 25th day of Nov. 1885.

Alex. Hawk,

C. C. Shippe,

Speaker of the House.

Clerk of the House.

December 3rd 1885 Countered in by the Senate.

L. B. Bell,

F. T. Marks,

President of the Senate.

Clerk of the Senate.

Approved Dec. 7th 1885.

D. W. Bushyhead,

Chief Clerk.

Executive Office of the National Council.

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I. B. W. Albery, Assistant Executive Secretary.

of the National Council be and they are hereby notified that the foregoing is a true copy of the report of the National Council as approved in the year of 1885: this in this

Office of the National Council.

Given under my hand and the seal of the National Council.

This 12th day of December 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Flora A. Terrill as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT.

By the Commission:

Albert P. Terrill, the husband of said Flora A. Terrill was notified by registered letter of January 24, 1902 to supply the Commission with either the original or a certified copy of the marriage license and certificate showing his marriage to said Flora A. Terrill. Such letter was received by him on February 4, 1902, as appears from the registry return receipt on file with this Commission. He has failed to furnish the evidence requested and has made no response to such letter.

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Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, I.T.,  
this 20th day of May, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Wm. A. Terrill for  
enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation

SUPPLEMENTAL EXHIBIT.

Wm. A. TERRILL, being sworn, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name, Mr. Terrill? A Wm. A. Terrill.  
Q Do you want to testify for your wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your age? A 43.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Collinsville.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood, are you, W. A. Terrill? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Flora A.  
Q Is your wife a white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you an applicant for enrollment as an intermarried citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to your wife, Flora? A 1877.  
Q Where were you married? A Sherman, Texas.  
Q How long after your marriage before you came to the Territory?  
A I came here in '85.  
Q Were you readmitted to citizenship after you and your wife came  
or before? A Yes, sir, in 1885.  
Q Did you file a copy of your readmission with the Commission?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q You and your wife were not married over after you came up here,  
were you? A No, sir.  
Q Did you ever been married before you married this wife?  
A No, sir.  
Q Had your wife, Flora, ever been married before her marriage to  
you? A No, sir.  
Q Have you and your wife, Flora, lived together as husband and wife  
from your marriage up to this time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Ever separated? A No, sir.  
Q Living together as husband and wife on the first day of September,  
1902? A Yes, sir.  
Q Has your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1885 up until  
the present time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where lived out of the Nation since then? A No, sir.

Betta Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as sten-  
ographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the foregoing applica-  
tion, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her  
stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December, 1902.

Notary Public.



## O F A Y E S

Madison, I. T., Aug. 8, 1903.

Cherokee B-373.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Flora A. Terrill as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on November 13, 1900, Albert P. Terrill appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment, among others, of his wife, Flora A. Terrill, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 30, 1902.

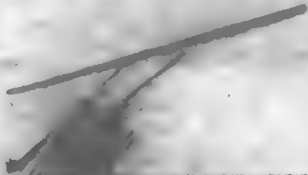
The evidence shows that the said Flora A. Terrill was lawfully married, on January 24, 1877, to Albert P. Terrill, who was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on December 5, 1885. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. The said Flora A. Terrill is duly identified on the 1896 census roll of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence further shows that the said Albert P. Terrill has resided in the Cherokee Nation since the date of his admission to citizenship, and that Flora A. Terrill and her said husband lived together in said nation from that time up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Flora A. Terrill should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495).

and it is so ordered.

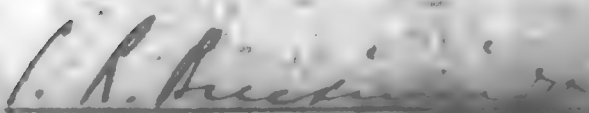
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR -2 1903

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenant      | 309 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hansen         | 48  | Vester C. Martin    | 386 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 505 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 63  | Joseph P. Willis    | 504 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 508 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Watson    | 602 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Janette Messer      | 606 |
| William B. Watson    | 125 | Joseph A. Patten    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Halford | 700 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 730 |
| Urie Ann Smith       | 200 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 808 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 840 |
| Hugh Willis          | 280 | Seale Fivchiller    | 867 |
| Mary A. Willie       | 245 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 288 | William H. Burrow   | 887 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1020 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1035 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1071 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 |
| David E. Scott       | 1099 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 |
| William Hall         | 1137 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1157 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1211 |
| George E. Norton     | 1214 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1217 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 |
| Flora Carlie         | 1265 |
| William H. Norrd     | 1275 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1280 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1289 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1304 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1342 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1358 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1360 |
| Margaret Mosen       | 1365 |
| Winnie McKinney      | 1380 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 |
| Sarah A. Hish        | 1449 |
| Jennette Polent      | 1492 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 |
| Lena Stittinghouse   | 1511 |
| Tim Croodon          | 1514 |
| Odio Piderock        | 1517 |
| Eliza A. Saterfield  | 1520 |
| Laura J. Jernsiah    | 1520 |
| Ella Bels            | 1540 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1550 |

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| Willie Morton      | 1554 |
| Andrew Walters     | 1573 |
| John H. Holder     | 1610 |
| Mary W. Rury       | 1612 |
| Thomas F. Bonham   | 1644 |
| Estence Hendrick   | 1662 |
| Lucy B. Brewer     | 1700 |
| Annie Cordrey      | 1717 |
| Adam Eckert        | 1720 |
| Leane Timmons      | 1726 |
| Geat Gibson        | 1727 |
| Anna Anderson      | 1731 |
| William J. Morris  | 1734 |
| James D. Alexander | 1735 |
| Willie F. Miles    | 1740 |
| Leane Amor         | 1781 |
| John Yarbrough     | 1786 |
| Lillie M. Dwyer    | 1802 |
| Bryan C. Redington | 1804 |
| Mahar A. Maxwell   | 1806 |
| Richard Dukes      | 1811 |
| Fannie Pettit      | 1816 |
| Genevra Pool       | 1817 |
| Mollie Crossland   | 1822 |
| Lutie Benge        | 1826 |
| John H. Welty      | 1847 |
| Edward P. White    | 1864 |
| Isaiah P. Green    | 1867 |
| Charles Rosser     | 1868 |
| Em. Ahar           | 1913 |
| Hennetta Irving    | 1920 |
| Red Trippard       | 1925 |
| John C. Carlie     | 1927 |
| John W. Gilstrap   | 1944 |
| Sarah Young        | 1949 |
| Nancy A. Coleman   | 1949 |
| James N. Whisenant | 2110 |
| Marion Stephens    | 2137 |
| Ann L. Gunn        | 2139 |
| Rebecca J. Fling   | 2173 |
| Thomas J. Mearns   | 2192 |
| Julia Coudy        | 2210 |
| Sarah Crossfield   | 2234 |
| Henry E. Lee       | 2266 |
| Sarah Givens       | 2268 |
| John A. Holden     | 2284 |
| Henry C. Penner    | 2271 |
| Martha A. Chisard  | 2280 |
| Dora A. Frazier    | 2343 |
| Laura B. Cudrey    | 2349 |

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| Ladypett D. Hestrod | 2320 |
| Paul V. Shum        | 2330 |
| Susan J. Sevier     | 2340 |
| Belle Hair          | 2345 |
| Dora Boyer          | 2474 |
| William T. Anon     | 2491 |
| Sarah L. Martin     | 2492 |
| William J. Shumaker | 2500 |
| Reed Biddisip       | 2511 |
| James L. Townsend   | 2543 |
| George L. Boyer     | 2549 |
| Andrew A. Brown     | 2575 |
| Louis E. Fair       | 2623 |
| James L. Metcalf    | 2644 |
| Martha E. McNair    | 2650 |
| Wilfred F. Fagelson | 2668 |
| Eliza M. Gray       | 2686 |
| James M. Buford     | 2694 |
| Annie Boyer         | 2708 |
| Belle Schiller      | 2809 |
| James P. Riley      | 2825 |
| William Brundage    | 2854 |
| William A. Martin   | 2865 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan  | 2869 |
| Marcella L. Baker   | 2886 |
| Ella M. Hall        | 2915 |
| John R. Smith       | 2922 |
| Isa W. Wallen       | 2926 |
| John B. Lawrence    | 2950 |
| Lula O. Hestbrook   | 2961 |
| Ed L. Hestrod       | 2975 |
| Ellen O'Field       | 2977 |
| Harriet Sango       | 2988 |
| Winfield A. Jones   | 2990 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley  | 3010 |
| Belle Brundage      | 3020 |
| Charles H. Lanthorn | 3043 |
| Alma A. Edwards     | 3100 |
| Estelle John        | 3106 |
| William E. Gray     | 3118 |
| Dora E. Cook        | 3142 |
| John H. Collins     | 3164 |
| Martha E. Garrett   | 3182 |
| Archie E. Long      | 3186 |
| Andrew A. Kelly     | 3204 |
| John B. Ryan        | 3210 |
| Ella Hestrod        | 3240 |
| North E. Justice    | 3252 |
| Ella Felling        | 3256 |
| Robert L. Ryan      | 3260 |

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| William Little          | 3377 |
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| William N. Shumaker     | 3390 |
| Linnie Denton           | 3417 |
| Belle Perkins           | 3435 |
| Thomas S. Healy         | 3457 |
| William W. Rinehornough | 3460 |
| Madison G. Hawkins      | 3467 |
| Japhat F. Ellis         | 3491 |
| Emma McAffrey           | 3543 |
| William T. Hunt         | 3570 |
| Myra F. Chouteau        | 3580 |
| Phillip Donohoo         | 3591 |
| Fred L. Kelley          | 3593 |
| Annie Herod             | 3594 |
| Maggie V. Fields        | 3615 |
| Lou Payne               | 3616 |
| Frederick W. Strout     | 3692 |
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| Robert L. Madison       | 3761 |
| Mariah McDowell         | 3786 |
| Elizabeth R. Thornton   | 3811 |
| Donathan A. Wilson      | 3840 |
| Charles F. Covey        | 3848 |
| Tammy M. Williams       | 3866 |
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| Wilbert E. Parkison     | 3980 |
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| Martha E. Woods         | 4060 |
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| Dora Frenchman        | 4262 |
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| Elizabeth Black       | 4281 |
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| Mollie Swannock       | 4319 |
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| Allen H. Gibson       | 4327 |
| John McFall Jr.       | 4348 |
| Albert W. Fitzsimmons | 4360 |
| George S. Ford        | 4366 |
| Quinn Carr            | 4387 |
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| Anna Bible            | 4414 |
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| Julian Wyrick      | D 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R 439 |
| Lissie Pharies     | D 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R 503 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R 613 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D 3183 | Dora Crane        | R 628 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R 5    | John Sitrell      | R 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R 656 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R 45   | Lissie Davis      | R 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1890.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That the applications with reference to the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 24, 1902.

Mr. Albert P. Terrill,  
Collinsville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

When you appeared before this Commission on the 12th day of November, 1900, and made application for the enrollment of yourself and children as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of your wife as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, you were requested to file with the Commission satisfactory proof as to your marriage.

An examination of the testimony had in the matter of your application discloses that you have not yet complied with the request of the Commission.

You are requested to forward the Commission immediately either the original or a certified copy of your marriage license and certificate authorizing your marriage to your present wife, Flora A. Terrill.

Yours truly,

H. S. V.  
Register.

Acting Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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ASST. CHIEF

Mr. Albert P. Terrill,

Collinsville, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You were notified, by registered letter, of January 1902, to supply this Commission with, either the original or certified copy of the marriage license and certificate of marriage to your wife Clara A. Terrill.

Our records fail to show that you have made any response to this letter.

If you desire that your wife be enrolled by this Commission it will be absolutely necessary for you to furnish the documents requested, and you will be allowed until June 30, 1902, to do so.

Yours truly,

Acting Registrar

Registrar.

Muskogee, Indian Territory

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the resolution of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908, granting the application of Albert P. Terrill for the enrollment of his wife, Flora A. Terrill, as a citizen by intermarriage with the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in the above, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve on the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Enc. 1-2-10



Albert P. Smith,

Commissioner, Cherokee Nation.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the minutes of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901,  
granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, Mary A.  
Terrill, as a citizen by Intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James H. Smith,

Chairman.

Enc. 1-13.

Very truly,  
Yours,

Cherokee 10204

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Flore A. Terrill,

Collinsville, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Decn. 2.

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

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Flora A. Terrill,

Collinsville, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Cherokee  
et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 18, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Applicant and children are Delawares; husband rejected.

Department of the Interior,  
General Land Office,  
Savannah, I.T., Oct. 11, 1903.

In the matter of the application of Anna Paradise, the wife of herself, husband and four children as being of Delaware blood; being sworn and examined by me, I, J. H. [unclear], she testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Anna Paradise.  
Q How old are you? A 33.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Savannah.  
Q What district do you live, [unclear]? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you want to have put on the roll, yourself? A Yes, sir.  
Q Besides yourself? A Yes, sir, my children.  
Q How many children? A Four.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A No, sir.  
Q What are you? A Delaware.  
Q What is your husband? A White man.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A 12 years.  
Q You came here with the Delawares? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Jack Wheeler.  
Q Is he dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Her name was Mary I think.  
Q Is she dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q Give me the name of your husband? A Talaphor A. Paradise.  
Q Have you a certificate? A Yes, sir.  
(Applicant produces certificate showing that T.A. Paradise and Annie [unclear] were united in marriage on May 26th, 1893, by the Rev. [unclear] Ser-  
geant; this is returned to the applicant, it being a voluntary  
certificate.)  
Q Did your husband get out a Cherokee license when he married you?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you it? A No, sir, they never give it to us, I don't know  
what they done with it.  
Q Where is he now? A He is on the Pen now.  
Q Do you still claim him as your husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q You consider that you and he have lived together ever since  
your marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q When was he sent to prison? A A year ago last April.  
Q Give me the names of your children? A Glen Winn.  
Q How old is that child? A 12.  
Q Was he a child by a former husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q You were with him when you married this husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q Give me the name of the next child? A Lee Paradise.  
Q How old is that child? A 6.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Georgia Anna.  
Q A girl? A Yes, sir.  
Q How old is she? A 5.  
Q Now give me the name of the next child? A Elsie.  
Q How old is she? A Pretty near a year old.  
Q These children are all living now? A Yes, sir.  
Q Now you say your first husband's name was Winn? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was he dead when you married this husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was your name before you married him? A Wheeler.  
Q You have only been married those two times? A That's all.  
Q Was your present husband ever married before? A No, sir.  
Q How old is your present husband? A 28 I think.  
[unclear] page 302 [unclear] Anna Wheeler [unclear] District, [unclear]  
and [unclear], 13 years old.  
[unclear] roll page 380 [unclear], as Annie Paradise  
[unclear] roll page 380 [unclear], as Charles [unclear]  
[unclear] roll page 380 [unclear], Georgia Anna  
Q This child Lee, what is the child's real name, that Lee is  
just a part of her name isn't it? A Yes, sir.  
Q Give me the real name of the child? A Talaphor Lee, it was

[illegible]

(Signed) M. D. Green.

(Signed) C.A. Brookinridge.

Conclusion.

Arthur G. Browning

Wm Green  
Notary Pub  
Dundee, N.Y.

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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION

Name Delphos A. Parade Bantersville Date Oct 11

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Citizen by blood no Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen yes

Married under what law Date of marriage 1883

License Certificate

Wife's name

District affected Year Page No.

Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law Date of marriage

License Certificate yes

Names of Children:

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Mary Ann Bantersville

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ALLISON L. AYLEWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Married in 1893, got no license; not on roll of  
1896; wife duly enrolled; male kin rejected; judgment stated.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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 ACTING CHAIRMAN.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Dawson, I. T., October 27, 1902.

EXHIBIT, TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the  
Application of TALESPHOR A. PARADEE, for the enrollment of himself  
and children by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation; being  
and examined, he testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Talsaphor A. Paradee.  
Q How old are you? A I am 41.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Bartlesville, I. T.  
Q Do you live in Coconawcaw District? A I do.  
Q Do you claim citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage?  
A Yes.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Annie Wheeler was her first  
name; she was a widow at the time I married her; her name was Winn  
when I married her.  
Q When were you married to her? A I am not quite sure but it  
seems to me it was in 1891 or '2.  
Q You have already furnished the Commission with a copy of  
your marriage papers? A Yes sir, last month.  
Q You were married under Cherokee law? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you ever married before you married Annie Winn, or Wheeler?  
A No.  
Q Was she ever married before she married you? A Yes, she was  
married once before only.  
Q Was her first husband dead when she married you? A Yes.  
Q Since your marriage to her in 1891 or '2 have you lived with  
her continuously as your wife? A I have only that I have been in  
prison; we have never been separated.  
Q When were you sent to prison first? A In 1899.  
Q When did you return? A In this year, August. 27th day of  
August, 1902.  
Q With that exception have you lived all the time with your  
wife in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q You are living with her now, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children have you? A Three.  
Q What are their names? A Lee, Georgia and Elsie.  
Q These children are all living now? A Yes sir.

M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing  
is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof

Subscribed and sworn to before me this November 3, 1902.

*M.D. Green*  
Notary Public.

Cherokee No. R. 899.

Marriage License was this the 24th day of May issued to T. A. Parris  
citizen of the U. S. to marry Miss Annie Winn a Cherokee citizen,  
he being recommended by the following named Cherokee citizens; Sam  
Whit Turkey, Frank Carr, Fielding Hoffman, Stephen Miller, Jeff  
Sarcxie, C. Gelston, John Pool, Robert Wheeler, Jacob Wheeler and  
W. A. Carr.

They were united in marriage by John Sarcxie on the 26th day of  
May 1893.

John Sarcxie.

Recorded

H. H. Trett, Clk.

Per W. H. Drew.

Executive Department, Cherokee Nation.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and cor-  
rect copy from the marriage record of Cooweescoowee District, Cher-  
okee Nation, as appears on page 251, which is now in my legal custody.  
This the 1st day of September 1902.

J. T. Parks,  
Executive Secretary.

SEAL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Washoe, I. T., September 10, 1902.

I, the undersigned, Chief Clerk of the Cherokee Enrollment Division  
of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and custodian of the  
records of said Division, do hereby certify that the above and fore-  
going is a true and correct copy of the original on file in the of-  
fice of the said Division.

*J. T. Parks*  
Chief Clerk Cherokee Division.

Seen to and subscribed before me this 10th day of September, 1902.

*W. H. Drew*  
Notary Public.

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in New York in all. Feb. 1944.

Chicago, I. T. Sept. 8,

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of Dec.

Bayonet



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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In the matter of the application of Talesphor A. Paradee  
for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

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DECISION.

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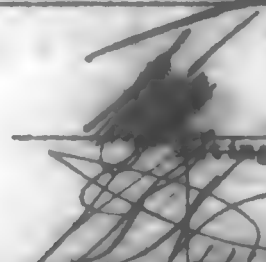
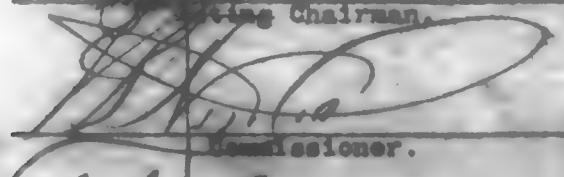

The record in this case shows that on October 11, 1900, Anna Paradee appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment, among others, of her husband, Talesphor A. Paradee, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. At Dewey, Indian Territory, on October 17, 1902, Talesphor A. Paradee appeared in person, and submitted evidence in the matter of his application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The other parties to the application are differently classified, and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that the said Talesphor A. Paradee was lawfully married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on May 26, 1893, to his said wife, Anna Paradee, nee Winn, a Cherokee citizen of Delaware blood.

The evidence further shows that Talesphor A. Paradee has not abandoned his said wife, and that he has been a resident of the Indian Territory from the time of his marriage to her, up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Talesphor A. Paradee should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.  
  
Commissioner.  
  
C. A. Reed  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this           MAR - 2 1903

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 596 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janetta Memon       | 646 |
| William B. Watson    | 164 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas H. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 796 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Samie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 242 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 263 | William H. Burrow   | 907 |

Mary Pettit 977  
 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hair 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
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 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
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 Mary M. Miller 1350  
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 Odie Pidecock 1517  
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 Etta Hicks 1540  
**Mary A. B. McKinney 1550**

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 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Genevia Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Bengé 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
**James N. Whisenhunt 2118**  
**Hiram Stephens 2157**  
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 Rebecca J. Flying 2172  
 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
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| Shadrack O. Wallen   | D 368 | Eliza Fields          | D 787 |
| Ada Hall             | D 376 | William H. Brown      | D 798 |
| Jane M. Hicks        | D 396 | William A. Cox        | D 793 |
| Fannie L. Dupree     | D 403 | Charles A. Robinson   | D 799 |
| Willie Battles, Jr.  | D 404 | Artha Williams        | D 800 |
| Joshua W. Ellis      | D 413 | Adam Gearhart         | D 806 |
| Nina B. Owen         | D 450 | Cleese F. Rogers      | D 845 |
| John M. Ridemour     | D 458 | Annie Garrett         | D 858 |
| Henry S. Thompson    | D 464 | George S. Yarbrough   | D 875 |

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| Manuel Spencer        | D 884  | Linnie Wofford       | D 1330 |
| Benjamin H. Hulbert   | D 891  | Minnie Downing       | D 1332 |
| Mary Brassfield       | D 935  | Katie Rider          | D 1334 |
| James L. Tindle       | D 944  | Samuel G. Mills      | D 1337 |
| Silas G. Reneckar     | D 966  | Alfred H. Woods      | D 1342 |
| Elisa Wofford         | D 967  | Cynthia Whitekiller  | D 1352 |
| Jasper L. Newton      | D 971  | Susie McSpadden      | D 1361 |
| John N. Guinn         | D 974  | Martha J. Houston    | D 1363 |
| Hannah Parson         | D 989  | Samuel M. Collier    | D 1367 |
| Nellie C. Helterbrand | D 1003 | Katy Payne           | D 1369 |
| Thomas J. Welch, Jr   | D 1006 | Joseph H. Warren     | D 1375 |
| Lissie Christian      | D 1010 | Mattie Miller        | D 1433 |
| George Haslewood      | D 1013 | S. F. Moore          | D 1434 |
| James M. Jones        | D 1022 | Addie Schrimsher     | D 1448 |
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| Carrie H. Cobb        | D 1049 | Marcella Blakeney    | D 1474 |
| John M. Burns         | D 1069 | G. W. Williamson     | D 1555 |
| Sarah E. Henson       | D 1083 | C. F. Walker         | D 1558 |
| Laura D. Henson       | D 1086 | Louisa Blevins       | D 1567 |
| Hettie E. Downing     | D 1090 | Frank Cowles         | D 1581 |
| Benjamin F. Crain     | D 1099 | Mary Francis Madding | D 1637 |
| Benjamin Strickler    | D 1129 | Thomas Rodman        | D 1661 |
| Nancy Spaniard        | D 1130 | Katie Still          | D 1866 |
| Annie Wilson          | D 1131 | Ira Creach           | D 1913 |
| Ora H. Maxwell        | D 1135 | D. A. Mounts         | D 1967 |
| Reuben W. Moore       | D 1136 | J. C. Sefton         | D 1991 |
| Cora Childs           | D 1146 | Jennie Holland       | D 2024 |
| Janie Hughes          | D 1179 | Lou Sanders          | D 2216 |
| Francis B. Reid       | D 1180 | Caroline Barnes      | D 2591 |
| Martha Carey          | D 1195 | Lacey Crane          | D 2592 |
| Christina Johnson     | D 1199 | Daisy Cash           | D 2595 |
| Louvenia Ironside     | D 1208 | Hiram A. Landers     | D 2599 |
| Martha J. Henson      | D 1218 | Charles Neel         | D 2603 |
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| Fred D. McEnery       | D 1235 | Jennie Rich          | D 2606 |
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| Joe W. Goodman        | D 1272 | Jasper Turquitt      | D 2614 |
| Mathew J. Flanigan    | D 1274 | Mabel West           | D 2618 |
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| Etta Downing          | D 1291 | Cora Whisenhunt      | D 2620 |
| William Caywood       | D 1296 | Katy Martin          | D 2667 |
| Clarence W. Turner    | D 1307 | Willie Butler        | D 2668 |
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| William S. Ross       | D 2738 | Manda Ward          | D 2889 |
| Irene Riley           | D 2739 | Elmira J. Alberty   | D 2905 |
| William H. Rowley     | D 2740 | Thomas C. Cordray   | D 2906 |
| Colombus C. Scroggins | D 2741 | Edward Fowler       | D 2907 |
| Della Summers         | D 2743 | Dora Foreman        | D 2908 |
| William S. Sage       | D 2744 | Parker Holt         | D 2909 |
| Eliza Thomas          | D 2748 | John Haston         | D 2910 |
| John P. Thurman       | D 2749 | Georgie Harlin      | D 2911 |
| Mary E. Davis         | D 2770 | Percillia Johnson   | D 2913 |
| Jessie Frick          | D 2774 | Bettie Morton       | D 2915 |
| Enna Buffington       | D 2788 | Samantha Spade      | D 2917 |
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| Andrew O. Kepler      | D 2804 | Mattie Henson       | D 2994 |
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| Marion Maddox         | D 2807 | Sarah Shanks        | D 3000 |
| John A. McKemie       | D 2808 | Nettie Young        | D 3006 |
| Ione McGee            | D 2809 | Jerry P. Ables      | D 3043 |
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| Oliver Mason          | D 2813 | James D. Jackson    | D 3057 |
| Edna Whitehead        | D 2814 | Emma G. Nelson      | D 3058 |
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| Etta M. Nidiffer      | D 2817 | George O. Wallace   | D 3060 |
| Louise Omcrowe        | D 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D 3072 |
| William H. Patterson  | D 2830 | Ellen Drew          | D 3079 |



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| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 107 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Malissa Fields    | R | 144 |
| Lelia C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Elia Anspach      | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
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| Lizzie Phariss     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 563 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 628 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lizzie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

Hastings, Indian Territory, February 4, 1904.

Mrs. Ann Farago,

Barlesville, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Upon examination had in the matter of the application of your husband to be enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, it is found that you have not furnished the Commission with satisfactory proof of your husband's marriage to you.

You are requested to forward to the Commission immediately certified copies of your marriage license and certificate.

Please give this matter your prompt attention, as your case cannot be proceeded with until the information requested as above is received.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

In answering refer to Cherokee No. R. 509.

Register.



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Waukegan, I. T., May 20, 1902.

Mrs. Anna Paradise,  
Bartlesville, Indian Territory.

Madam:

On the 4th day of February, 1902, there was mailed to you a registered letter, and for which the Commission have your receipt, wherein you were requested to forward proof of your marriage to your husband Talcopher A. Paradise, and which you have failed to do. You are now reminded that the Commission desire you to furnish at the earliest possible date the certificate of marriage, wherein it is shown that you were married to your said husband on the 26th day of May, 1902, and which certificate you presented to the Commission on October 11, 1900, the date of your original application, and which was returned to you.

Your prompt compliance with this request will obviate the necessity of the Commission to exercise its powers in compelling you to furnish the proof desired.

Herein fail not,

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Register.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 10, 1907.

Telephor A. Packer,

Lawyer, Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

The Commission is in receipt of your letter of June 7, 1907, enclosing certificate showing your marriage, on May 26, 1907, with Annie Winn.

The same is herewith returned to you, a copy having been made and retained in the Commission's files.

Yours truly,

Arthur W. Brown,

Sec. G. M.

Shawnee 2-500.

Washago, Indian Territory, September 11, 1902.

T. A. Paradise,

Wartlesville, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

The Commission is in receipt of your letter of September 6th, enclosing certified copy of record of marriage license and certificate showing your marriage on May 24, 1902, to Miss Annie Winn.

The same is herewith returned to you, a copy having been made and retained in the Commission's files.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Enc.-P-50.

Washington, D. C., June 10, 1892

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1892, granting the application of Anna Paragoo for the citizenship of her husband, Telegrapher A. Paragoo, as a citizen by inheritance of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed thirty days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in granting a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Enc. 2-125

San Francisco, California, May 10, 1906.

My dear Sir:

I have received your letter of the 4th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am sorry to hear that you are having trouble with your application for the enrollment of your husband, Thomas A. Parades, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Hawaiian Race.

Respectfully,

Yours truly,

Wm. H. H.

Register.



Cherokee 10200

Washago, Indian Territory, January 16, 1907.

Telephora, Barnes,

Bartlesville, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, Nov

Polk's Paradise,

Partlowville, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam!

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 26,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,  
Bureau of Indian Affairs,

Corrected copy.

Cherokee  
B et al.

Wahkeget, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Jackson,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Wahkeget, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Chief M. M.

Samuel M. M.

Trans. from 1850

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
FORT GIBSON, I.T. AUGUST 28, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Sarah Shadix for enrollment of herself and husband as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, said Shadix being sworn by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Sarah Shadix.  
Q Your age? A 30.  
Q Your postoffice? A Checotah.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes.  
Q By blood? A Yes.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A One-fourth.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A 15 years.  
Q Whom do you apply for? A Myself and husband.  
Q Where did you live before you came to the Cherokee Nation? A Muskogee.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Orlando Blackmore.  
Q Was he a Cherokee citizen by blood? A No sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Cinderilla Woodward.  
Q Is she living? A No sir.  
Q Was she a citizen by blood? A Yes.  
Q Is your mother living? A No sir.  
Q Have you any children? A No sir.  
Q Are you married? A Yes.  
Q What is your husband's name? A Samuel Shadix.  
Q When did you marry him? A 17th of February '95.  
Q What is your husband's name? A Samuel Shadix.  
Q What is his age? A 27.  
Q Are his father and mother non-citizens? A Yes.  
Q When were you married to him? A 17th of February, '95.  
Q Have you certificate of marriage? A Yes.  
Q Was your name on the roll of '80? A Yes.  
Q Were you here in '80? A I was living in Muskogee, but was only 5 years old.  
Q Your maiden name was Woodward? A No sir, my maiden name was Blackmore.

Applicant's husband on '96 roll, page 93, number 232, as Shadix.

Applicant on '96 roll, page 70, number 1919, as Shadrick.  
On '94 roll, page 7, number 159, as Blackmore.

The name of Sarah Shadix appears upon the census roll of '96 as also that of her husband, Samuel Shadix. Certified copy of marriage license and certificate of marriage duly executed is filed certifying that the said Samuel Shadix married Miss Sarah Blackmore on the 16th day of February, 1895, according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation, said marriage being solemnized by R. M. Dean, a minister, but the name of Miss Sarah Blackmore is not found upon the authenticated roll of '80, and no satisfactory proof is made as to her Cherokee citizenship. And the name of Sarah Blackmore also appears upon the pay-roll of '94. Satisfactory proof as to the Cherokee citizenship of said Sarah Blackmore not being made and her name not being found upon the authenticated roll of '80, final judgment as to the application for the enrollment of herself and her husband will be suspended, and their names will be placed upon the doubtful list.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of September, 1900.  
Commissioner.



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Major General

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Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

27 Samuel Shadix

Date AUG 28 1900 1900.

Checotah, Ok.

District CANADIAN.

Year 1896 Page 93 No. 282

Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law

Date of marriage

License

Certificate

Wife's name Sarah Shadix

me Blackmore

District CANADIAN.

Year 1896 Page 70 No. 1919

Citizen by blood 1/4 Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

parents Orlando Blackmore

Married under what law

Date of marriage Cinderella Howard

License

Certificate

Names of Children:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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ASTING CHAIRMAN

Marriage License

Cherokee Nation, Canadian Dist.

To any legally authorized, Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in the holy bonds of matrimony and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of marriage between Mr. Samuel Shadix a citizen of the United States and Miss Sarah Blackmore a citizen of the Cherokee Nation and you are required to return this license to me for record within thirty days from the celebration of such marriage, with a certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 14th day of Feb. 1895

Geo. Jennings, Clerk Canadian,  
Dist. C.N.

This is to certify, I did public these bonds of matrimony and solemnize the rites thereto of Samuel Shadix and Miss Sarah Blackmore on this 18th of Feb. 1895,

R.M. Bean, A minister,

My credentials is recorded in the U.S. Court first Jurs. Division,  
Book "A" Page 222

I hereby certify that I recorded the above license this 4 day  
march, 1895.

Geo. Jennings, clerk Canadian Dist. C.N.

I, B.W. Alberty, assistant Executive secretary of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that the Clerks records of Canadian District Cherokee Nation, are now a part of the records in this the Executive Office of the Cherokee Nation, and that the above is a true copy taken from the marriage records of said District.

Executive Office, Tahlequah I.T. May 31st 1900.

B. W. Alberty

Assistant Executive secretary,

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
AUG 20 1902

*[Signature]*  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tahlequah, I. T. December, 7th 1900.

Supplemental testimony in the case of Sarah Shadix. P 200.

V. G. Fields called and sworn as a witness before Commissioner Needles testified as follows-

- Q What is your name? A. V. G. Fields.  
Q What is your age? A. 33.  
Q What is your post office address? A. Bennett, I. T.

Examined further by Cherokee Representative W. W. Hastings.

- Q Do you know Sarah Shadix? A. Yes sir, her maiden name was Blackmore.  
Q What was the name of her father? A. He was known as O. Blackmore.  
Q Do you know her mother? A. Yes sir.  
Q What was her name? A. Cinderella Woodard before she married Blackmore.  
Q Is Sarah Shadix a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known her? A. Ever since she was a child five or six years old.  
Q Did she get her Cherokee blood through her father or mother? A. Through her mother.  
Q How long have you known her mother? A. Since 1888 when she was a girl.  
Q How near did you live to her? A. Two and a half miles at the time and since 1888 within six miles all the time.  
Q Do you know where Sarah Shadix has lived for the past twenty years?  
A Near Chasotah since 1888, before that time her father was in Mamegee running a livery barn there.  
Q When you say they lived near Chasotah do you mean in the Cherokee Nation, Canadian District? A. Yes sir.  
Q And you think that her father and family were living in Mamegee in 1888? A. Yes sir.  
Q Would that then account for her name not being on the 1888 roll?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q Has this family always been recognized as Cherokee citizens? A. Yes sir.  
Q Have you any doubt about their being Cherokee citizens? A. No sir.  
Q How long did they live in Mamegee? A. I don't know exactly.

MCCOY SMITH called and sworn as a witness before Commissioner Needles testified as follows-

- Q What is your name? A. McCoy Smith.  
Q What is your age? A. 34.  
Q What is your post office address? A. Brown Station.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.

Examination continued by W. W. Hastings-

- Q Do you know Sarah Shadix? A. I don't know Sarah Shadix but I know Sarah Blackmore who is said to have married a man named Shadix.  
Q What was her father's name? A. Orlando Blackmore.  
Q What was her mother's name? A. Cinderella Blackmore.  
Q Do you know her maiden name? A. Think it was Brown, they called her Woodard also.  
Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether she is a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir she was always so recognized, born and raised in Illinois District; lived on the mouth of the River.  
Q How long have you known her? A. 45 years.  
Q Is she living now? A. No sir.

Q There was this family living in 1880? A. At Muskegon.  
 Q Do you know of their living out of the Cherokee Nation in the past  
 20 years except in Muskegon? A. No sir.  
 Q Have you known the family ever since that time? A. Yes sir.  
 Q Have you any doubt of this woman's citizenship? A. I don't doubt  
 it at all.

HENRY C. LOWERY called and sworn as a witness before Commissioner  
 Needles, testified as follows:-

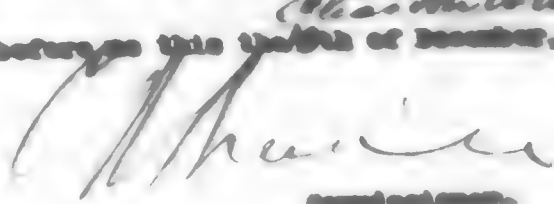
Q What is your name? A. Henry C. Lowery.  
 Q What is your past office position? A. Muskegon.  
 Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.

EXAMINATION CONTINUED BY W. V. HASKINS

Q Do you know Sarah Smith and her husband? A. I don't know her hus-  
 band, but I know the woman you speak about.  
 Q Do you know her father? A. Yes sir.  
 Q What was her father's name? A. Orlando Blackmore.  
 Q And her mother was Cinderella Blackmore was it? A. Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know whether Sarah Smith is a Cherokee citizen? A. Yes sir  
 she is. So considered.  
 Q Did you know her mother? A. Yes sir.  
 Q Was she a Cherokee? A. Yes sir.  
 Q How long have you known her? A. In 1888 first.  
 Q Have you known her ever since? A. Yes sir, until her death.  
 Q She is dead is she? A. Yes sir.  
 Q It is given as a reason that they are not on the roll of 1880, as  
 they were living at Muskegon, do you think that is the reason? A. Yes  
 sir they were living there then.  
 Q How long did they live there? A. A number of years.  
 Q Her father ran a livery barn there did he? A. Yes sir.

Chas. von Voise, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Com-  
 mission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the pro-  
 ceedings in the above case and that the foregoing is a full, true  
 and correct transcript of his stenographic notes therein.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th of December, 1890.

*Chas. von Voise*  
  
 Commissioner.

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Cherokee D-208.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner of the Cherokee Nation,  
Tulsa, Oklahoma.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of  
Samuel Smith for the enrollment of himself and wife as citizens of  
the Cherokee Nation.

Appearances:

Samuel Smith, of \_\_\_\_\_, I. T., for the applicants;

BY COMMISSIONER of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_  
Any other statement you desire to make, Mr. Smith,

relative to this case.

BY MR. SMITH: Yes, your honor.

BY COMMISSIONER: Do you wish to ask the case then do you?

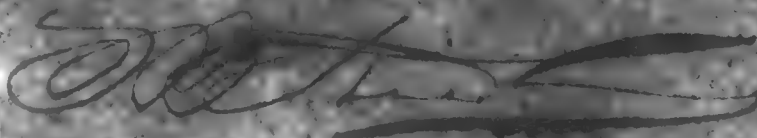
BY MR. SMITH: Yes.

BY COMMISSIONER: You say do you, Mr. Hastings?

BY MR. HASTINGS: Yes.

H. D. Green being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation and the following is a true and correct copy of the  
testimony and proceedings in this case and that this is a  
true and complete transcript of his deposition.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 21, 1902.



Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, July 23, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Samuel Shadix for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah Shadix, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to D-208.

Appearances:

W. M. Stevens for Applicant.  
W. W. Hastings for Cherokee Nation.

SAMUEL SHADIX, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by Mr. Stevens.

- Q. What is your name? A. Samuel Shadix.  
Q. Where do you live, Mr. Shadix? A. I live 6 miles east of Checoah.  
Q. Of what nation? A. Cherokee Nation.  
Q. Are you married to a Cherokee? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How long? A. 7 years the 17th of last February.  
Q. Under the Cherokee laws? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. She lives on the place 6 miles east of Checoah.  
Q. Is she at home? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Do you live with her? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How long have you been married? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Continuously? A. Yes, sir.

Examination by Mr. Hastings.

- Q. Was you ever married before? A. No, sir.  
Q. Was she? A. No, sir.

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. Have you been an actual resident of the territory since your marriage? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Both you and your wife? A. Yes, sir.

Jesse O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1902.

*Jesse O. Carr*  
*W. W. Hastings*  
Notary Public.

Cherokee 9 204.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Muskogee, I. T., October 29, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Samuel Shadix for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah Shadix, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

SAMUEL SHADIX, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

- Q What is your name? A Samuel Shadix.  
Q How old are you, Mr. Shadix? A Twenty-eight years old.  
Q What's your postoffice? A Checotah.  
Q Are you an applicant for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Sarah Blackmore.  
Q Is your wife a Cherokee citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is she living? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to Sarah? A In '95.  
Q Married under Cherokee license, were you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever married before you married this wife? A No, sir.  
Q Have you ever married before her marriage to you? A No, sir.  
Q Did you and she lived together as husband and wife ever since your marriage up to the present time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever been separated? A No, sir.  
Q Are you living together as husband and wife on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long has your wife lived in the Indian Territory? A All of her life.  
Q Have you lived in the Indian Territory with her ever since your marriage to her up to the present time? A Yes, sir.

Netta Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she recorded the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the foregoing application, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1902.

Notary Public.

Cherokee D-208.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Samuel Shadix as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah Shadix, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record herein shows that on August 28, 1900, Sarah Shadix appeared before the Commission at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of her husband, Samuel Shadix, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 7, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on July 28, and October 29, 1902.

The evidence shows that Sarah Shadix, nee Blackmore, is a Cherokee Indian. She is not identified on the Cherokee authenticated tribal roll of 1880, having been living with her parents in Muskogee, Creek Nation at that time, but she has lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life and is identified on the strip payment roll of 1894 and the census roll of 1896. Samuel Shadix, a white man, was married to her on February 18, 1895, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, and he is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that Samuel Shadix and Sarah, his wife, have resided in Indian Territory since the date of their marriage, and that they have been living together as husband and wife from that time up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Samuel Shadix should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and that Sarah Shadix should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1902, (20



Stats., 496), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
AUXILIARY OR BROKER LAND OFFICE.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 4, 1906.

In the matter of the application of Samuel Shadix to select an allotment in the Cherokee Nation for his wife Sarah Shadix, Roll No. 29166, Card No. 10206.

Samuel Shadix, non-citizen husband, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your name? A Samuel Shadix.  
Q What is your post office address? A Chocotah.  
Q Your age? A 31.  
Q What is your object in appearing at the Auxiliary Cherokee Land Office today? A To file for my wife.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir. Not by blood.  
Q Why is it that your wife cannot appear here and make this selection in person? A Well sir she is sick.  
Q Is she confined to her home? A Yes sir.  
Q Has she for herself, or anyone else for her ever attempted to select an allotment for her at either Vinita or Tahlequah?  
A No sir.  
Q Is the land you have selected for her under improvement?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Does it lie on the west side of the Grand and Arkansas rivers?  
A Yes sir.  
Q In what district? A Well I don't know.  
Q Which way from Chocotah? A East six miles.  
Q Is the Canadian district then? A Yes sir.

Witness files request from his wife Sarah Shadix requesting the Commission to make a discretionary allotment to her and to be guided in the same by the testimony of her husband Samuel Shadix.

WITNESSED KNOWING.

Blanch Lighter upon oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes she accurately recorded the testimony in the above entitled case and that the foregoing is a correct transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Blanch Lighter

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 4th day of April, 1906.

*W. S. Harkness*

Notary Public.

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## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 45  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 406 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 63  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 633 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 703 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulsie Ann Smith      | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 843 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Bessie Fivekiller   | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 246 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 253 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2256 |
| Odie Pideock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2302 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frasier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1560 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2708 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadbuss     | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
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| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
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| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
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| Allice A. Edwards     | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| Dorinda Adair         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William R. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3960 |
| Dora B. Caulk         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| Joan M. Gallman       | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3990 |
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| Bertha H. Harlin      | D 2800 | Tennie Horn         | D 2992 |
| Margrett C. Hudson    | D 2801 | Eveline Hall        | D 2993 |
| Joseph A. Reher       | D 2803 | John E. Leftwich    | D 2993 |
| Andrew O. Kepler      | D 2804 | Mattie Henson       | D 2993 |
| Josephine King        | D 2805 | John D. Colvard     | D 2993 |
| Sarah Jane Birdsong   | D 2806 | Charles W. Phillips | D 2999 |
| Marion Maddox         | D 2807 | Sarah Shanks        | D 3000 |
| John A. McKennie      | D 2808 | Nettie Young        | D 3000 |
| Ione McGee            | D 2809 | Jerry P. Ables      | D 3048 |
| Ollie Miller          | D 2810 | Almedie Ross        | D 3052 |
| William A. Martin     | D 2811 | John B. J. Fowler   | D 3053 |
| Jesse P. Morrow       | D 2812 | Leaner Hood         | D 3056 |
| Oliver Mason          | D 2813 | James D. Jackson    | D 3057 |
| Edna Whitehead        | D 2814 | Emma G. Nelson      | D 3058 |
| Charley Nuckolls      | D 2815 | Alice Simco         | D 3060 |
| Etta M. Nidiffer      | D 2817 | George O. Wallace   | D 3060 |
| Louise Oasowee        | D 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D 3078 |
| William H. Patterson  | D 2830 | Ellen Drew          | D 3079 |

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| Luc Fish           | D | 3081 | Della Baldridge   | R | 106 |
| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 107 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Malissa Fields    | R | 144 |
| Lelia C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 230 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Elta Anspach      | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D | 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Pharias     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haskett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 494 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Bengo     | R | 563 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 512 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 528 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

the January 10, 1907.



COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BIRBY,  
THOMAS S. NEEDLER,  
C. H. BRACKENRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, **February 4th**

1902

**Mrs. Sarah Madix,**

**Choctaw, Indian Territory,**

**Sir:-**

You are hereby notified that the application of **yourself**

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

**4th** day of **February**, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

**Cherokee D-200**

**Register /**

Acting Chairman.

COMMISSION

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

and

Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified to appear before this Court in the office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on or before July 1st, and submit evidence as to how long you have resided in the Indian Nation, and whether you have been living with your wife, since the date of your marriage to her in 1890.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register.

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Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Sarah Shadix for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, Samuel Shadix, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James P. [unclear]  
Chairman.

Enc. M-490

Indian Territory.

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908,  
granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen  
by blood, and for the enrollment of your husband, Samuel Brown,  
as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James D. Smith,  
Chairman.

Enc. H-22.

Register.



Oran & Lucas,

Attorneys for Samuel Shadix, et al.,

Shawnee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1906, granting the application of Sarah Shadix for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood, and for the enrollment of her husband, Samuel Shadix, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James H. ...  
Chairman.

Enc. H-24.

Register.

Cherokee 10206

Waskagee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Samuel Shadin,

Chocotah, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Samuel Shadix,

Chesotah, Indian Territory.

Dear sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner

Cherokee  
& et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 25, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Encl. C-120  
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Trans. from D. 15



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
FORT GIBSON, I.T., AUGUST 29, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Levi Childers for enrollment of himself, wife and children, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, said Childers being sworn by Commissioner Breckinridge testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Levi Childers.  
Q Your age? A 25.  
Q Your postoffice? A Texuma.  
Q Your district? A Canadian.  
Q Who do you want to have put on the rolls? A Myself, wife and two children.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes.  
Q Your wife as an adopted citizen? A Yes.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All my life.  
Q How long have you lived in Canadian district? A 2 years.  
Q Where were you living in '80? A In Sequoyah.  
Q Where were you living in '96? A Soowessocowee.  
Q Give me the name of your father? A John Childers.  
Q Cherokee or white man? A Cherokee.  
Q Dead or alive? A He died in '78.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Rachel Childers.  
Q Cherokee or white woman? A White woman.  
Q Dead or alive? A Alive.  
Q What is your wife's full name at the present time? A Mary Ellen.  
Q What was her name when you married her? A McGuire.  
Q as that her maiden name? A Yes.  
Q When did you marry? A October 9, 1894.  
Q How old is she now? A 22.  
Q Have you marriage certificate? A Yes.

Applicant presents duly authenticated marriage license and certificate showing that he was licensed by the Clerk of the United States Court, First Judicial district, Indian Territory, October 8, 1894, to marry Miss Ellen McGuire, and the certificate shows that he was married on the 9th day of October, 1894, in accordance with the license, by the Rev. M. L. Butler. It is filed with his application.

- Q Your wife has lived with you ever since your marriage? A Yes.  
Q What is the name of her father? A John A. McGuire.  
Q White man? A Yes.  
Q Dead or alive? A Dead.  
Q Name of her mother? A I don't know.  
Q White woman? A Yes.  
Q Dead or alive? A Dead.  
Q Give me the names of your two children? A Noah, 3 years old.

On '96 roll, page 139, number 1215.

Next? ~~Elizabeth~~ Elizabeth, 3 years old.

- Q These children are both alive now are they? A Yes.

Applicant on '94 roll, page 144, number 642.

On '96 roll, page 139, number 1214.

- Q Is there any neighbor here who has known you all your life?  
A No sir.  
Q Is your mother here? A No sir.  
Q Is there anybody here who has known you and your wife ever since you were married? A No sir.  
Q Is your wife here? A No sir.  
Q Have you nobody here who knows you and your wife, at all? A Yes, Mrs. Downing and Uncle George Downing knows it.

KATIE DOWNING, being sworn, testified:

- Q What is your name? A Katie Downing.  
Q Your age? A 48.  
Q Your postoffice? A Texana.  
Q Do you know this applicant here, Levi Childers? A I cannot tell you much about him.  
Q Do you know him when you see him? A Yes.  
Q You are acquainted with him are you? A Yes.  
Q Do you know his wife, Mary E.? A Yes.  
Q How far do they live from you? A About 2 miles.  
Q How long have you known them as husband and wife? A About 5 or 6 years.  
Q Have they been living together as husband and wife all the time since you first knew them, and are so living at this time? A Yes.  
Q Do you know Levi Childers' mother? A Yes.  
Q Did you ever know his father, John Childers? A Yes.  
Q He is dead? A Yes.  
Q Been dead how long? A About 22 years.  
Q He died a little before the roll of '80? A Yes, I think he did.  
Q How is this young man generally understood to be the son of that John Childers by his wife Rachel of that day? A I don't know only what this applicant told me himself.  
Q When did he tell you that? A When he came into Canadian 5 or 6 year ago.  
Q That is what he always stated to you? A Yes.  
Q You did not know him when he was a baby? A No sir.  
Q Did you know John Childers and Rachel back in their day as husband and wife? A No sir.  
Q Did you ever hear that they were married and lived together as husband and wife? A No sir, I cannot tell you anything about it.

INTERVIEW CONT'D:

By J. L. Baugh, Cherokee representative:

- Q gave you lived in the Cherokee nation all your life? A Yes.  
Q Who did you live with? A With my grand-mother the first year or two after my father died and been living with my mother ever since.  
Q Did your mother marry out? A yes, married a man named Grabbree.  
Q Who were you living with in '80? A My grand-mother.  
Q Does your name appear upon the roll of '80? A Yes.  
Q How does it come that your name does not appear upon the roll of '80? A I don't know; they just failed to put me down there.

The applicant is identified on the rolls of '84 and '86. On the latter roll he is identified as a native Cherokee. He should be on the roll of '80, but his name is not found there. He claims he could only have been living in the Cherokee nation as he states that he was born there and has lived there all his life. After his father died, about '78, by '80 his mother, a white woman, had married a white man, and hence had married out of her rights. So neither the father nor mother can be identified upon any of the rolls accessible to the Commission. It is shown by personal testimony that he has heretofore claimed to be the child of this John Childers and his wife, at the time of applicant's birth, Rachel. Now his marriage to his wife is authenticated in '84 by the license and certificate filed herewith, and while his wife is not found upon the roll of '80, yet it is shown by reliable personal testimony that they have lived together as husband and wife since their marriage and her omission from the '80 roll is considered as due to an oversight. Their child, Leah, is on the roll of '86. The child, Elizabeth, is too young to be upon any roll. Now the applicant and his wife and children will be placed at this time upon a doubtful card; he and his child, Leah, as Cherokee by blood; and his child Elizabeth will be so listed

when the Commission is supplied with a duly authenticated copy of the same. His wife will be listed on said card as a witness by the same name.

The defendant is advised that it will be well for him to bring before the Commission one or more members of his family or friends who can give direct and conclusive testimony in regard to his alleged father and his mother, and his own birth and parentage.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he has recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*B. McDonald*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of September, 1900.

*C. M. Murrice*

Commissioner.

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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD

Name Levi Childers

District COOWEESCOOWEE

Citizen by blood Yes Mother's citizenship Yes

Intermarried citizen No Parents Levi Childers - Cherokee

Married under what law Cherokee Date of marriage Oct. 1894

License Filed Aug 29, 1900 Certificate Filed Aug 29, 1900

Wife's name Mary E. Childers

District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 139 No. 12/5 Age 5

Citizen by blood No Mother's citizenship Yes

Intermarried citizen Yes Parents Jas. A. McGuire - white

Married under what law Cherokee Date of marriage Oct. 1894

License Filed Aug 29, 1900 Certificate Filed Aug 29, 1900

Names of Children:

3 Noah Childers Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 139 No. 12/5 Age 5

4 Elizabeth Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1896 Page 139 No. 12/5 Age 9

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\*\* Affidavit of birth to be supplied.

Marriage license and certificate attached

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

No. 647

To any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans of Matrimony between  
Mr. Levi Childers, of Muskogee, in  
the Indian Territory, aged 19 years, and Miss Ellen McGuire,  
of Muskogee, in the Indian Territory, aged 16 years,  
according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Muskogee, Indian Territory this 8<sup>th</sup> day of

Oct A. D. 1894.

SEAL

Joe W. Phillips  
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By M. S. Young Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT,

I, M. L. Butler, a Minister of the Gospel, Do HEREBY CERTIFY,  
that on the 9th day of Oct, A. D. 1894, I did duly and  
according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bans  
of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 9th day of Oct A. D. 1894.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Ter-  
ritory, Northern District, Book       , Page 7.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
INDIAN TERRITORY, } ss.  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, Joseph W. Phillips, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the 9th day of Oct, 1898, at Muskogee, recorded in Book D, Marriage Record, Page 25.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory, this 9 day of Oct, A. D. 1898.

J. W. Phillips Clerk.

By H. S. Young Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T., February 5, 1902

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for enrollment of

Levi Childers.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Commissioner.

**IN RE**

Application for Enrollment of

**INFANT CHILD***Noah Chilesen*

an a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved August 29th, 1900

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.**FILED****AUG 29 1900***[Signature]*

ACTING CHAIRMAN

Card 4215.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
of Noah Childers, born on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1895  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Levi Childers, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
Name of Mother: Mary Ellen Childers, a citizen of the United States  
Post-office, Jackson Ind.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Northern District.

I, Mary Ellen Childers, on oath state that I am 21  
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the United States Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Levi Childers, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1895; that said child has been  
named Noah Childers, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Whites.)

Mary Ellen Childers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900.  
My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

J. S. Morrow  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Northern District.

I, Rachael Bratton, Midwife, on oath state that  
attended on Mr. Mary Ellen Childers, wife of Levi Childers  
on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1895; that said child was born  
said date a Male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Noah Childers.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Whites.)

Rachael Bratton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900.  
My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

J. S. Morrow  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Indian Territory }  
Northern District }

Checotah I. T. Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Personally appeared before me J. B. Morrow a  
Notary Public in and for the above named district  
this day, Rachael Crabtree, who being duly  
sworn says that about Ten (10) or (12) days after  
the birth of a child of Levi Childrens and Mary Ellen  
Childrens, she saw said child, whom she believes  
to be the child of the said Levi and Mary Ellen Childrens,  
and that said child is now living and is named  
Dolley Elizabeth Childrens.

Witnesses Richard Martin  
J. B. Morrow

Rachael Crabtree Per  
X mark

Also appeared Levi Childrens the Father of the  
said Dolley Elizabeth Childrens, who states on  
oath that no Physician was present at the birth  
of his daughter, the said Dolley Elizabeth Childrens,  
but that an aged Lady named Turnbow was  
present and attended on his wife Mrs. Mary Ellen  
Childrens at the birth of the said Dolley Elizabeth  
Childrens, who is now living; but that he has  
no knowledge of the whereabouts or address  
of the said Mrs. Turnbow.

Levi Childrens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1900.

J. B. Morrow

Notary Public

My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

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**IN RE**

Application for Enrollment of

**INFANT CHILD**

*Wolley Elizabeth Childers*  
as a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRILLES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
Dolley Elizabeth Childers, born on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Levi Childers, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Mary Ellen Childers, a citizen of the United States Nation.  
Post-office, Jessamine Ind. Ter.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Monticene District.

Mary Ellen Childers, on oath state that I am 21  
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the United States Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Levi Childers, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898; that said child has been  
named Dolley Elizabeth Childers, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

Mary Ellen Childers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900.  
My Commission Expires  
September 9, 1902.

J. Morrow  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
District.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_, wife of \_\_\_\_\_  
on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1900; that there was born to her on  
\_\_\_\_\_ that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named \_\_\_\_\_

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1900.

NOTARY PUBLIC

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVIL TRIBES.  
FT. GIBSON, I. T., AUGUST 31st, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTARY TESTIMONY, to go with Card "D" 215: Levi Childers, being sworn by Commissioner, T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Levi Childers.  
Q What is your father's name? A John Childers.  
Q What is your mother's name? A Rachel Childers.

Robert Childers, being called and sworn, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Robert Childers.  
Q What is your age? A I guess about thirty eight.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Hanson.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Levi Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know his father? A Yes sir.  
Q What is his name? A John Childers; they some times call him Jack.  
Q Do you know his mother? A Yes sir.  
Q What is her name? A Rachel Childers.  
Q Was she a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q What was John Childers? A He was a Cherokee by blood.  
Q How much blood did he have? A About one fourth I guess.  
Q When did he die? A A good while ago; I do not remember exactly; it was way before 1880.  
Q Was he a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation at that time? A Yes sir.  
Q Is Levi Childers the son of John and Rachel Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q What relation is he to you? A He is my nephew.  
Q We do not find the name of Levi Childers on the roll of 1880; do you know why? A I do not know why, unless it was because his mother married a white man, after his father died. They took him away from us.  
Q Do you know whether his father and Rachel Crabtree were married or not? A Yes sir.  
Q How do you know? A I never saw them married, but they lived together as man and wife for five years.  
Q Is that as long as you know they lived together? A They lived together until her died.  
Q Was Levi born, while they were living together as husband and wife? A Yes sir.

William Childers, being called and sworn, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A William Childers.  
Q Do you know Levi Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q What relation are you to him? A His uncle.  
Q Did you know John Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q Was he the father of Levi Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know his mother? A Yes sir.  
Q What was her name? A Rachel Childers.  
Q What was her name besides Rachel Childers? A Her maiden name was Eagle.  
Q Did she ever go by the name of Crabtree? A Yes sir; after she married Crabtree.  
Q Did she marry Crabtree after the death of John Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q Was John Childers an Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q What degree of blood? A I do not know, about one sixteenth.  
Q Is Levi Childers a son of John Childers? A Yes sir.  
Q Were John Childers and Rachel Childers married? A Yes sir.  
Q How do you know? A I was not at the wedding, but I knew they were married.



- Q Did you ever see the certificate of marriage? A No sir.  
Q And they live together as man and wife? A Yes sir.  
Q How long? A About five years to my knowledge.  
Q Did they live together until he died? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they acknowledged in the neighborhood as man and wife?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Keeping house, were they? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know where this man, Levi Childers, has lived since he was  
a child? A First in one District, then another; Taniguan, Cherokee  
and Sequoyah.  
Q Always in the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know why his name does not appear on the roll of 1880?  
Q I do not know why, unless it was because his mother ran around  
so much.

By J. L. Baugh, Cherokee Representative:

- Q Where were this boy's mother and father married?  
A I do not remember.  
Q How long before his birth were they married? A I suppose about  
a year.  
Q Do you know it was a year? A I do not know for sure

By the Commission:

Levi Childers recalled:

- Q Is your mother living? A Yes sir.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is  
a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*R. R. Cravens*

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 11th day of September, 1900.

*C. H. Murrie*

COMMISSIONER.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Washington, D. C., January 14, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Levi Childers.

Supplementary testimony.

Levi Childers, being sworn, and examined by the Commissioner, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Levi Childers.  
Q What is your age? A 25.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Tanna.  
Q Have you applied to the Commissioner for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation in August, last year? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Rachel Childers.  
Q Why does your name not appear upon the authenticated roll of 1897? A A little while before that my father died, and she went to see her father in Missouri that summer, and didn't come back in time. That is the reason I wasn't on the 1897 roll.  
Q Did your father die before the 1897 roll?  
Q Yes sir.  
Q Is your mother's name on the roll of 1897? A No sir, she went to Missouri on a visit, that is the reason she isn't on the '97 roll.  
Q How long did she go away? A She came back in the fall.  
Q When did she go? A Immediately after Christmas.  
Q In 1897? A She went in '96, before New Year's.  
Q And she remained away until the following fall? A She was gone about a year -- hardly a year.  
Q Did she remove her effects away from the territory? A No sir, never moved anything.  
Q Have you any brothers? A No sir, nothing but half brothers.  
Q Same father or the same mother? A The same mother.  
Q Different fathers? A Yes sir.

Witness, Rachel Childers, being sworn, and examined by the Commissioner, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Rachel Childers.  
Q How old are you? A I am going on 45 years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Tanna.  
Q I've a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, and so is my son, Levi.  
Q The applicant here, Levi Childers, is your son? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to his father? A I can't get no bearing. I was married to his father 24 years ago.  
Q How long did you live with him, his father? A I couldn't tell you right at the present time. I lived somewhere from 20 years and a-half years with him.  
Q He died before 1897? A I am ignorant-I think he did.  
Q That is twenty years ago? A He died before 20 years ago.  
Q After his death, did you move to the State of Missouri? A No sir, never moved out of the territory.  
Q You went to Missouri after his death? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did you remain there? A It was after Christmas, and I came back in the fall.  
Q How long was that a year? A I wasn't gone a year. I was gone less than a year.  
Q After you returned from Missouri, did you endeavor to have your name, and that of your son, placed upon the roll of 1897? A No, but the registered I voted all along.  
Q Why doesn't his name appear upon the roll of 1897, twenty years ago? There was no roll then? A No, there just wasn't one in the territory. I suppose he stayed around. I never have been out of the territory but once.  
Q And that is about twenty years ago? A I never kept no account of it.

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By W. B. Thomas, representative of the Cherokee Nation-

Q Did you send your son with you when you went to Missouri? A Yes sir.

Q How long brothers are there? A Two sir.

Q How many children are there? A Two sir, I married a white man. I have married a Cherokee.

Q How far did you come from Missouri, what part of the Cherokee Nation did you come to? A Sapulpa, where I was married, where my first husband lived.

Q How long ago did you come to? A About four years.

Q How far did you live from Sapulpa? A Six miles.

Q About how far, I think it was about seven? No, it was about six miles.

Q How many of your neighbors who were citizens at that time?

A I have seen brothers-in-law down there, Robert Childers, the Sam boys, Andrew Russell.

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Q When did you marry your husband, Andrew? A I never told a white man long after my first husband died. I had no one to look to. I never told a white man long; about that time he was about all the longer I told a white.

By W. B. Thomas-

Q Where did you marry your second husband? A In Missouri.

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Q How long after your marriage to your second husband, Andrew, did you remain in Missouri? A We wasn't there but a short time. We wasn't there quite a year.

Q And he came back with you to the territory? A Yes sir.

Applicant recalled-

Q Any other statement you wish to make in regard to your application here? A No sir, I don't know that there is. I suppose that is all I can do.

W. B. Thomas, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the court in the Fire Civilized Nation, he received in full the foregoing in the above case, and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes in said case.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of August, 1904.

*W. B. Thomas*  
Stenographer

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State of Oklahoma, County of Cherokee.

Appearance:

Present in person:

W. W. Hastings, Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

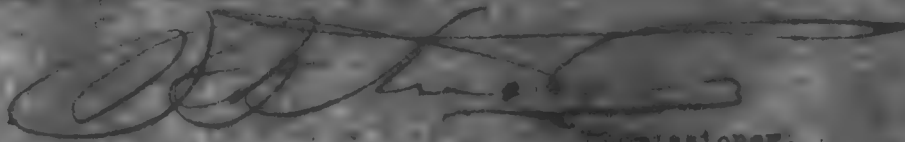
W. W. Hastings, being sworn, and examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A W. W. Hastings.
- Q How old are you? A I was born September 1, 1881.
- Q What is your post-office address? A Muskogee, Oklahoma.
- Q You are an attorney before this Commission for enrollment of the Cherokee? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you have any additional testimony that you desire to offer in this case? A No, sir, I don't know of any that I could get that would fit it now. I have got in and I know what to get.
- Q Submit this case to the Commission for final consideration, do you? A Yes, sir.

W. W. Hastings, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is an attorney at law, and that he is duly qualified to take testimony, and that he is in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes of the testimony.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 20, 1932.

  
Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Eliza B. Childers

as a citizen of

Lebanon

Nation.

Approved Oct 31 1902

L. H. Harrison

Commissioner.

June 24, 1902. Affidavit  
of a pending decision  
in case of parents,

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Eliza B Childers, born on the 3 day of June, 1902,  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Levi Childers a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Mary E Childers a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office Tahoka

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northwestern District.

I, Mary E Childers, on oath state that I am 24  
years of age and a citizen, by marriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Levi Childers, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a girl child was  
born to me on 3 day of June, 1902; that said child has been  
named Eliza B Childers, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

x Mary E Childers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21<sup>st</sup> day of

June

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Notary Public for Indian Territory

Notary Public, 1903.

J. B. Morrow  
NOTARY PUBLIC

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northwestern District.

I, Minerva McGowan, a midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Mary E Childers, wife of Levi Childers  
on the 3 day of June, 1902; that there was born to her on  
said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Eliza B Childers.

WITNESSED TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

x Minerva McGowan

J. T. Magruder  
Daniel J. Gaudin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21<sup>st</sup> day of

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 22, 1902.

In the matter of the application of LEVI CHILDERS, for the enrollment of himself and his children, NOAH, DALLEY E. and ELIZA B. CHILDERS, as citizens by blood, and his wife, MARY E. CHILDERS, as a citizen by intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation:

MARY E. CHILDERS, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mary Ellen Childers.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty four.  
Q What is your post office address? A Texas.  
Q Are you a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you claiming the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your husband? A Levi Childers.  
Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir, that's what he pretends to be.  
Q How long has your husband been living in the Cherokee Nation?  
A Ever since I have known him; I and him has been married about eight years.  
Q Did you know him long before that time?  
A Yes sir, about two years.  
Q He has been living in the Cherokee Nation, then, for ten years so far as you know? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him? A Eight years ago.  
Q Is Levi Childers your first husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you his first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you and your husband been living together ever since your marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q Never been separated? A No sir.  
Q Living together now? A Yes sir.  
Q Has the Cherokee Nation been your home all the time?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Never moved out of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.  
Q How many children have you? A Three. Noah is the eldest one; Dalley Elisabeth and Eliza Ball Childers, this is her, she's four months old.  
Q Has she ever been enrolled? A Yes sir.  
Q When did you enroll this child? A I enrolled her when she was three weeks old, I believe it was.  
Q Her name is Eliza Ball? A Her name is put down as Eliza B. Childers.  
Q Your children are all living, are they? A Yes sir.

E. C. Bagwell, an oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this December 1, 1902.

B. C. Jones  
Notary Public.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Levi, Noah, Dolley Elizabeth and Eliza Bell Childers, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of Mary E. Childers as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on August 29, 1900, Levi Childers appeared before the Commission at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Noah and Dolley Elizabeth Childers as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Childers, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, on August 31, 1900; at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on January 14, 1901, February 20, 1902, and again on October 22, 1902.

The evidence shows that Levi Childers is a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation, and was lawfully married on October 8, 1894, to his said wife, one Ellen McGuire. As a result of that marriage the minor children applicants herein were born. Levi Childers is not identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 for the reason that he left the Cherokee Nation, with his mother, between Christmas and New Years 1878 and '79, and did not return until the fall of 1880 subsequent to the taking of the roll of that year. The marriage of his parents is established by witnesses called for that purpose. The said Levi Childers is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, as is also his son Noah. Dolley Elizabeth Childers and Eliza Bell Childers are too young to appear upon any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation, but are identified by birth affidavits made a part of the record herein.

The evidence further shows that Levi Childers has lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation for ten years next preceding the date of this application. His wife, Mary E., has lived in the Cherokee Nation continuously with him since the date of her marriage, up to and including September 1, 1902. The residence of the minor children is considered to have been continuous in the Cherokee Nation since their birth.

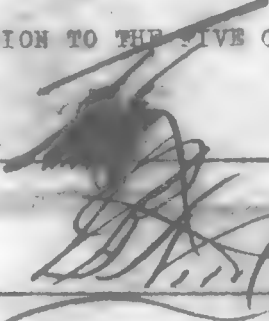
It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Levi Childers, Noah Childers, Dolley Elizabeth Childers and Eliza Bell Childers, should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that Mary E. Childers should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions



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of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898  
(30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this \_\_\_\_\_

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IN RE  
THE DEATH OF

Carliza B. Lahillero.  
a citizen of the

Cherokee. Nation.

Approved June 1 - 1903

C. R. Bradley.  
Commissioner.

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

COMMISSIONERS TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Eliza B. Childers  
(Here insert name of deceased)  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Conasa, Ind. Ter., and died on the 25th day of  
May, 1903  
(Here insert name of post office)

## AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

Northern District.

I, Levi Childers, on oath state that I am 27  
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that my post office address is Conasa, Ind. Ter.; that I am  
(Here insert name of post office)  
The Father of Eliza B. Childers  
(State relationship as: the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen, by Blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said Eliza B. Childers died on the 25th day of  
May, 1903  
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1903.

Samuel Foreman

Notary Public.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

District.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I am \_\_\_\_\_  
years of age, and a citizen, by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
that my post office address is \_\_\_\_\_, Ind. Ter.;  
(Here insert name of post office)  
that I was personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
and that said \_\_\_\_\_ died on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1903.

Notary Public.

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 394 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCoy       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigaby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 596 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 206 | Martha M. Bruner    | 822 |
| Gertrude Palone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Sadie Fivokiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 252 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

Mary Pettit 977  
 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hair 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1098  
 James O. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
 Olivia Bengo 1276  
 Dollie Wilson 1278  
 Moses Bell 1279  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1290  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1290  
 William M. Oliver 1333  
 Andrew J. Couch 1340  
 Lina Hyles 1347  
 Mary M. Miller 1350  
 Mary E. Taylor 1368  
 Polly Ann Bengo 1369  
 Margaret Moton 1385  
 Minnie McKinney 1390  
 Nettie Seabolt 1418  
 Lawrence G. Faulkner 1433  
 Sarah A. Holt 1449  
 Jennette Polecat 1492  
 Ellen Seabolt 1508  
 Charles W. Nettles 1509  
 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creedon 1513  
 Odie Pideock 1517  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1520  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1520  
 Etta Hicks 1540  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1550

Millie Morton 1554  
 Andrew Walters 1573  
 John H. Holder 1610  
 Mary M. Burr 1612  
 Thomas E. Bonham 1644  
 Florence Headrick 1663  
 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Annie Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
~~Geat Gibson~~ 1727  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Willis E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dassler 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Malisa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Genevia Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Bengo 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1926  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Giktrap 1964  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2040  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2159  
 Rebecca J. Flying 2173  
 Thomas J. Measles 2196  
 Julia Coady 2216  
 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2261  
 Sarah Gritte 2260  
 John A. Madden 2281  
 Henry C. Pannel 2271  
 Matilda S. Chisland 2280  
 Dona A. Frazier 2212  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2280

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 Lizzie Denton 3407  
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 William M. Roseborough 3444  
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 Japhat F. Ellis 3491  
 Emma McAffrey 3543  
 William T. Huitt 3570  
 Myra F. Chouteau 3580  
 Phillip Donohoo 3581  
 Fred L. Kelley 3583  
 Annie Herod 3594  
 Maggie V. Ficks 3615  
 Lou Payne 3616  
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 Hannah Brewer 4160



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| Thomas M. Reynolds    | D 621 |
| Arthur Dodge          | D 622 |
| Carrie L. McNair      | D 624 |
| Constantine N. Walker | D 641 |
| Joseph Davis          | D 648 |
| Leander A. Keys       | D 650 |
| James J. Barndollar   | D 655 |
| Nathan J. Brink       | D 682 |
| William B. Miles      | D 688 |
| Emma Waybourn         | D 698 |
| Dora E. Rogers        | D 708 |
| James W. Turley       | D 709 |
| Lizzie Ward           | D 711 |
| Robert J. Holly       | D 713 |
| Frances M. Booth      | D 713 |
| Amos W. Lord          | D 746 |
| Agnes N. Childers     | D 749 |
| John E. Renfrow       | D 752 |
| William Coon          | D 759 |
| Louis Bruere          | D 779 |
| Georgia A. Waybourn   | D 786 |
| Eliua Fields          | D 787 |
| William H. Brown      | D 788 |
| William A. Cox        | D 793 |
| Charles A. Robison    | D 799 |
| Artha Williams        | D 800 |
| Adam Gearhart         | D 804 |
| Cicero F. Rogers      | D 845 |
| Annie Garrett         | D 856 |
| George S. Yarborough  | D 875 |

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| Rhoda A. Sanders     | D 878  | Elta Vann            | D 1330 |
| Manuel Spencer       | D 884  | Linnie Wofford       | D 1330 |
| Benjamin H. Hulbert  | D 891  | Minnie Downing       | D 1332 |
| Mary Brassfield      | D 936  | Katie Rider          | D 1344 |
| James L. Tindle      | D 944  | Samuel G. Mills      | D 1347 |
| Silas G. Renecker    | D 966  | Alfred H. Woods      | D 1342 |
| Elisa Wofford        | D 967  | Cynthia Whitekiller  | D 1352 |
| Jasper L. Newton     | D 971  | Susie McSpadden      | D 1361 |
| John N. Quinn        | D 974  | Martha J. Houston    | D 1363 |
| Hannah Parson        | D 980  | Samuel M. Collier    | D 1367 |
| Thomas J. Welch, Jr. | D 1003 | Katy Payne           | D 1369 |
| Lissie Christian     | D 1010 | Joseph H. Warren     | D 1375 |
| George Haslewood     | D 1018 | Mattie Miller        | D 1433 |
| James M. Jones       | D 1022 | S. F. Moore          | D 1434 |
| Reuben A. Evans      | D 1032 | Addie Schrimsher     | D 1448 |
| Carrie H. Cobb       | D 1040 | Fannie Vann          | D 1458 |
| John M. Burns        | D 1060 | Marcella Blakeney    | D 1474 |
| Sarah E. Henson      | D 1083 | G. W. Williamson     | D 1555 |
| Laura D. Henson      | D 1086 | C. F. Walker         | D 1558 |
| Hettie E. Downing    | D 1090 | Louisa Blevins       | D 1567 |
| Benjamin F. Crain    | D 1099 | Frank Cowles         | D 1581 |
| Benjamin Strickler   | D 1129 | Mary Francis Madding | D 1637 |
| Nancy Spaniard       | D 1130 | Thomas Rodman        | D 1661 |
| Annie Wilson         | D 1131 | Katie Still          | D 1866 |
| Ora H. Maxwell       | D 1135 | Ira Creach           | D 1913 |
| Reuben W. Moore      | D 1136 | D. A. Mounts         | D 1967 |
| Cora Childs          | D 1146 | J. C. Sefton         | D 1991 |
| Janie Hughes         | D 1179 | Jennie Holland       | D 2024 |
| Francis B. Reid      | D 1180 | Lou Sanders          | D 2216 |
| Martha Carey         | D 1195 | Caroline Barnes      | D 2591 |
| Christina Johnson    | D 1199 | Lacey Crane          | D 2592 |
| Louvenia Ironside    | D 1208 | Daisy Cash           | D 2595 |
| Martha J. Henson     | D 1215 | Hiram A. Landers     | D 2599 |
| David A. Martin      | D 1228 | Charles Neel         | D 2603 |
| Fred D. McEnery      | D 1235 | Mattie Robinson      | D 2605 |
| Nathaniel R. Martin  | D 1261 | Jennie Rich          | D 2606 |
| James H. Requa       | D 1266 | Alexander C. Russell | D 2607 |
| Frank Carver         | D 1267 | Pricilla Rom         | D 2608 |
| Etta B. Payne        | D 1270 | Tom W. Reeves        | D 2609 |
| Mary Garrett         | D 1271 | Mary Smart           | D 2612 |
| Joe W. Goodman       | D 1272 | Rufus Tidmore        | D 2613 |
| Mathew J. Flanigan   | D 1274 | Jasper Turquitt      | D 2614 |
| Lissie C. Holland    | D 1285 | Mabel West           | D 2618 |
| Etta Downing         | D 1291 | Ophelia West         | D 2619 |
| William Caywood      | D 1296 | Cora Whisenhunt      | D 2620 |
| Clarence W. Turner   | D 1307 | Katy Martin          | D 2667 |
| Alfred Chaney        | D 1313 | Willis Butler        | D 2686 |
| Euphemia Sweetwater  | D 1314 | Claud Barger         | D 2687 |
| Etta Russell         | D 1319 | Dale Conner          | D 2688 |
|                      |        | John Culwell         | D 2690 |

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| Mary M. Mathews       | D 2724 |                     |        |
| Bertha Nidiffer       | D 2731 | Edda Roberts        | D 2837 |
| Richard Nichols       | D 2738 | Manda Ward          | D 2839 |
| William S. Ross       | D 2739 | Edmira J. Alberty   | D 2845 |
| Irene Riley           | D 2740 | Thomas C. Cordray   | D 2846 |
| William H. Rowley     | D 2741 | Edward Fowler       | D 2847 |
| Colombus C. Scroggins | D 2743 | Dora Foreman        | D 2848 |
| Della Summers         | D 2744 | Parker Holt         | D 2849 |
| William S. Sage       | D 2748 | John Haston         | D 2850 |
| Eliza Thomas          | D 2749 | Georgie Harlin      | D 2851 |
| John P. Thurman       | D 2770 | Percilla Johnson    | D 2852 |
| Mary E. Davis         | D 2774 | Bettie Morton       | D 2853 |
| Jennie Frick          | D 2788 | Samantha Spade      | D 2854 |
| Enna Buffington       | D 2789 | Mariah Ward         | D 2855 |
| Will Black            | D 2792 | Ellen Watt          | D 2856 |
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| Nancy Dawson          | D 2797 | Wade S. Hayes       | D 2860 |
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| Jesse P. Morrow       | D 2813 | James D. Jackson    | D 2875 |
| Oliver Mason          | D 2814 | Emma G. Nelson      | D 2876 |
| Edna Whitehead        | D 2815 | Alice Simco         | D 2877 |
| Charley Nuckolls      | D 2817 | George O. Wallace   | D 2878 |
| Etta M. Nidiffer      | D 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D 2879 |
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| Horace Gray               | D | 3082            | Samuel Richey     | R | 107            |
| Lula Pack                 | D | 3083            | Malissa Fields    | R | 144            |
| Lelia C. Harris           | D | 3084            | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220            |
| Thomas Jones              | D | 3086            | Ella Anspach      | R | 241            |
| Benjamin Laws             | D | 3088            | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266            |
| Martha Spade              | D | 3092            | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352            |
| Julian Wyrick             | D | 3093            | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420            |
| Samuel Harlan             | D | 3157            | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439            |
| Lizzie Pharis             | D | 3171            | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465            |
| <del>Samuel</del>         | D | <del>3172</del> | Mary A. Payne     | R | <del>494</del> |
| <del>Sarah E. Davis</del> | D | <del>3176</del> | Rebecca Bengo     | R | 563            |
| Grace Guthrie             | D | 3181            | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613            |
| Mary E. Thornton          | D | 3183            | Dora Crane        | R | 628            |
| Mamie Thompson            | R | 4               | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642            |
| Jimmie G. Thompson        | R | 5               | John Sitrell      | R | 642            |
| William T. Kelly          | R | 10              | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643            |
| Alice Tidwell             | R | 19              | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656            |
| Roseanna McLaughlin       | R | 41              | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671            |
| Martha A. Perdue          | R | 45              | Lizzie Davis      | R | 761            |
| Gabriel L. Payne          | R | 61              | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803            |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 4, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Commissioner.

this January 10, 1907.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 4th, 1902

Levi Chilcous,

Tombah, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and two minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

20th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee B-216

Register.

Acting Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
COMMISSION TO THE UNITED STATES

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

Donnell, John W. and son

W. F. Harrison,

Chairman of the Cherokee Nation  
V. M. Harrison, Secretary.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Cherokee Nation, dated March 1, 1902,  
granting the application of L. M. Childers for the citizenship of  
himself and his minor children, Noah, Melley K. Childers, and  
Bell Childers, as children by blood, and for the citizenship of  
his wife, Mary M. Childers, as a citizen by intermarriage with  
the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed thirty  
days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may  
desire to make against the action of the Commission in this matter,  
a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the  
applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

W. F. Harrison,  
Chairman.

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COPY.

Cherokee 8-215.

Waskagoo, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Levi Childers,

Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your three minor children, Noah, Delley Elisabeth and Elise Bell Childers, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Mary E. Childers, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tanna H. H.

Chairman.

Mrs. H. H.

Register.



Cherokee 10207

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Mary E. Childers,

Texanna, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. D.

Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1907.

My M. M.

Wahkiak, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that that decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

MH

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

Encl. 8-100  
LMS

Cher 10201

Robert W. Hamilton

Trans. from D 296

Cher 10201

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Pryor Creek, I.T., September 14, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Robert W. Hamilton for the enrollment of himself as a Cherokee by intermarriage and his wife and three children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Robert W. Hamilton.  
Q What is your age? A 38.  
Q What is your post office? A Muskogee.  
Q What district do you live in? A Saline.  
Q You live in the Creek Nation? A Yes, sir, I suppose that is the way it is.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By intermarriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q For whom do you apply? A For my wife and three children.  
Q You don't apply for yourself? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Sue Cherokee Hamilton.  
Q What was her name before you married? A She was Cherokee Thompson.  
Q She a recognized citizen by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is her father's name? A Joseph P. Thompson.  
Q He living? A Yes, sir.  
Q Her mother's name? A Her mother's name was Mary Ellen Thompson.  
Q She living? A No, sir, she is dead.  
Q What is the age of your wife? A 31.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Mary Ellen, 5 years old.  
Q What is the next one? A Waunnett, two and past.  
Q The name of the next one? A Jessie Elgin, she is 5 weeks old.  
Q These children alive and living with you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever lived in the Cherokee Nation yourself? A No, sir.  
Q How long since your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation? A She has been living here since last fall but before that we lived in Muskogee right along since we were married.  
Q You have been living together as man and wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A Yes, sir; I lost the original. (Exhibits paper.)  
(On 1880 roll, page 814, No. 2344, Susan C. Thompson, Tahlequah district. Robert W. Hamilton on 1896 roll, page 307, No. 443, Coowassee district. Sue C. Hamilton on 1896 roll, page 173, No. 2114, Susie C. Hamilton. Mary E. Hamilton 1896 roll, page 173, No. 2115, Coowassee district.)  
Q Have you got any proof of birth as to these youngest children?  
A Yes, sir, I have just got the blank.  
Q These children all alive and living with you, are they?  
A Yes, sir.

The name of Robert W. Hamilton appears upon the census roll of 1896. He presents a certificate of marriage in due form certifying that he was married to Miss Sue C. Thompson, a Cherokee citizen by blood, in the year 1894, September 23, and the name of his wife, Sue C. Thompson, is found upon the authenticated roll of 1880 by her maiden name, and also upon the roll of 1896. The name of their child, Mary E., is found upon the census roll of 1896. He testifies that he is a resident of the Creek Nation, and also his wife. Final judgment as to the enrollment of himself, his wife and children will be suspended and their names will be placed upon a doubtful card.



Robert W. Hamilton - 8.

Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he caused to be made the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Bruce C. Jones*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th of September, 1900.

*C. W. Hamilton*

Commissioner.

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CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND MARRIAGE

Name Robert W. Hamilton Date March 1880  
 District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1880 Page 307 No. 1000

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship yes  
 Intermarried citizen yes Date of marriage 1875  
 Married under what law Georgia

License 31 Certificate yes  
 Wife's name Susan C. Hamilton nee Thompson  
 District TAHLEQUAH Year 1880 Page 814 No. 2344

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship yes  
 Intermarried citizen yes  
 Married under what law Georgia Date of marriage 1875  
 License 31 Certificate yes

Names of Children:

|                    |                      |           |          |          |            |
|--------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------|----------|------------|
| 1 Mary E. Hamilton | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE. | Year 1875 | Page 173 | No. 2115 | Age 5      |
| 4 Hannah "         | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE. | Year      | Page     | No.      | Age 2      |
| 5 Jessie E. "      | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE. | Year      | Page     | No.      | Age 1 year |
|                    | Dist.                | Year      | Page     | No.      | Age        |
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|                    | Dist.                | Year      | Page     | No.      | Age        |
|                    | Dist.                | Year      | Page     | No.      | Age        |

2 on 1880 roll as Susan C. Thompson  
 and 5 Affidavits of birth to be supplied

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Clerk's Office Tahlequah District,

Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

I hereby certify that the records of this office show, that on the  
27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894, Mr. Robert W. Hamilton, a citizen of the United  
States, and Miss Sue Cherokee Thompson, a citizen of the Cherokee  
Nation, were married according to, and fully complied with, the  
laws and customs of the Cherokee Nation, regulating "Intermarriage  
of White men and Foreigners to Cherokee women". This the 25<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1897, given from under my hand and seal of office.



Clerk Tahlequah District, Cher. Nat.



THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Wanneth Hamilton  
as a citizen of the

Taharoken

Nation.

Approved, Sept 11

1910

  
Commissioner.DEPT. OF  
COMMISSIONER

1910

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Wannett Hamilton, born on the 5 day of January, 1898  
Name of Father: Robert W. Hamilton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Sue C. Hamilton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Salina, Ia

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Salina District.

I, Sue C. Hamilton, on oath state that I am 31  
years of age and a citizen, by Married of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Robert W. Hamilton who is a citizen, by  
Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was  
born to me on the 5 day of January, 1898; that said child has been  
named Wannett Hamilton, and is now living.  
SUBSCRIBED TO NAME: Sue C. Hamilton

(Not to be filled in)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Sept, 1900

My Commission expires December 3, 1901.

James H. Long NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Salina District.

I, A. J. Blakeman, Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on the Robert W. Hamilton, wife of Robert W. Hamilton  
on the 5 day of January, 1898, that there was born to her on  
said date a Female child, now living and is now in her home  
named Wannett Hamilton.  
SUBSCRIBED TO NAME: A. J. Blakeman

(Not to be filled in)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Sept, 1900

James H. Long NOTARY PUBLIC

Form A.

ISSUED BY REGISTRAR-GENERAL OF ONTARIO.

By Order of the Postmaster-General

RETURN OF BIRTH

County *York*

District *Vaughan*

**FREE.**

Name of Child

*Jessie Elgin Hamilton*

Sex and Date of Birth

*Female Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1900*

Residence

Street No. of our lot

*Elgin Mills.*

Name of Father

*Robert W. Hamilton*

Mother's Name (in full)

*Lucy C. Hamilton*

Occupation of Father

*Merchant*

Physician Attending

*R. Langstaff*

Remarks

Date of Return

*Sept 1/00*

Signature of person making Return

*R. Langstaff*

It is enacted on the part of any parent, householder or physician to comply with the Act relating to Births, Marriages and Deaths is subject to a penalty of \$100 (Secs 16, 16, 59 Vict. cap 17)





DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Jesse Egin Hamilton, born on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900.  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Robt. W. Hamilton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Sue C. Hamilton, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Salina, Ia.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Salina District.

I, Sue C. Hamilton, on oath state that I am 31 years of age and a citizen, by blood of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Robt. W. Hamilton who is a citizen, by adoption of the Cherokee Nation; that a female child was born to me on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900; that said child has been named Jesse Egin Hamilton, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO ME:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Sue C. Hamilton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Sept. 1900.

My Commission expires December 3, 1901.

Thos. W. Langstaff, Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Salina District.

I, R. D. Langstaff, Physician, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Robt. W. Hamilton, wife of Robt. W. Hamilton, on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1900, that there was born to her on that day a female child, that said child is now living and is said to have been named Jesse Egin Hamilton.

WITNESSED TO ME:

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

R. D. Langstaff,  
Miner of Richmond Hill  
Louisa L. Luff, Spinster of same place

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T. February, 6th 1901.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY, in the matter of the application of Robert W. Hamilton for the enrollment of himself and family— D #296.

SUSAN CHEROKEE HAMILTON, being called and sworn before Commissioner C. R. Breckinridge testified as follows—

- Q What is your full name? A. Susan Cherokee Hamilton.  
Q Are you the wife of Robert W. Hamilton? A. Yes sir.  
Q Your husband applied for the enrollment of yourself and child in Pryor Creek in September last? A. Yes sir.  
Q Your post office is Muskogee? A. No sir; Salina.  
Q Your husband gave it in as Muskogee. A. No sir, Col. Needles asked him where his post office address was and before he could answer, Col. Needles said "Oh yes, Muskogee", and put it down that way; he knew Mr. Hamilton when he lived there. I have lived at Salina ever since the first of last March.  
Q Where would you and your husband receive your mail now? A. I would receive mine at Salina and he would receive his at Okmulgee.

There is filed with this case and official certificate from the Clerk of Tahlequah District under date of September 27th 1897 to the effect that the records of that office show that on the 27th of June 1894, Mr. Robert W. Hamilton, a citizen of the United States, and Miss Sue Cherokee Thompson, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, were married according to, and fully complied with, the laws and customs of the Cherokee Nation, regulating "Intermarriage of White men and Foreigners to Cherokee women."

- Q Where did you live immediately before you and your husband were married? A. I was born and raised in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q You were never married except to your present husband? A. No sir.  
Q And he was never married except to you? A. No sir.  
Q And you and he have lived together ever since your marriage in 1894? A. Yes sir.  
Q Now tell me please Madam, since your marriage in 1894, where have you and your husband lived? A. We lived for five years in Muskogee, boarded in Okmulgee two or three months and the remainder of the time I have been at Salina.  
Q In what business has your husband been engaged in in Muskogee? A. Merchandise business, clerking for Capt. Swore.  
Q Is it for the last five years that your husband has been living at Muskogee and Okmulgee? A. Well he has been living in Muskogee for fifteen years I guess.  
Q I mean of your married life,—the last five years. Is sir.  
Q Have you and he maintained during this time, interests in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir, I have a farm there and every thing we get we get over there.  
Q Has your husband been merchandising on his own account or just employed by Capt. Swore? A. Been employed by Capt. Swore.

~~Witness C. HAMILTON, called and sworn as a witness testified as follows:~~

- Q What is your name? A. Robert W. Hamilton.  
Q You are the husband of the lady here? A. Yes sir.  
Q And you made application at Pryor Creek on September 14th 1900? A. Yes sir.  
Q Your post office was then given as Muskogee, is that right? A. Yes sir.  
Q And your post office? A. Except you had better put it Okmulgee.

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- Q But as a matter of fact letters would reach you at either place? A Yes sir.
- Q It has been established that you were married to your wife in accordance with Cherokee law in 1894, previous to that time you were a citizen of the United States exclusively, you didn't claim to be a citizen of any other tribe either by blood or intermarriage? A. No sir I was a citizen of the United States.
- Q You have been employed by Capt. Brown since your marriage? A. Yes sir.
- Q He is a citizen of the Creek Nation? A. Yes sir.
- Q He is engaged in merchandising here and at Okmulgee? A. Yes sir.
- Q Were you, during this period, voted as a Creek citizen? A. No sir.
- Q Have you ever voted as a Cherokee citizen? A. Yes sir.
- Q Where? A. In Canadian district--at Brandy Mountain.
- Q Have you always regarded yourself as a Cherokee citizen? A. No sir.
- Q And exercised no political rights that conflicted with that citizenship? A. No sir.
- Q Have you and your wife maintained property in the Cherokee Nation during that time? A. Yes sir.
- Q Have you given any attention to that property? A. Yes sir.
- Q Have you any interests here except the business that you are engaged in? A. Only my house here.

Examination of Mrs. Hamilton continued  
by Hon. Judge Pascal, applicant's attorney:

- Q. Mrs. Hamilton, you never became a citizen of any other country except the Cherokee Nation did you? A. No sir.
- Q You have property in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir, a lot in Tahlequah and a farm near Fryer Creek.

By Gen's Bookkeeper:

This testimony will be made additional to that in D 202, and a memorandum will be made in the card calling attention to it.

Examination of Mrs. Hamilton continued by the Commission:

- Q Where have you been living during the past year? A. At the Cherokee Indian Home at Salina, and at Tahlequah.
- Q Have you during your married life ever gone to the Cherokee Nation? I have been there every year.
- Q Has your husband gone to the Cherokee Nation every year to look after your property interests there? A. Yes sir four or five times every year.

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Chas. von Voise, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the proceedings in his own name and that the foregoing is a full true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereon.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of February, 1901.

*Chas. von Voise*  
Stenographer.

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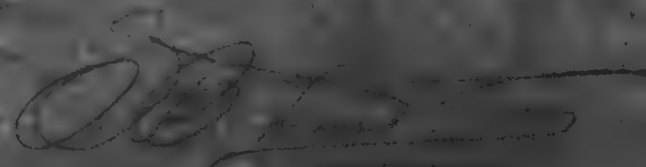
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ACTING CHAIRMAN

Arthur G. Schneider, being duly sworn, states that an stenographer to the Commission on the Yawpuk and Tribes of the Yawpuk and Tribes in the above case, has submitted the foregoing as a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1902.

  
Commissioner.



WALTER C. STANLEY, JR.

ALPHEE H. STANLEY, JR.

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Commissioner, 1890, and as follows:

- Q. What is your name? A. William H. Hamilton.
- Q. What is your office? A. Clerk.
- Q. Are you a citizen? A. Yes.
- Q. How did you acquire the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen?
- Q. By what law? A. I am.
- Q. What is the name of your wife? A. Susan C.
- Q. Is she a citizen? A. Yes.
- Q. How long has your wife been living in the Cherokee Nation?
- Q. I don't know, but she has been there; she has lived there twenty-five years.
- Q. What were you married to? A. In 1884.
- Q. Were you married under a Cherokee marriage license at that time?
- Q. I am.
- Q. Is Susan C., your first wife? A. Yes sir.
- Q. Are you her first husband? A. I am.
- Q. Have you and your wife Susan C., been living together ever since your marriage? A. We have.
- Q. Are you living together now? A. We are.
- Q. Where have you made your home, Mr. Hamilton, since your marriage?
- Q. In Muskogee principally.
- Q. Did you live in the Cherokee Nation any? After you were married? A. Yes sir, I lived a while at Tahlequah; lived there about two months.
- Q. When you moved to Muskogee? A. Yes sir. Well, we just married at Tahlequah. I was in charge of a store there for two months.
- Q. Then you moved to Muskogee? A. Yes sir.
- Q. You have been living there until recently? A. Yes sir.
- Q. When did you go to Muskogee? A. Two years ago.
- Q. How long have you been in the Indian Territory ever since you were married? A. Yes sir.
- Q. You have never lived out of the Indian Territory? A. No sir.
- Q. How many children have you? A. Three.
- Q. Are they all living? A. They are.
- Q. How old is the youngest one now? A. She's two years old.

H. C. Bagwell, on oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this November 27, 1890.

B. C. Jones  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Robert W. Hamilton as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Susan C. Hamilton, and his three minor children, Mary E., Waunett, and Jessie E. Hamilton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

DECISION

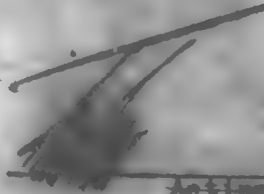
The record in this case shows that on September 14, 1900, Robert W. Hamilton appeared before the Commission at Pryor Creek, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Susan C. Hamilton, and his three minor children, Mary E., Waunett and Jessie E. Hamilton, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 6, 1901, and October 22, 1902.

The evidence further shows that the said Robert W. Hamilton, a white man, was lawfully married under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on June 27, 1894, to Susan C. Thompson, a Cherokee by blood. The wife of Robert W. Hamilton, Susan C. Hamilton, is identified on the Cherokee authenticated tribal roll of 1880, and on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The said Robert W. Hamilton and his child, Mary E. Hamilton, are also identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The other two children, Waunett and Jessie E. Hamilton, are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Susan C. Hamilton resided in the Cherokee Nation all her life until her marriage to Robert W. Hamilton, that since her said marriage she and her husband have resided in Indian Territory and have lived together as husband and wife up to and including September 1, 1902. The residence of the minor children herein is considered to be that of their parents, with whom they are living.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Robert W. Hamilton should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage, and that Susan C. Hamilton, Mary E. Hamilton, Waunett Hamilton and Jessie E. Hamilton, should be enrolled as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulaie Ann Smith      | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willie          | 229 | Bonie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Willie       | 245 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 253 | William H. Burrow   | 907 |



Mary Pettit 977  
 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hair 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
 Olivia Bengé 1276  
 Dollie Wilson 1278  
 Moses Bell 1279  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1290  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
 William M. Oliver 1333  
 Andrew J. Couch 1340  
 Lina Hyles 1347  
 Mary M. Miller 1350  
 Mary E. Taylor 1368  
 Polly Ann Bengé 1369  
 Margaret Moton 1385  
 Minnie McKinney 1390  
 Nettie Seabolt 1418  
 Lawrence G. Faulkner 1433  
 Sarah A. Holt 1449  
 Jennette Polecat 1492  
 Ellen Seabolt 1508  
 Charles W. Nettles 1509  
 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creeden 1513  
 Odie Pidcock 1517  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1529  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1530  
 Etta Hicks 1540  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1540

Millie Morton 1554  
 Andrew Walters 1573  
 John H. Holder 1610  
 Mary M. Burr 1612  
 Thomas E. Bonham 1644  
 Florence Headrick 1663  
 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Annie Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gent Gibson 1727  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Willis E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dasser 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Malisa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Genevia Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Bengé 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
 James N. Whisenand 2112  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2169  
 Rebecca J. Flying 2173  
 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
 Julia Coody 2215  
 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2251  
 Sarah Gritts 2256  
 John A. Madden 2261  
 Henry C. Pansel 2271  
 Matilda S. Cleland 2309  
 Dona A. Frazier 2313  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2330

Lafayette D. Kindred 2328  
 Pearl V. Sisson 2339  
 Nancy J. Sevier 2380  
 Mollie Hair 2385  
 Dora Sayers 2474  
 William T. Jones 2501  
 Sarah L. Martin 2502  
 William J. Shoemaker 2506  
 Maud Baldridge 2511  
 James L. Townsend 2513  
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 Andrew A. Brown 2575  
 Louis K. Fair 2623  
 James L. Mitchell 2644  
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 Millard F. Eggleston 2668  
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 Phillip Donohoo 3581  
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| Herbert F. Couch     | D | 2700 | Samuel A. Parkhurst | D | 2821 |
| Albert C. Dykes      | D | 2703 | Ellen Rogers        | D | 2822 |
| Delora Drew          | D | 2704 | Elijah Rolland      | D | 2827 |
| Frank F. Danderson   | D | 2705 | Endora Steele       | D | 2828 |
| James Gafford        | D | 2708 | William M. Stucker  | D | 2829 |
| Anna L. Harlin       | D | 2715 | Sallie Taueneacie   | D | 2831 |
| William R. Lipeey    | D | 2717 | Mary Tassle         | D | 2832 |
| Bertha Landrum       | D | 2718 | John F. Wolf        | D | 2835 |
| Lila More            | D | 2722 | Ruth A. Ward        | D | 2840 |
| John D. Mathews      | D | 2723 | Winnie Daugherty    | D | 2884 |
| Mary McIntosh        | D | 2728 | Mary Guthrie        | D | 2885 |
| Bertha Nidiffer      | D | 2730 | Lydia Long          | D | 2886 |
| Richard Nichols      | D | 2731 | Edda Roberts        | D | 2887 |
| William S. Ross      | D | 2738 | Manda Ward          | D | 2889 |
| Irene Rile           | D | 2739 | Elmira J. Alberty   | D | 2905 |
| William H. Rowley    | D | 2740 | Thomas C. Cordray   | D | 2906 |
| Colom C. Scroggins   | D | 2741 | Edward Fowler       | D | 2907 |
| Della Summers        | D | 2743 | Dora Foreman        | D | 2908 |
| William S. Sage      | D | 2744 | Parker Holt         | D | 2909 |
| Elisa Thomas         | D | 2748 | John Haston         | D | 2910 |
| John P. Thurman      | D | 2749 | Georgie Harlin      | D | 2911 |
| Mary E. Davis        | D | 2770 | Percillia Johnson   | D | 2913 |
| Jessie Frick         | D | 2774 | Bettie Morton       | D | 2915 |
| Enna Buffington      | D | 2788 | Samantha Spade      | D | 2917 |
| Will Black           | D | 2789 | Mariah Ward         | D | 2918 |
| Maggie E. Davis      | D | 2792 | Ellen Watt          | D | 2919 |
| Thomas Dotte         | D | 2793 | Nora Moore          | D | 2920 |
| William Daws         | D | 2794 | Lissie Anderson     | D | 2961 |
| Nancy Dawson         | D | 2796 | Francis Duval       | D | 2984 |
| Lena Fields          | D | 2797 | Wade S. Hayes       | D | 2987 |
| Effie Grayham        | D | 2798 | James A. Hankins    | D | 2988 |
| Alice C. Hill        | D | 2799 | Joseph Hardee       | D | 2991 |
| Bertha H. Harlin     | D | 2800 | Tennie Horn         | D | 2992 |
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| Joseph A. Kelley     | D | 2803 | John E. Leftwich    | D | 2995 |
| Josephine King       | D | 2805 | John D. Colvard     | D | 2998 |
| Sarah Jane Birdsong  | D | 2806 | Charles W. Phillips | D | 2999 |
| Marion Maddox        | D | 2807 | Sarah Shanks        | D | 3000 |
| John A. McKennie     | D | 2808 | Nettie Young        | D | 3009 |
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| Louisa Onowee        | D | 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D | 3078 |
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| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 107 |
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| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
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| Lissie Pharis      | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 563 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 628 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 666 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the case of *Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States*, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS  
T. H. HARRIS  
T. H. HARRIS  
C. R. BRADLEY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ALLISON L. ATLESDORTH,  
SECRETARY.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 6th, 1902

Mr. Robert W. Hamilton,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and three minor children

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 24th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-296  
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Acting Chairman.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 22, 1902.

Robert W. Hamilton,

Salina, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

The Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902, and entitled "An Act To provide for the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, for the disposition of town sites therein, and for other purposes," (Public No. 241), provides that "the roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation shall be made as of September first, nineteen-hundred and two."

In accordance with said provision, you are hereby notified that the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes will be at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, until Friday, October 31, 1902, inclusive, for the purpose of affording you an opportunity to show that you have not, between the date of the original application for your enrollment and Sept 2, 1902, forfeited your right as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

This evidence should be introduced immediately, as it is necessary in determining your right to share in the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, and until the same is furnished no further action can be taken looking toward your final enrollment as an intermarried citizen.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.



Waskagee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

E. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Wagon, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Robert W. Hamilton for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Susan G., and his three minor children, Mary E., Vannett and Jessie M. Hamilton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James G. Bird

Chairman.

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CLAY:

Cherokee Nation.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Robert W. Hamilton,

Okmulgee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your wife, Susan O. Hamilton, and your three minor children, Mary H., Vannett and Jessie H. Hamilton, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Jane Bixby*  
Chairman.

Enc. N.Y.

Register.

Cherokee 10202

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Robert M. Hamilton,

Okmulgee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Cherokee

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Okmulgee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1909.

Robert M. Hamilton,

Okmulgee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
5 et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 16, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Robert A. Hamilton,

~~Polina,~~

Indian Territory.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I.T., September 20, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Julia Billingslea for the enrollment of herself, husband and children as Cherokee citizens, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Breckinridge she testified as follows:

Q What is your full name? A Julia Billingslea.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty-eight.  
Q What is your post-office? A Adair.  
Q What district do you live in? A Coowasee.  
Q Who is it you want to have put on the roll? A My man is the Indian.  
Q When were you married? A We was married in 1894.  
Q Yourself, your husband and two children, is that it? A Yes sir.  
Q Where is your husband? A He is at Wagoner.  
Com'r Breckinridge: You send word to him that he must apply for his own enrollment.  
Q What is he doing down there? A I don't know; he is working at some kind of business.  
Q How long has he been down there? A He hasn't been down there but two weeks. Two weeks Tuesday.  
Q He hasn't run off? A No sir, he just went down there to work.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A No sir.  
Q You are a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q And your husband is a Cherokee is he? A Yes sir.  
Q What proportion of Cherokee blood is he? A One-sixteenth.  
Q What was your name before you married your husband? A Moorehouse.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty-eight.  
Q When were you married? A We was married April 16, 1894.  
Q You and your husband lived together ever since you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Lived all the time in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q You have no marriage certificate with you have you? A No sir.  
Q Give me the names of these two children? A The oldest one is named Homer.  
Q How old is Homer? A He is five years old.  
Q What is the name of this other one? A Robert.  
Q How old is Robert? A He is three years old.  
Q Give me your husband's full name? A Mack Billingslea.  
Q How old is he? A He will be twenty-six next month.  
Q He was born in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir, he was born in Texas.  
Q When did he come to the Cherokee Nation? A I couldn't tell you; he come here though when he was a little boy.  
Q What is the name of his father? A Frank.  
Q Is he dead or a live? A He is alive; he lives here in town.  
Q Cherokee or a white man? A White man.  
Q Give me the name of your husband's mother? A Her name was Joanna.  
Q Was she a Cherokee or a white woman? A She was a Cherokee.  
Q She is dead? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has she been dead? A I couldn't tell you that.  
1890 roll examined for husband, and name not found.  
1896 roll examined for husband and old child, and applicant, and names not found.  
1894 roll, page 141 #389 Mack Billingslea, Coowasee.

Com'r Breckinridge: The applicant applies for the enrollment

Julia Billingslee et al 2

of herself, her husband and two children; her husband is said to have been born in Texas, but to have come to the Cherokee Nation when he was a child, and to have lived here ever since, he cannot be identified however, except upon the roll of 1894; his wife states that she and her husband were married in 1884, and their older child is too young to be upon the roll of 1894; the application for the enrollment of Mack Billingslee was his wife and two children will be placed upon a doubtful card, and his wife is desired to supply the Commission with certificates of birth for both the children; she is enjoined to have the Commission supplied with more satisfactory evidence of her husband, and also with reference to his residence in the Cherokee Nation. Final decision of the Commission will be communicated to her at her post-office address.

M.D.Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of September 1900.

  
Commissioner.



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Mack Billingslea, white male  
 District COOWEE SCOWEE  
 Year 1894 Page 141 No. 5-37  
 Citizen by blood Yes  
 Mother's citizenship Frank Billingslea - w - d  
 Intermarried citizen No  
 Married under what law All  
 Date of marriage  
 License Certificate  
 Name Julia Billingslea - Aldair, Dr.  
 District  
 Citizen by blood No  
 Mother's citizenship  
 Intermarried citizen Yes  
 Married under what law  
 Date of marriage 1894  
 License Certificate

### Names of Children;

|   |                          |                  |            |            |                        |
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| 3 | <i>Homer Billingslea</i> | Year <i>1896</i> | Page _____ | No. _____  | Age <i>5</i>           |
| 4 | <i>Robert</i>            | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age <i>3</i> |
|   | <i>Truck</i>             | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age _____    |
|   | <i>Billingslea</i>       | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age _____    |
|   | <i>Father</i>            | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age _____    |
|   | <i>Wife</i>              | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age _____    |
|   | <i>Son</i>               | Dist. _____      | Year _____ | Page _____ | No. _____ Age _____    |
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3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Affidavits to be supplied

**IN RE**

**Application for Enrollment of**

**INFANT CHILD**

*James B. Thompson*  
as a citizen of the  
*United States* Nation.

Approved, **OCT 3 - 1900** 190

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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*David D. 360*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Homer Billingslea, born on the 9th day of January, 1895,  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Mack Billingslea, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Julia Billingslea, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Adair, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

District.

I, Julia Billingslea, on oath state that I am 28  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Mack Billingslea, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 9 day of January, 1895; that said child has been  
named Homer Billingslea, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO ME:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Sept, 1908.

John A. Warren  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

District.

I, Mack Billingslea, a Father, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Julia Billingslea, wife of Julia Billingslea  
on the 9 day of January, 1895;  
said date a Male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Homer Billingslea.

WITNESSED TO ME:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Sept, 1908.

NOTARY PUBLIC.



IN  
Application for \_\_\_\_\_ of  
INEAD  
*Robert C. [unclear]*  
as a [unclear]  
\_\_\_\_\_ Nation.  
Approved, \_\_\_\_\_ 1900  
*[Signature]*  
\_\_\_\_\_ Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, TRIBES.

IN Application of Person of the Cherokee Nation.

born on the 7th day of September, 1897.

Name of Father: Mack Billingslea, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Name of Mother: Julia Billingslea, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Post-office, Adair, Indian Territory.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
District.

I, Julia Billingslea, on oath state that I am 28 years of age and a citizen, by ~~John F. Warren~~ of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Mack Billingslea, who is a citizen, by Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was born to me on the 7 day of September, 1897; that said child has been named Robert Billingslea, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

Julia Billingslea

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

NOTARY PUBLIC

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Sept 1904.

John F. Warren  
My Comm. Exp. Jan 15th 1904  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
District.

I, Elvira L. Lane, a Midwife, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Julia Billingslea wife of Mack Billingslea on the 7 day of Sept 1897; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Robert Billingslea.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

Elvira L. Lane

(Must be Two Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Sept 1904.

John F. Warren  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Jan 15th 1904

that I was present at the ceremony of  
the marriage of Julia and John on the 10th day of April, 1902,  
at the residence of David J. ...

They were married by a Christian Minister David J. ...

.....*David J. ...*.....

Sworn and subscribed to before me this ... day of May, 1902.

.....*R. W. ...*.....  
Notary Public.

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State of America,

County of,

District.

On this 21st day of May 1902, personally

*John H. Lawrence*

appeared a Notary Public in and for said district, and being first

advised by said party that John H. Lawrence is the wife of Mack Billings-

and that they were witnesses to the marriage

*Maudie Lawrence*  
*John H. Lawrence*

read to and subscribed to before me this  
21st day of May 1902

*Archibald Bonnet*

*Notary Public*

*Com. expires Dec. 21, 1904*







Cher-B-369.

In the matter of the application of Julia Billingslea for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation with her husband, Mack Billingslea, or her children, Robert and Robert Billingslea, as citizens by descent of the Cherokee Nation.

Julia Billingslea, called as a witness, being first duly sworn by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Julia Billingslea.
- Q What is your age? A Thirty one years.
- Q What is your postoffice address? A Adair, I.T.
- Q Are you a white woman? A Yes sir.
- Q Claiming the right to be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.
- Q What is your husband's name? A Mack Billingslea.
- Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.
- Q Is he an admitted citizen? A Yes sir.
- Q When was he admitted to citizenship? A I don't know that.
- Q How long has your husband been living in the Cherokee nation? A He has been living here ever since he was seven years old.
- Q When were you married to him? A I was married in April 16, 1894.
- Q Is he your first husband? A Yes sir.
- Q Are you his first wife? A Yes sir.
- Q Have you and your husband been living together ever since you were married? A Yes sir.
- Q Never been separated have you? A Yes sir.
- Q When were you separated? A Two years ago.
- Q Since you were enrolled? A Yes, he was gone when I went to enroll; he just had left.
- Q Why did he leave you? A I can't tell you for I don't know.
- Q Didn't he ever tell you why? A No, he didn't go with the intention of staying when he went.
- Q What did he tell you when he went? A I don't know.
- Q You don't know what he told you? Didn't he tell you anything? A No, he said he was coming back, of course; he didn't tell me he left with the intention of staying.
- Q Where did he say he was going? A To Wagoner.
- Q Said he was coming back soon? A No.
- Q Did he come back at all? A Yes, he came back once.
- Q How long after he had been gone? A It was two or three months.
- Q How long did he stay with you when he came back? A He didn't stay but one day and night.
- Q And went away again, did he? A Yes sir.
- Q Did he tell you then why he was going away? A No sir.
- Q Did he say he was going to leave you? A No, he never did in his life.
- Q Did he ever come back again after he left you the second time? A No.
- Q Did you ever try to get him to come back? A I don't know that I did.
- Q You didn't make any serious effort, did you? A No sir.
- Q What was the trouble between you? A I don't know; if there was any trouble I don't know it.
- Q Did you ever give him any cause to leave you? A No, I never did.
- Q You are sure of that are you? A I am sure of that, yes sir.
- Q Where were you living at the time that separation took place? A Four miles north of Adair.
- Q Have you living as your husband's place? A We was living on a place we had first for the children.
- Q Are you living there now? A No sir.

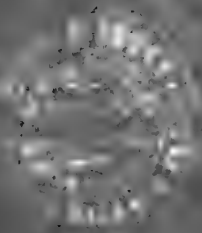
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Q Is your husband living now? A No sir.  
Q How many children have you? A Two.  
Q Have your children A Yes, living? A Yes sir.  
Q They are both living now? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you been married, and living with him, in the Cherokee nation ever since you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q And you are certain now, that you are sure your husband may come to leave you? A Yes, I am certain of it.  
Q Did you get a letter from the Commission some months ago? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you got it with you? A No, I didn't suppose it would be of any benefit to me.  
Q What did they say in that letter? A They just notified us to appear here.  
Q Who married you and Mack Billingsale? A Preacher Evans.  
Q What was his first name, do you know? A Ransom Evans.  
Q Where were you married? A Married in Big Cabin.  
Q Is Ransom Evans living now? A I don't know; I suppose so.  
Q Did he ever give you a marriage certificate? A No sir.  
Q It will be necessary for you to get a marriage certificate of your marriage to Mack Billingsale. A I sent you witnesses.  
Q You only sent in affidavits by witnesses; that is not sufficient. If you cannot get a certificate it will be necessary to bring in Mrs. Claud Cox and Maude Flournoy. A I had those women.  
Q These two ladies were present and saw you married? A Yes sir.  
Q You will have to get them in here and testify to that fact; You say your husband has been residing in the Cherokee nation ever since he was seven years old? A Yes sir.  
Q You are sure of that, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q Where has he been living all this time; in what district? A He has been in Wagoner part of the time; I don't know where he is now.  
Q But before he was married, where had he been living? A In Vinita.  
Q What is his mother's name? A Jessie Billingsale.  
Q What is his father's name? A Frank Billingsale.

October 19, 1902.

Nathan H. Brake, called as a witness in the above entitled case of Julia Billingsale (Cher-2-369), being first duly sworn by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Nathan H. Brake.  
Q How old are you? A 39 years.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Big Cabin.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Julia Billingsale? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know her husband, Mack Billingsale? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know when they were married? A Yes sir.  
Q When? A I can't tell the date, but they was married in 1894.  
Q Were you present at the marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q Who married them? A A man by the name of Evans.  
Q Preacher, was he? A Yes, a licensed preacher.  
Q Have you known them ever since they were married? A Yes sir.  
Q How near neighbors are you to them? A About two miles.  
Q Are Julia Billingsale and her husband separated? A Yes, supposed to have been.  
Q How long have they been separated? A I can't exactly say; something over a year--about a year.  
Q Do you know of any trouble existing between them? A No, I never did.  
Q You don't know the cause of the separation? A No sir.  
Q Are her children living with her? A Yes, the last account I had of them.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE CHEROKEE NATION.  
Muskogee, I. T., October 20, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Mack Billingslea for the enrollment of himself and his two minor children, Robert and Robert Billingslea, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Helen Billingslea, as a citizen by intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

MAC K BILLINGSLEA, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

- Q What is your name? A Mack Billingslea.  
Q How old are you? A I was born in '75; 25th of October.  
Q What's your postoffice address? A Catoosa, I. T.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A Frank Billingslea.  
Q Is he a citizen by blood? A No, sir.  
Q He a white man? A Yes, sir.  
Q What's your mother's name? A Jessie Billingslea.  
Q What was her name before she married your father? A Jessie Gillis.  
Q Is she a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q She recognized as a citizen by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q She on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation? A I suppose so, I don't know. She has been dead twenty years.  
Q How long has she been dead? A Twenty years.  
Q And how long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation yourself?  
A Ever since '83.  
Q Ever since '83? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where did you come from? A Paris, Texas.  
Q Was your mother and you admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee authorities after you came here or before? A You can see this.  
Q Who is Mabel Billingslea? A I am.  
Q Your right name is Mabel Billingslea? A Yes, sir.  
Q Who's Frank Billingslea? A My brother.  
Q Who's Helen Billingslea? A My sister.

The applicant presents a copy of the Act of the Cherokee Council of November 15, 1884, signed Hannah Young, president Senate pro tem; John T. Drew, Clerk Senate. Not concurred in by Council November 24, 1884. Signed, Ned Greene, Speaker Council pro tem; W. S. Cordray, Clerk of Council. Recommended and concurred in by Council December 2, 1884. Signed, Bird Jones, Speaker of Council; W. S. Cordray, Clerk of Council. Approved December 2, 1884. D. W. Bushyhead, Principal Chief. Certified as a true copy by B. W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary; attested by the seal of the Cherokee Nation. The same is filed herewith.

- Q Now, are you yourself on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation, Mr. Billingslea? A No, I ought to be, I have drew money several times.  
Q When did you draw money? A I drew at the big payment in '94.  
Q The Strip payment? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you on the '96 census roll? A I don't remember whether I was or not.



Q Were you here in '96? A I was at Wagoner two years ago, 1900, when they enrolled at Vinita, and my wife enrolled for me.

Q Were you in the Cherokee Nation in '96, six years ago when the census was taken? A Yes, sir.

Q Was your name taken at that time, that is, two years after you drew money? A No, I remember the time. I went to Vinita to enroll and some of those little pamphlets were missing and they could not enroll me.

Q And that's the reason you don't appear on the '96 roll? A Yes, sir.

Q Now, Mr. Billingslea, when were you married to your wife, Julia?

A I was married in '94, 16th day of April.

Q Where were you married? A I was married about six miles north of Adair, between Vinita and Adair in the Cawwawawawaw District.

Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q Who married you? A A man by the name of Brann, a preacher.

Q Did he give you a marriage certificate? A Yes, he gave me one but it is burned up in my house.

Q Is that preacher living now? Do you know where he is? A No was two years ago. He moved out of the neighborhood I lived in and I moved too myself. He did live around Big Cabin Switch. I don't know whether he is living now or not.

It will be necessary, Mr. Billingslea, in the absence of your marriage certificate for you to furnish the testimony of witnesses who were present and saw you married.

Q Have you and your wife, Julia, lived together since your marriage up until the present time? A No.

Q Have you separated? A No, we have not ever separated, but we are not living together. I have not got any divorce. It has been two years since we lived together.

Q You and she had an actual separation? A Yes, sir.

Q Where were you living when you separated? A Adair. Adair was my postoffice.

Q Did you leave her or did she leave you? A I left her.

Q What was the cause of you leaving her? A Because I didn't want to live with her, that's the only reason. We didn't get along together.

Q You did not get along? A No, sir.

Q Has she ever applied for a divorce since you and she separated? A No, sir.

Q She still your wife in the eyes of the law? A Yes, sir.

Q And she was your wife on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes, sir, but we was not living together.

Q You have been separated for two years? A Yes, sir.

Q She has made an effort to get back to you, has she? A No, sir.

Q You just went off and left her at the place you was living? A Yes, sir.

Q Is she still living at that place? A I don't know, she had control of the place.

Q Has she lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time since her marriage to you? A Yes, sir.

Q There two children, Emma and Robert, your children by her? A Yes, sir.

Q Are those two children living? A Yes, sir.

Q Have they lived all their lives in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q Where are these children now? A About four miles north of

Q ... she keep them or you? A She keeps them but I ...

Q Do you support her? A No, sir.

Q You send money for their support, provide for them?  
A Yes, sir.

Bette Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she has taken the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the application for the removal of the said Five Civilized Tribes, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of December, 1902.

Library Public.

Tahlequah, Ch. Nov. 15 1884.

John T. Drew ,  
Clerk Senate.

Reach Young , Pres. Senate Protem

Not concurred by Council, Nov 24 / 84.

W.S. Corderoy,  
Clerk Council.

Red Grease,  
Speaker Council protem.

Reconsidered and concurred in by Council Decr. 2nd 1884.

W.S. Corderoy,  
Clerk Council.

Bird Jones,  
Speaker Council.

Approved Dec'r 2nd 1884.

D.W. Bushyhead,  
Principal Chief.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, I.T.

I, D.W. Alberty, assistant Executive secretary of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy taken from the records of laws passed by the National Council and approved by the principal Chief in the year of 1884, now filed in this office and in my custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the 24th day of December 1890.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of McLeod Billingslea and his two children, Homer and Robert Billingslea, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Julia Billingslea, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N

The record herein shows that on September 20, 1900, Julia Billingslea appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation and for the enrollment of her husband, McLeod Billingslea, and her two children, Homer and Robert Billingslea, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 19, and October 30, 1902.

The evidence in this case shows that the said McLeod Billingslea is a Cherokee Indian and was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities of said Nation on December 2, 1884, and he is identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894. His wife, Julia, a white woman, was married to him on April 16, 1894, and the minor children herein are the issue of that marriage. They are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

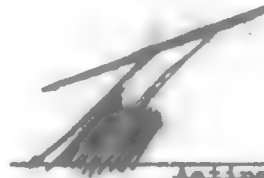
The evidence further shows that the said McLeod Billingslea has resided in the Cherokee Nation since the date of his admission to citizenship; that he and his wife lived together for about six years following their marriage and that they then separated, but there is no evidence that the said Julia Billingslea abandoned her said husband; that the said Julia Billingslea and her husband are not divorced and that she has been residing in said Nation since her separation from her husband. The minor children herein have resided in the Cherokee Nation all their lives.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that McLeod Billingslea, Homer Billingslea and Robert Billingslea should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that Julia Billingslea should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage



of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 10  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 43  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 633 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ullie Ann Smith      | 208 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 230 | Sadie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |

Mary Pettit 977  
 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hart 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1114  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
 Olivia Bengé 1276  
 Dollie Wilson 1278  
 Moses Bell 1279  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1290  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
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 Lina Hyles 1347  
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 Minnie McKinney 1390  
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 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creeden 1513  
 Odie Pidcock 1517  
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 Laura J. Jeremiah 1530  
 Etta Hicks 1540  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1550

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 Andrew Walters 1573  
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 Mary M. Burr 1612  
 Thomas E. Bonham 1644  
 Florence Hendrick 1663  
 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Anne Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gent Gibson 1727  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Willis E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dasser 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Mahsa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Geneva Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Bengé 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2159  
 Rebecca J. Flying 2172  
 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
 Julia Coody 2215  
 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2251  
 Sarah Gritts 2256  
 John A. Madden 2261  
 Henry C. Pennel 2271  
 Matilda S. Cleland 2302  
 Dona A. Frazier 2312  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2330

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 Nancy J. Sevier 2380  
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 Susie McSpadden D 1361  
 Martha J. Houston D 1363  
 Samuel M. Collier D 1367  
 Katy Payne D 1369  
 Joseph H. Warren D 1375  
 Mattie Miller D 1381  
 S. F. Moore D 1384  
 Addie Schrimsher D 1448  
 Fannie Vann D 1458  
 Marcella Blakeney D 1474  
 G. W. Williamson D 1555  
 C. F. Walker D 1558  
 Louisa Blevins D 1567  
 Frank Cowles D 1581  
 Mary Francis Maddling D 1637  
 Thomas Rodman D 1661  
 Katie Still D 1806  
 Ira Creach D 1913  
 D. A. Mounts D 1967  
 J. C. Sefton D 1991  
 Jennie Holland D 2024  
 Lou Sanders D 2216  
 Caroline Barnes D 2591  
 Lacey Crane D 2592  
 Daisy Cash D 2595  
 Hiram A. Landers D 2599  
 Charles Noel D 2603  
 Mattie Robinson D 2605  
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| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 167 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Mahesa Fields     | R | 144 |
| Lella C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Ellis Anspach     | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D | 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Phariss     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 563 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
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| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
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| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 806 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner:

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

File January 10, 1907.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 6, 1902

Mrs. Julia Billingslea,

Adair, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your husband and two minor children for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 25th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with a certificate of your marriage.

Yours truly,

C. H. Reed

Acting Chairman,  
Commissioner in Charge.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, April 23, 1902.

Mrs. Julia Billingslea,

Adair, Indian Territory.

Sir:

September 20, 1900, you appeared before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and made application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. From the testimony submitted by you at that time it appears that you claim the right to enrollment by virtue of intermarriage to Mack Billingslea alleged by you to be a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

February 6, 1902, you were notified by registered letter, receipt of which has been acknowledged, that your case would be taken up for further consideration on the 25th day of February, 1902, and you were required to supply the Commission with the certificate of your marriage to said Mack Billingslea. The requirements of that letter have not been complied with.

In order for a proper determination of your application, you are required to file with this Commission a certificate of your said marriage or a duly certified copy thereof. In the event that this can not be done, personal testimony establishing the marriage should be submitted to the Commission.

You are allowed twenty days from date hereof within which

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to comply with the requirements of the Commission herein.

Yours truly,

Register.

Commissioner in Charge.

Billings, Montana;

Walla, British Territory;

Dear Sirs:

The Commission is in receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Justice, and to Mr. Justice, Mack Billings.

The Commission are returned to you by the same mail, and the Commission does not accept the same as a condition.

You are advised that under date of April 10, 1900, a letter was addressed to you notifying you to file with the Commission within thirty days of the date of the said letter, a copy of the said letter, or a duly certified copy thereof, and that that could not be done you were requested to bring before the Commission witnesses to establish your said statement. You were further advised that you would be allowed twenty days from the date of the said letter in which to make such testimony. If at the end of the said period from the date hereof you have not furnished the Commission with evidence of your carrying to your husband, Mack Billings, the said letter, the Commission will proceed to render the same as a condition of your obligation upon the Commission for the same.

Yours truly,

Very truly,  
The Commission

By the Commission

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM BIXBY.  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BRECKINRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. Chero. B-369.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 14, 1902.

Julia Billingslea,

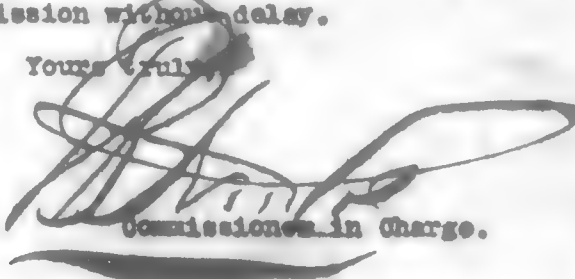
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

The Commission is in receipt of affidavits signed by  
Cora Balew, Maud Flournoy and Mrs. Claude Cox relative to your  
marriage to your husband, Mack Billingslea.

The affidavits have been filed and will be considered  
for what they may be worth, but you are reminded that your original  
marriage license and certificate is the best evidence, and are  
requested to obtain from the Clerk of the United States Court who  
issued said license, a certified copy of the marriage record and  
forward the same to this Commission without delay.

Yours truly,



Commissioner in Charge.

Register.



There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2,  
granting the application of Sofia Billingslea for the admission  
of herself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the admission  
of her husband, Malood, and her two minor children, Emma and  
Robert Billingslea, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen  
days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may  
desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case,  
a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the  
applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James C. Smith  
Chairman.

Enc. M-1121

Indian Territory, March 2, 1901.

Mr. McLeod,

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your husband, McLeod Billingslea, and your two children, Homer and Robert Billingslea, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

John S. Smith,  
Chairman.

Enc. H-3.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January

Julia Billingsley,

Osage Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Dear Sir,  
The enclosed letter  
is:

As requested in your letter of the 10th, the registered letter addressed to you at the Territory and returned to this office, is herewith enclosed to you.

Respectfully,

L. V. B.  
Feb. 10, 1928

Commissioner

Cherokee

Nowata, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Julia Billingslea,

Okatoosa, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.



Cherokee  
5 et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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John W. Moore

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I.T. September 25, 1900.

In the matter of the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles he testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A John W. Martin.  
Q What is your age? A About 51.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Vinita.  
Q In what district do you live? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood?  
A Yes sir.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I am about half.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself wife and children.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Nannie Martin.  
Q Is she a Cherokee citizen by blood? A No sir.  
Q When did you marry her? A Here is the certificate; I can't remember. (Produces papers)  
Com'r Needles: The applicant presents certificate of marriage certifying that he was married to one Nannie Brackley on February 14 1884.  
Q Your wife is a white person? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Gabe Martin.  
Q Is he living? A No sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Eliza Martin.  
Q Is she living? A No sir.  
Q Your wife's mother and father are non-citizens? A Yes sir.  
Note: Applicant hands Commissioner list of his children and Commissioner reads as follows:  
Nannie, fifteen year old; Harry, 9 year old; Walter, 6 year old; Gracie, 3 years old.  
Applicant presents certificate of birth as to his youngest child, Gracie.  
Q Have these children got any middle names? A No sir.  
Q Are they all alive and living with you? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your name on the roll of 1890? A I think not.  
Q Why? A I was in Muskogee, I didn't get back soon enough I think, I come to this country in 1891.  
Q Have you got a certificate of admission? A No sir.  
1890 roll examined for applicant and name not found.  
1890 roll page 808 #221? John W. Martin Delaware District.  
Q Your father and mother not on the 1890 roll? A No sir.  
1894 roll page 434 #1984 John W. Martin, Delaware;  
1894 roll page 434 #1987 Nannie Martin, Delaware;  
1894 roll page 434 #1988 Harry Martin  
1894 roll page 434 #1989 Walter Martin  
1894 roll for wife, page 881 #340 Nannie Martin Delaware;  
1894 roll page 886 #2220 Nannie Martin  
1894 roll page 886 #2221 Harry Martin  
1894 roll page 886 #2222 Walter Martin

L. W. Ruffington, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A L. W. Ruffington.  
Q What is your age? A Forty-two.  
Q What district do you live in? A Delaware.  
Q Do you know John W. Martin? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know anything about him being a Cherokee citizen? A Yes sir, I know he is a Cherokee by blood.

John W. Martin et al 2

Q Did you know his father? A No sir.  
Q Did you know his mother, A No sir.  
Q What reason have you to believe he is a Cherokee by blood? A  
I know his uncle, a brother of his father.

By Cherokee Rep've W.W.Hastings:

Q How long have you known this party? A Ever since 1882.  
Q Did you know him before that time? A No sir.  
Q You know where he came from when he came here? A No sir.  
Q You know where he was born and raised? A No sir.  
Q You know why he wasn't on the roll of 1880? A No sir.

APPLICANT RE-CALLED, and examined by Cher. Rep've Hastings:

Q Where were you in 1880? A I think I was in Vinita.  
The latter part of 1880.  
Q How long did you live in Texas? A I went to Texas when I was  
about 17 or 18 years old, about '66 or '7 and I come back in '80,  
and I was at Muskogee the fore part of 1880 and I think I got  
to Vinita in the latter part of 1880.  
Q You are 51 years old now? A I was either born in '48 or '49  
Q You were 30 years old when you returned? A About that.  
Q You never was re-admitted to citizenship? A No sir, I never  
give up my citizenship; I drove a team to Texas for a man and when  
I got there I staid there.  
Q You staid there about 14 years? A About 13 years.  
Q Was your first wife a Cherokee? A No sir.

Com'r Needles: The name of John W. Martin appears upon the  
census roll of 1896; he presents certified proof of his marriage  
to one Nannie Brackley, a white person, in the year 1884; the  
names of his children, Mamie, Harry and Walter appear upon the  
census roll of 1896, as well as the pay roll of 1894; the name of  
John W. also appears upon the pay roll of 1894; his name does not  
appear upon the authenticated roll of 1880; he presents no certifi-  
cate of re-admission, and testifies that he went to Texas and re-  
mained there some 13 years, coming back to the Territory in the  
year 1880 or 1881; final judgment as to the enrollment of said John  
W. Martin, and his wife Nannie and their children as enumerated in  
the testimony will be suspended, and their names will be placed  
upon a doubtful card.

M.D.Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is  
a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of November 1900.

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

(5) Name *John W Martin* Date *SEP 25 1900* 1900.  
 District *DELAWARE* Year *1896* Page *509* No. *2217*  
 Citizen by blood *yes* *1/2* Mother's citizenship  
 Intermarried citizen  
 Married under what law Date of marriage  
 License Certificate  
 Wife's name *Nannie Martin*  
 District *DELAWARE* Year *1896* Page *581* No. *340*  
 Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship  
 Intermarried citizen *yes*  
 Married under what law Date of marriage  
 License Certificate

Names of Children:

|   |                      |                       |                  |                 |                 |               |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 3 | <i>Nannie Martin</i> | Dist. <i>DELAWARE</i> | Year <i>1896</i> | Page <i>509</i> | No. <i>2220</i> | Age <i>15</i> |
| 4 | <i>Harry</i>         | Dist. <i>DELAWARE</i> | Year             | Page <i>509</i> | No. <i>2221</i> | Age <i>9</i>  |
| 5 | <i>Walter</i>        | Dist. <i>DELAWARE</i> | Year             | Page <i>509</i> | No. <i>2222</i> | Age <i>6</i>  |
| 6 | <i>Grace</i>         | Dist. <i>DELAWARE</i> | Year             | Page            | No.             | Age <i>2</i>  |
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*3 in 1896 Dallas, Maimy Martin*  
*6 Affidavit apbirth supplies*

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Gracy Martine*

is a citizen of the

*Cherokee* Nation.

SEP 25 1900

Approved

*[Signature]*  
COMMISSIONER.

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ACTING COMMISSIONER

*Card No 418*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Child: Gracy Martin, born on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1898.  
(here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: John Wallis Martin citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Nannie Martin citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Postoffice: Vinita, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

INDIAN TERRITORY, ) SS.  
Cherokee Nation. )

I, Nannie Martin, on oath state that I am 40  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of John Wallis Martin, who is a citizen, by  
blood of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1898; that said child has been  
named Gracy Martin, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

B. F. Cox  
D. M. Cox

Nannie Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1900.  
my Com. Ex 8/10/1903 - Joseph Y. Davis  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

INDIAN TERRITORY, ) SS.  
Cherokee District. )

I, Sarah Cox, Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Nannie Martin, wife of John Wallis Martin  
on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1898; that there was born to her on  
said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Gracy Martin.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Sarah Cox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1900.  
my Com. Ex 8/10/1903 - Joseph Y. Davis  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY

Cher. D. 418.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE CHEROKEE NATION, IN 1898,  
VINITA, I.T., MAY 2d, 1901.

In the matter of the enrollment of John W. Martin, et al., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, the following supplemental testimony is offered on the part of Applicants:

JAMES M. BELL, being sworn and examined by Commissioner C. R. Brackinridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your name? A James M. Bell.
- Q How old are you? A 69 years old.
- Q What is your post office? A Needmore.
- Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.
- Q You are here I believe to give testimony in the case of John W. Martin and his family? A Yes, sir, and more particular in his behalf, I know but little about his family.
- Q In this case his family appear to depend upon his status? A Yes, sir; it is in his behalf.
- Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Since '59 with a very little exception, I went to school ~~back~~ out of the country.
- Q You know John W. Martin, do you? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long have you known him? A Since a child three or four years old perhaps.
- Q Do you know his wife, Nanney? A No, sir, I don't know her.
- Q You are not acquainted with her at this time? A No, sir; that wife is not his present wife; I don't think I know his present wife.
- Q What is the name of his present wife? A I don't know what her given name is, but she is a white woman.
- Q You do know his present wife? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long has he been married to his present wife? A I think about 16 or 18 years; I am not positive as to the time, about as much as that.
- Q What was the name of his present wife when he married her? A I don't know that she was a widow woman.
- Q Well, that corresponds to his testimony; that his present wife is a white man, that he has been married to her since '84, that would be some 16 years? A Yes, sir.
- Q How many times has John W. Martin been married? A Twice to my knowledge.
- Q Was his first wife dead when he married this woman? A Yes, sir.
- Q You say his present wife was a widow? A Yes, sir.
- Q How many times has she been married? A I don't know, sir, she has two children.
- Q By a former husband? A Yes, sir.
- Q Was that husband dead when she married Martin? A I think so, yes, sir; that is my understanding; that her husband was dead.
- Q Is John W. Martin's father living? A No, sir.
- Q How long has he been dead many years? A He died about 18 years ago, I think.
- Q Is his mother living? A No, sir.
- Q Has she been dead many years? A She died about the same time.
- Q Do you know where he was born? A He was born here in the Indian District, or Flieg, and I don't know which, his Grandfather lived right where the High School, Colored High School.
- Q Have you always considered him a native Cherokee? A Yes, sir.
- Q Has he been recognized as a Cherokee by blood always? A Yes, sir.
- Q He went to Texas at one time did he not? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know when that was? A He was out, he was badly green when he went there, at young age.



Q Do you know where he went? A I don't know about what point in Texas he did go.

Q Just only that he went to Texas? A Yes, sir.

Q You meant to say that you only knew he did go to Texas?

A Yes, sir, he went to Texas:

Q Do you know how long he stayed there? A He stayed there until after he was grown.

Q How long was he there? A He learned his trade there, he is a harness man.

Q Did you know for what purpose he went to Texas? A He told me the purpose he went there for was to drive a wagon.

Q Just taking a wagon down there? A Just for another man, load of apples I believe, hauled from this Country to that.

Q That is the only purpose you know of? A Yes, sir.

Q And then stayed as you say for sometime after he had reached his majority? A I don't know that he had reached his majority or not; until after he had learned his trade.

Q The point is whether he had reached his majority when he came back?

A I don't know that time that he was of age or hardly of age.

Q Well did you see him soon after his return? A No, sir, I saw him after he came to this point here.

Q Do you mean Vinit? A Yes, sir.

Q When was that? A I think that was in '70; perhaps not as far back as that, perhaps '80 or '81.

Q Have you any knowledge of how long he was here when you saw him at that time? A No, sir.

Q Can you explain why he is not on the roll of 1880?

A His absence from here was the only reason.

Q Only reason you know of? A Yes, sir, but I think he was in the Territory, he was in the Creek Nation, I think at that time, he stopped at Muskogee.

Q What reasons have you to know that? A I had that from himself.

Q What did he tell you? A Told me he stopped in Muskogee and worked at his trade there.

Q Did he tell you how long he worked there? A No, sir, but he must have been there quite a while.

Q What means have you of knowing that? A None only.

Q That is just a supposition isn't it? A That he was there?

Q Yws. A I got that from himself.

Q What did he tell you? A He told me about, all I recollect about that is that he told me he stopped in Muskogee and worked his trade.

Q He didn't tell you how long? A No, sir.

Q Nor when he came? A No, sir.

BY W. W. HASTINGS, Cherokee Representative:

Q You stated that John W. Martin was married twice to your knowledge; where was he married the first time? A I don't know that, he came here with a wife that died here.

Q You don't know how long he had been married? A Previous to that, no, sir; his oldest son, Charley, I suppose is 25 or 30

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Q Is he here? A No, sir, he is in Town though.

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Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Nelly Martin*

as a citizen of

CHEROKEE NATION.

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*C. H. Martin*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the United States, of the Cherokee Nation,  
 made by Kelly Martin on the 27 day of November,  
 at the Post-office, Winita, IT  
 Name of Father John Martin, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
 Name of Mother Mamie Martin, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT,  
 I, Mamie Martin, on oath state that I am 42  
 years of age and a citizen, by Marriage of the Cherokee Nation;  
 that I am the lawful wife of John Martin who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a girl child was  
 born to me on the 27 day of November, 1900; that said child has been  
 named Kelly Martin, and is now living. her  
 WITNESSES TO NAME: Hannie Martin  
John Scott Mamie  
 (Must be two witnesses)  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of November, 1900

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT,  
 I, A. M. Clink, Physician, on oath state that I  
 attended on Mrs. Mamie Martin, wife of John Martin,  
 on the 27 day of November, 1900, that there was born to her on  
 said date a girl child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
 named Kelly Martin.  
 WITNESSES TO NAME: A. M. Clink  
 (Must be two witnesses)  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of February, 1901

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskegee, I. T., February 20, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Mr. Mallette, of Mallette & Smith, Vinita, I. T., attorneys for the applicants;  
W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant and his attorneys were notified by registered letter February 10, 1902, that this case would be taken up by the Commission for final consideration on the 25th day of February, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day appears by his attorney, Mr. Mallette, of Mallette & Smith, Vinita, I. T.

SAM WEBBER, being sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY MR. MALLETT:

- Q What is your name? A Sam Webber.  
Q What is your age? A About 58.  
Q Do you know John W. Martin the applicant? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known him? A We grew up together right on the same place up at the Double Springs, at Alkey Webber's.  
Q What Nation? A Cherokee Nation.  
Q When was that you first knew him before or after the war?  
A Before the war.  
Q Did you know his mother? A She died before I could remember her.  
Q Did you know his grandmother? A Yes sir.  
Q What was her name? A Alkey Webber.  
Q Did she own you? A Yes sir.

Q What was she, a Cherokee? A Cherokee by blood, full-blood.

BY MR. HASTINGS: Comes now the representatives of the Cherokee Nation and objects to the taking of this testimony, because this is not an inquiry by the Commission of Cherokees by blood, that that was done in 1896 by the Commission, and the question now for the Commission is to determine who are recognized citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and that is the sole and only question to be presented to the Commission at this time.

- Q When did you last see the applicant before the war, about when?  
A Time of the war; in time of the Rebellion.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

- Q When did you next see him? A I saw him again in 1880 at Vinita, after that.

BY MR. MALLETT:

- Q Where did you say you saw him the next time? A Vinita.  
Q When? A Sometime in 1880.  
Q Where do you live now? A Near Nowata, mile of Nowata.  
Q How long have you lived there? A Lived there about three years.

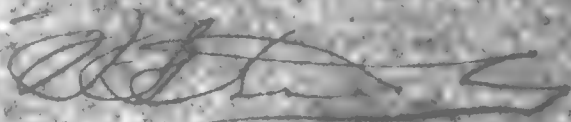
The attorney for the applicant and the representative of the Cherokee nation submit their case to the Commission and same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now of record. The attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted 15 days in which to file brief in this case, one copy with the Commission and one copy with the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation.



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M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that he is a member of the  
Commission to the West Indies and that he has read and approved the  
testimony and proceedings in the said case and that the foregoing is a  
true and complete transcript of his statement and of the proceedings thereon.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 27, 1902.



Commissioner.



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Confession.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this September 23, 1902.

True and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.  
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M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that he stenographed to the

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 28, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of CHARLES H. MARTIN as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 21, 1902, that his case would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 27th day of February, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 28th day of February, 1902, appears by his attorneys, Mollette and Smith, Vinita Indian Territory.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

Mr. Mollette: The applicant in this case is the son of John W. Martin, Cherokee doubtful case 412, and asks that the testimony in that case be made part of the testimony in this and a copy thereof filed with this case.

Commission: The request of the applicant will be complied with.

The attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case to the Commission for final consideration, and the same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Attorney for the applicant will be allowed 15 days in which to file a brief of the case, one copy with the Cherokee Nation and one copy with the representatives of the Cherokee Nation.

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J. O. Reasen, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in this case on the above date and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Reasen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 March 2, 1902.

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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A. Yes, sir, I do. I have been in the Cherokee Nation ever since I married her. I have been in Texas before you married her. I have been in Texas before you married her.

JOHN W. MARTIN, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

Q. What is your name? A. John W. Martin.  
Q. How old are you? A. About thirty-five years old.  
Q. What is your occupation? A. I am a farmer.  
Q. Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. About thirty years, I am.  
Q. Do you mean to say you were in the Cherokee Nation for the past thirty years? A. That is correct, yes, sir.  
Q. Where were you born? A. In the Cherokee Nation.  
Q. How long did you live in the Cherokee Nation after you were born? A. About thirty years.  
Q. How long? A. About thirteen years.  
Q. Thirteen years, and then where did you go? A. I went to the State of Texas.  
Q. Were you a soldier? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What was during the War? A. Yes, sir, during the War.  
Q. Well, after you came out of the army, did you go back to the Cherokee Nation and went to Texas in 1866?  
Q. How long did you stay in Texas? A. Let's see, I stayed in Texas then from '66 to '81, the year I came to this town and went to Virginia in the State of Texas.  
Q. What's that? A. In the winter of '81 I left Texas.  
Q. What were you doing in Texas? A. I learned to work.  
Q. After you learned it, did you work at it down here? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Did you vote down there? A. Not that I know of.  
Q. You would know of it if you did? A. I don't know; I don't remember of ever voting in Texas.  
Q. When was your name at that time? A. I lived in Texas, but I don't know.  
Q. Your name was in the Cherokee Nation? A. I don't know.  
Q. When were you married the first time? A. I married in 1866.  
Q. What was your wife's name? A. Her name was Rutha Taylor.  
Q. Was she a Cherokee? A. No, sir, a white woman.  
Q. Did you live in Texas then? A. I lived in Texas.  
Q. Where did you live in Texas? A. No, sir.  
Q. You were married? A. No, sir.  
Q. How long did you live together? A. Well, I can't tell you.

Q How many years? A Probably three or four years.  
 Q How many years after your first wife? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Never seen her since then? A No, sir.  
 Q Ever get any divorce from her? A No, sir, I want to say there was a young man who brought there and told me she was dead, and I was under the impression that she was dead when I married again.  
 Q When did you marry your second wife? A I married, let's see, I can't tell you definitely.  
 Q About how many years after your separation from your first wife? A I think probably I married in '74 or '75.  
 Q The second time? A Yes, sir.  
 Q How long did you live with that wife? A Well, I lived with her -- I can't tell you how long exactly.  
 Q About how long? A Let me see, it must have been within two or three months before I married my third wife.  
 Q Your second wife died before you married your third wife? A I had to marry on account of the children.  
 Q When did you marry your third wife? A It must have been two or three months after.  
 Q What year? A It must have been in December some year.  
 Q In December of what year? A '84, I think, I am not definite on that point, I think it was '84.  
 Q Now, did you know in 1884 whether your first wife was living or dead? A No, sir, I did not.  
 Q Had you ever made any inquiry about her as to where she was or where living? A I was under the impression she was living.  
 Q It had been eighteen years since you had seen or heard about her? A Well, I don't know how long.  
 Q Here a little while ago you heard about her for the first time since '84, you heard she was living? A Yes, sir, I don't think it has been but about two months ago.  
 Q Have you been living continuously in the Cherokee Nation since you came back from Texas in '81? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Been living continuously since then? A Yes, sir.

By Mr. Starr:

Q Where were you and your first wife married? A Webbers Falls.  
 Q Where were you living when you separated? A Webbers Falls.  
 Q Where did she continue to live after the separation? A Why, I think she lived down here.  
 Q Here in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Did you make any effort to find out where she was living during all this time? A Why, no, sir. That's where I lost her and I supposed she lived there.  
 Q You never made any inquiry after that? A That's how I came to find out she was dead.  
 Q When you heard she was dead, did you make any inquiry from there where you left her? A Yes, sir.  
 Q What inquiry did you make? A I wrote to my uncle at Webbers Falls and could not get no answer from him and I think he was dead. I could not get no answer, and I wrote several letters along and I could not get no answer from them.  
 Q Did not hear from anybody about it? A No, sir.



Q You lived continuously in Texas from '66 to '81? A 1866, yes sir.  
Q Did you have any home in the Cherokee Nation during that time?  
A Do you mean land, house and farm? I had land all right.  
Q Where was your land? A Just anywhere I took it up.  
Q As a matter of fact you had as much a home in Texas as Indian Territory? A No, sir.  
Q You were living there from '66 to '81? A Of course.  
Q And did not live here during that time? A No, I could not live two places.

Retta Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she recorded the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the foregoing application, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

*Retta Chick*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of November, 1902.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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live two places.

Q And did not live here during that time? A No, I could not

Q You were living there from 1890 to 1892.

Q Territorial? A No, sir.

Q As a matter of fact, you lived in some place as Indian

Q Where was that place? A Yes, anywhere I took it up.

Q I have been living in Texas from 1890 to 1902, yes

Dated February 14th, 1904.

Minister of the Interior.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the above.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

I, the undersigned, Assistant Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Enrollment Division of the Commission on the Nevada and Utah Territories and custodian of the records of said Division, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original on file in the office of said Division.

Witness my hand and seal this 24 day of December, 1903.

*Charles H. Sawyer*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of John W. Martin, et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, considering the  
applications of:

John W. Martin, et al., Cherokee D 418  
Charles M. Martin, " D 419  
Cora E. Martin, " D 420

DECISION

The record in these several cases shows that the following  
named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places here-  
inafter designated, and made personal application for the enrollment  
of the following named persons as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

On September 21, 1900, John W. Martin appeared before the  
Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for the  
enrollment of himself and his four minor children, namely, Perry  
Walter and Grace Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation,  
and for the enrollment of his wife, Nannie Martin, as a citizen by  
intermarriage of the said Nation. Further proceedings in the matter  
of said application were had at Vinita, Indian Territory, on January  
19, 1901, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 22, and March  
19, 1902. On March 7, 1902, there was filed with the Commission an  
affidavit duly executed on February 21, 1902, from which it appears  
that Nelly Martin was born on November 27, 1900; that she is the  
child of John W. and Nannie Martin, and that she was living at the  
date of the execution of the affidavit.

Charles M. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on Septem-  
ber 28, 1900, made application for the enrollment of himself and  
his wife, Olive S. Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee  
Nation. Olive S. Martin is differently classified and is not men-  
tioned in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said  
application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 22,

Cora E. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on September 21,

1900. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 22,

1902. The Commission shows that John W. Martin, the father of  
said Cora E. Martin, was a duly enrolled citizen of the Cherokee Nation about  
1880. John W. Martin went to the State of Texas about 1880 or 1881,  
and that he and his said children returned to the Cherokee Nation  
about 1882.



Nannie Martin, a white woman, was married to the said John W. Martin on February 14, 1884, and the minor applicants herein are the issue of that marriage. It appears that Nannie Martin is the third wife of said John W. Martin, that his second wife was dead at the time of his marriage to Nannie, and having at that time been separated from his first wife for about eighteen years without hearing from her, she is presumed to have been dead.

An examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of this Commission shows that John W. Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cera E. Martin are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The said Nannie Martin is also identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The minor children of the said John W. and Nannie Martin, except Gracy and Nelly, are identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. Gracy and Nelly Martin are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said John W., Charles E., and Cera E. Martin have resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation since 1861 and that Nannie Martin has been living with her husband, the said John W. Martin, from the date of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902. It is considered that the minor applicants herein have resided in the Cherokee Nation since their birth.

Article II, of the treaty concluded between the United States and the Cherokee Nation, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 19, 1891, approved by the Principal Chief on January 4, 1892, and ratified by an Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1893, (37 Stat., L. 612-641), provides as follows:

For and in consideration of the above cession and relinquishment, the United States agrees:

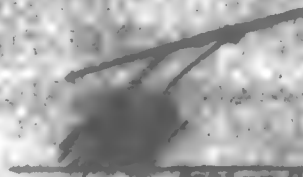
First, That all persons now resident, or who may hereafter become residents, in the Cherokee Nation, and who are not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation by the constituted authorities thereof, and who are not in the employment of the Cherokee Nation, or in the employment of citizens of the Cherokee Nation, in conformity with the laws thereof, or in the employment of the United States Government, and all citizens of the United States who are not resident in the Cherokee Nation under the provisions of treaty or acts of Congress, shall be deemed and held to be intruders and unauthorized persons within the intent and meaning of section six of the treaty of 1835, and sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of the treaty of July 19, 1866, and shall, together with their personal effects, be removed without delay from the limits of said Nation by the United States, as trespassers, upon the demand of the principal chief of the Cherokee Nation."

Upon examination of the lists of intruders and unauthorized persons residing in the Cherokee Nation, furnished by the Principal Chief pursuant to said treaty, which lists bear date of 1893 and are now in possession of the Commission, it appears that the names of none of said applicants are found thereon.

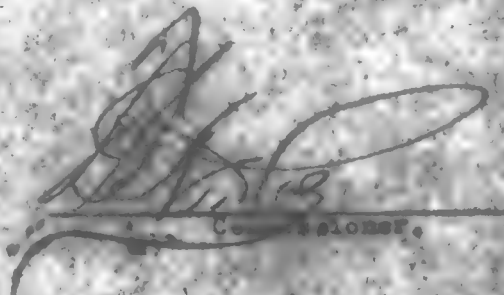
It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that John W. Martin, Nannie Martin, Harry Martin, Walter Martin, Gracy Martin, Nelly Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cera E. Martin, should be enrolled as citizens by blood, and that Nannie Martin should be enrolled



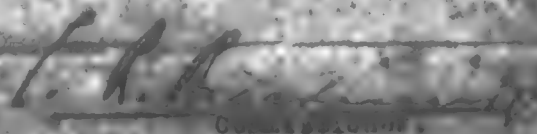
as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR-2-1903

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harlow        | 304 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Ramon Phillips      | 307 |
| Lena Sevens          | 10  | John Whisenand      | 309 |
| Sarah E. McCoy       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 22  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Victor C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 500 |
| Walter A. Elders     | 59  | Joseph P. Willis    | 574 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 60  | James T. Miller     | 589 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 72  | George A. Watson    | 612 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Janette Mauer       | 628 |
| William B. Watson    | 105 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William B. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 708 |
| Thomas H. Wilson     | 186 | William Gordon      | 708 |
| Urie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan H. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 810 |
| Gertrude Palano      | 204 | Ramon Harris        | 840 |
| Hugh Willis          | 220 | Sadie Fivchiller    | 867 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 250 | William B. Burrow   | 887 |

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| Mary Poole          | 1077 |
| Bessie Marshall     | 1078 |
| John J. Harrison    | 1079 |
| Joseph N. Bowman    | 1080 |
| Susan Ballard       | 1081 |
| Livy Eva Simmons    | 1073 |
| Ellen Thornton      | 1079 |
| Sarah E. Blair      | 1080 |
| Norman S. Drake     | 1080 |
| Susan Hogg          | 1084 |
| David L. Scott      | 1089 |
| James C. Taylor     | 1111 |
| Bessie Shepard      | 1120 |
| Robert G. Elgin     | 1120 |
| William Hall        | 1127 |
| Mary Ella Lottimore | 1140 |
| Maggie J. Keys      | 1140 |
| Joseph M. Cornell   | 1177 |
| Jane Bailey         | 1225 |
| George E. Norton    | 1234 |
| Wahala D. Thompson  | 1247 |
| Charles M. Trammel  | 1254 |
| Flora Carlike       | 1255 |
| William H. Norrid   | 1273 |
| Olivia Benge        | 1275 |
| Della Wilson        | 1275 |
| Mona Bell           | 1279 |
| Sarah Peterson      | 1280 |
| Rosa E. Fargo       | 1280 |
| William M. Oliver   | 1280 |
| Andrew J. Couch     | 1340 |
| Lea Hyde            | 1347 |
| Mary E. Miller      | 1350 |
| Mary E. Taylor      | 1350 |
| Fully Ann Benge     | 1350 |
| Marquet Brown       | 1355 |
| Henrie Holliman     | 1355 |
| Neville Stubbins    | 1415 |
| Lawrence G. Paulson | 1415 |
| Sam A. Hall         | 1440 |
| Janette Polson      | 1440 |
| Ellen Stubbins      | 1440 |
| Charles W. Norton   | 1440 |
| Lea Stirlington     | 1441 |
| Tim Cronin          | 1445 |
| Edie Polson         | 1447 |
| Ellen A. Stubbins   | 1449 |
| Lea J. Jannish      | 1449 |
| Eva Hall            | 1449 |
| John A. B. Halliday | 1449 |

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| Milla Horton         | 1000 |
| Andrew Walton        | 1075 |
| John R. Bolder       | 1080 |
| Mary M. Day          | 1082 |
| Thomas E. Buchanan   | 1084 |
| Fluence Boudich      | 1085 |
| Daisy B. Brewer      | 1700 |
| Annie Corday         | 1717 |
| Adam Robert          | 1722 |
| Isaac Timmons        | 1725 |
| Geat Gibson          | 1727 |
| Anna Anderson        | 1730 |
| William J. Monte     | 1730 |
| James D. Alexander   | 1745 |
| Willie E. Miles      | 1745 |
| Lea Adair            | 1750 |
| John Yarbrough       | 1750 |
| Lilla B. Dwyer       | 1800 |
| Bryant C. Burlington | 1800 |
| Malin A. Maxwell     | 1800 |
| Richard Dahn         | 1811 |
| Fannie Poole         | 1815 |
| Gervin Paul          | 1817 |
| Milla Churchard      | 1822 |
| Linzie Benge         | 1825 |
| John R. Welch        | 1847 |
| Edward F. White      | 1850 |
| Lauren F. Green      | 1857 |
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| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 893 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128 said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner,

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS.  
HENRY JAMES,  
THOMAS A. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRUCHMANN.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ALLISON L. AYLERWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

Muskogee, I. T., January 23rd, 1901.

Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes one copy  
of the testimony in the matter of the application of J. B. [unclear]  
et al for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

R. B. [unclear]

ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT.



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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 18th 1902

Mr. John W. Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and four  
minor children

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the  
28th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney,  
when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your applica-  
tion.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same  
time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enroll-  
ment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such  
testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Copy to Helotte A Smith,  
Vinita, I.T.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-418  
Registrar.

Acting Chairman.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27, 1900

Mr. J. W. Martin,

Winita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

When you applied to this Commission on September 25, 1900, for the enrollment of yourself and family as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, you gave your name as John W. Martin, while in the affidavit as to the birth of your child Holly Martin it is noticed that your name appears throughout as J. W. Martin.

Will you please advise the Commission which is your correct name, and how you desire to be listed for enrollment. Upon receipt of this information, the application for the enrollment of your child Holly Martin will receive further consideration.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

CONFIDENTIAL

Washington, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903

Mr. John B. Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

The Commission is in receipt of your communication of the 28th inst. in relation to the application for the enrollment of your son, John B. Martin, which you desire to be listed as a descendant of the Cherokee Nation, to the effect that you desire your name to appear on the Commission records as John B. Martin.

The birth affidavit bearing your signature on the subject of the application for the enrollment of your son, John B. Martin, in accordance therewith returned to you, and your son's name as your son and corrected therein from J. B. Martin to JOHN B. Martin.

Upon return of this affidavit, corrected as above, the application for the enrollment of your son, John B. Martin, will receive further consideration.

Yours very truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Encl. J-464



COMMISSIONERS:  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BIXBY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRECKINRIDGE  
ALLISON L. AVLESWORTH,  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 28 , 1902.

Nannie Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory,

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902, and entitled "An Act To provide for the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, for the disposition of town sites therein, and for other purposes," (Public No. 241), provides that "the roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation shall be made as of September first, nineteen-hundred and two."

In accordance with said provision, you are hereby notified that the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes will be at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, until Friday, October 31, 1902, inclusive, for the purpose of affording you an opportunity to show that you have not, between the date of the original application for your enrollment and Sept 2, 1902, forfeited your right as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

This evidence should be introduced immediately, as it is necessary in determining your right to share in the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, and until the same is furnished no further action can be taken looking toward your final enrollment as an intermarried citizen.

Yours truly,

Asst. Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 3, 1903, granting the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Mamie, Harry, Walter, Gray and Kelly Martin, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mamie Martin, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Charles E. Martin for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the application of Cora E. Martin for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicants. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

THOMAS L. DAVIS

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Cherokee D-118.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

John V. Martin,

Winita, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your five minor children, Mamie, Harry, Walter, Grady and Kelly Martin, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Fannie Martin, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James B. Smith  
Chairman.

Enc. H-45.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

Mellette & Smith,

Attorneys for John W. Martin, et al.,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Mamie, Harry, Walter, Gracy and Nelly Martin, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Nannie Martin, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Charles B. Martin for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood; and the application of Gera B. Martin for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tams Dixby.*

Chairman.

Enc. B-47.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Fannie Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

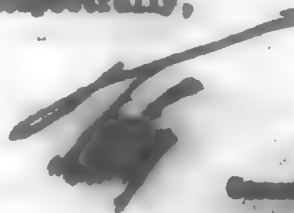
Bennie Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

## Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, has been designated by the Secretary of the Interior, as the official to make and approve appraisals of the value of improvements upon land in the Cherokee Nation which were made prior to November 5, 1906, by white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens prior to December 16, 1895, and who have the right under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), to sell improvements.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

- Bartlesville, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.**
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Designations must be made in person by the intermarried white claimant, or in case proper proof is made that he is physically unable to appear, by some adult member of his immediate family, or in case proper proof is made of the fact that the intermarried white claimant is physically unable to appear and has no adult member of his immediate family, by a person holding a properly executed power of attorney; provided, that in every case the designation must be made by a party familiar with the character, ownership, location and value of the improvements to be designated. At the time of said designation the testimony of any competent person will be taken by the Commissioner as to the location, character and value of said improvements.

No former intermarried white claimant will be permitted to designate improvements upon more land than he would have been entitled to take in allotment for himself had he been admitted to citizenship. If any intermarried white claimant has made a tentative selection of a full allotment he will not be allowed to designate improvements upon other land.

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All persons interested should take careful note of the limitation of time herein provided for, within which designations and complaints may be made, and that they must be made by appearance before the Commissioner.

**TAMS BIXBY,**  
Commissioner.

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Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a

~~copy of Departmental decision referred to.~~

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior.

Comptroller of the Public Lands.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
I. T., SEPTEMBER 28th, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Charles E. Martin and wife for  
enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and he being sworn  
by Commissioner C. E. Burdette, as follows:

- Q What is your full name? A Charles E. Martin.  
Q What is your age? A 34 years.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Vinita, Oklahoma.  
Q What district do you live in? A Vinita.  
Q Who is it you want to be enrolled as? A Myself and my wife.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A No sir.  
Q What proportion do you claim of Cherokee blood?  
A About one eight, I suppose.  
Q Is your father a Cherokee? A Yes sir; about one eighth.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Since 1881.  
Q Were you admitted in 1881? A No sir.  
Q How did you get to be a Cherokee citizen in 1881?  
A My rights were never disputed.  
Q Where were you born? A Born in Texas.  
Q You lived there until 1881, did you? A Until 1881; we came  
here; came from Texas here in 1881; came from Texas to Muskogee,  
and then to Vinita.  
Q When did you come to Vinita? A In 1881.  
Q That is your first coming to the Cherokee Nation as well as you  
know? A Yes sir.  
Q You are not admitted by act of the Cherokee Commission or Coun-  
cil? A No sir; not that I know of.  
Q You never applied to the Dugan Commission for enrollment?  
A No sir.  
Q What is your father's name? A J. W. Martin.  
Q Give me the name of your mother? A Laura E. Martin.  
Q Is she living or dead? A She is dead.  
Q How long has she been dead? A I can not say for sure; some-  
thing like thirteen or fourteen years; I am not positive.  
Q Have you lived here ever since 1881? A Yes sir.  
Q Now give me your wife's name please? A Olive Martin.  
Q How old is she? A Twenty four next birth day.  
Q When did you marry her? A The fourteenth of March, 1899.  
Q What was her maiden name? A Olive E. Allen.  
Q What is her father's name? A C. B. Allen.  
Q Cherokee or white man? A Cherokee.  
Q Dead or living? A He is living.  
Q Her mother's name please? A H. C. Allen.  
Q Cherokee or white woman? A She is a white woman.  
Q Dead or living? A She is living.  
Q Is your wife a native of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Lived here all her life? A She was admitted here in 1881.  
Q Have you the certificate of admission? A Yes sir.  
The applicant presents an official copy of the records of the of-  
fice of the Commission on citizenship of the Cherokee Nation,  
showing that on September 8th, 1881, certain persons were admitted  
to citizenship, among them Olive Isabelle Allen; that is your wife  
name, is it? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage, showing her change of  
name? A Yes sir.

The applicant presents a license, issued by the Clerk of the  
United States, Northern District of the Indian Territory, March  
28th, 1900, authorizing marriage between himself and his wife, as  
stated by him. This marriage was consummated in March of the same  
year, by the Reverend V. L. Butler. These papers are filed herewith.  
(1899 Bill, Page 506, 507, Charles E. Martin, Defendant D-1)  
(1900 Bill, Page 124, 125, Olive E. Allen, Complainant D-2)

Q When did your father go to Texas? A I can not say.

Q Pretty soon after the war? A Yes sir.

Q He stayed there until 1861, did he? A I think so; I am not sure. All I know about it is hearing him talk about it.

Q Your wife has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since her admission has she? A Yes sir.

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself and wife: His wife is identified on the roll of 1894, and is shown by the official document cited in the testimony to have been admitted to Cherokee citizenship in 1888. Her change of name is established by the marriage license and certificate filed herewith; and she will be listed now for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood.

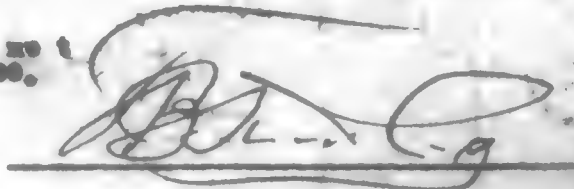
The applicant himself is identified on the roll of 1894. He states that he was born in the State of Texas; that his father went there soon after the Civil War, and stayed there until 1861; he came here with his father in 1861, and has lived here ever since.

To determine the question of citizenship, under Cherokee Law, that arises in connection with the status of his father, and the applicant being born in the State of Texas; his application for the present will be placed upon a doubtful card, for further consideration; and the final decision of the Commission will be communicated to him at his Postoffice address, and will be forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior, whether it be favorable or unfavorable.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

A. B. Crawley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of September, 1900.



COMMISSIONER.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON.  
VOLUME 1, PAGES 1 AND 2, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Gora Ellen Martin for admission as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, and she being examined and sworn to by Commissioner, C. A. Brockbridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your name please? A Gora Ellen Martin.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty one.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Vinita.  
Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.  
Q What is it you want to have put on the roll; yourself?  
A Myself.  
Q What yourself? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you apply as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A About eighteen or nineteen years.  
Q Where did you live before that? A In Texas.  
Q Did you come from Texas eighteen or nineteen years ago with your father and mother? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me your father's name please? A John W. Martin.  
Q He is living? A Yes sir.  
Q Your mother's name? A Laura Ellen Martin.  
Q Is she living or dead? A Dead.  
Q How long has she been dead? A She died in about 1884.  
Q She died after you came from Texas? A Yes sir.

John W. Martin being called, sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. A. Brockbridge, testified as follows:

Q Give your name please? A John W. Martin.  
Q Your age? A I am about fifty one.  
Q Your Postoffice? A Vinita.  
Q Are you the father of the young lady? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you move here from Texas some eighteen or nineteen years ago with your family? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever live in the Cherokee Nation before that?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Are you on the roll of 1880? A No sir.  
Q Did you apply ever again to the Cherokee Commission or Council at Tahlequah for admission for yourself and family?  
A No sir.  
Q Did you apply to the Dawes Commission in 1886, for admission for yourself and family? A I do not think I did; no sir.  
Q You were never admitted by the Dawes Commission, or the United States Court? A No sir.  
Q Was your wife a white woman or a Cherokee? A She was a white woman.  
Q Where were you born? A In the Cherokee Nation.  
Q When did you leave the Cherokee Nation first? A I left the Cherokee Nation - when I first left I think it was in 1868: I served in the United States army.  
Q After that, where did you live? A I came back to this country and lived here two or three years, then went to Texas.  
Q In what year after the war? A I think it was in 1866, or 1867.  
Q How long did you stay there? A I stayed there about seven or eight years.  
Q Did you stay there until you came here with your family some eighteen years ago? A Yes sir; I came to Muskogee and stayed a while; I think I moved home either in the Fall of 1880, or the first part of 1881: We came here in the winter time.  
Q You have been living here ever since? A Yes sir.  
Q But you never applied for readmission to Cherokee citizenship?  
A No sir.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of October, 1960.

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Suppl. C.D. #426.

Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 23, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of CHARLES W. MARTIN as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 11, 1902, that his case would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its session at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 27th day of February, 1902. Notice had been acknowledged of Commission action and the applicant, on that day, to-wit: the 23rd day of February, 1902, appeared by his attorneys, Mellette and Smith, Vinita Indian Territory.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

Mr. Mellette: The applicant in this case is the son of John W. Martin, Cherokee War of 1861-62, and appears in the testimony in that case as his part in the proceedings in this and a copy thereof filed with this case.

Commission: The request of the applicant will be complied with.

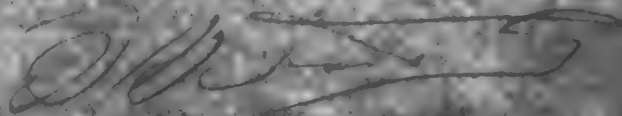
The attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case to the Commission for final consideration, and the case is ordered closed and referred to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Attorney for the applicant will be allowed 15 days in which to file a brief of the case, one copy with the Cherokee Nation and one copy with the representatives of the Cherokee Nation.

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J. O. Rosson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in this case on the above date and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 March 3, 1902.



Commissioner.

Supl.-C.D.#488.

Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 28, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of CORA E. MARTIN  
as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 12, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission on the 28th day of February, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged as applicant's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 28th day of February 1902, appears by her attorneys, Hollister & Smith, Vinita, Indian Territory.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee representative, present.

Mr. Hollister. The applicant in this case is the daughter of John W. Martin who applied for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation on D. card 100. He asks that the testimony in this case be made part of the testimony in this case and that the same be filed herewith.

Commission. The request of the attorney for applicant will be complied with.

The attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case, and the same is closed and reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

The attorney for the applicant will be allowed 15 days in which to file a brief of the case, one copy with the Commission and one copy with the representative of the Cherokee Nation.

J. O. Roason, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he has recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 28, 1902.



Commissioner



BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOHN W. MARTIN FOR THE ENROLLMENT  
OF HIMSELF, WIFE AND CHILDREN AS CHEROKEE CITIZENS. CHEROKEE DOUBTFUL.

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The record in this case shows that the applicant, John W. Martin, was enrolled by the Cherokee Nation upon its roll of 1896, and that the names of his children, Mamie, Harry and Walter, appear upon the said roll of 1896 as well as the pay roll of 1894. The name of John W. Martin, also appears upon the pay roll of 1894; that the name of Nannie Martin, wife of John Martin, is found upon the 1896 roll; that the applicant John W. Martin, was born in the Cherokee Nation and was a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation prior to 1890; (record page 3, and testimony of J. M. Bell.) that he lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation until he was nearly grown, when he went to the state of Texas; that when he left the Cherokee Nation the manner of his going was, that he drove a wagon load of apples for another man to the state of Texas; that while in the state of Texas he learned the trade of saddler and harness maker and did not return to the Cherokee Nation until about the year 1890 or '91.  
*The dates given show he went back during the war.*

It is evident upon the summary of the Commissioner in charge that the only reason why the applicants in this case were placed upon what is known as a Doubtful card, was, that the Commission might consider the question of the absence of the said John W. Martin, in the state of Texas. It is quite clear that this is the only point in the case. The applicant, as shown by the testimony of himself and other witnesses, but particularly by the testimony of J. M. Bell, who states that he, the witness, has resided in the Cherokee Nation since 1890; that said applicant was born in the Cherokee Nation and lived here until he was fifteen or more years of age, and that he was a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation prior to the enrollment of 1890; that he was absent from the Cherokee Nation during the year



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1880. \*The Commission can readily see how a man may have been a recognized citizen prior to the year 1880, and how he may not be upon the 1880 roll by reason of absence during the time the 1880 roll was made. The Commission will take judicial notice of the fact that it was required to take possession of all the rolls and records of the Cherokee Nation made by those who applied for citizenship therein, and that the various rolls prior to 1880 have never been in possession of this Commission, and are conspicuous by reason of their absence. However, the fact as stated by J. M. Bell, and others, that the applicant John W. Martin, was a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation before the 1880 roll, is nowhere disputed in this record by the Cherokee Nation, and therefore it must be taken as admitted. This leaves, as before stated, the question of readmission alone.

It is suggested in that summary that the applicants presented no certificate of readmission. It is the contention of the applicant that no certificate of readmission is necessary unless there has been a forfeiture of citizenship. The doctrine of readmission applies to no one except those who have forfeited their citizenship. In support of this it is but necessary to remember the language of the Cherokee constitution, page 12:

"And that, whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of this Nation, and becomes a citizen of any other government, all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this Nation shall cease; provided, nevertheless, that the National Council shall have power to readmit, by law, to all the rights of citizenship, any such person or persons who may, at any time, desire to return to the Nation, on memorializing the National Council for such re-admission."

Under this provision who is it who is to be readmitted? ~~Any~~ ~~such person or persons~~ ~~are~~ words of the act. To whom does any such person or persons refer? Certainly, only to the citizen who shall remove with his effects ~~and~~ become a citizen of another government; that is to say, the word citizen, in the preceding clause.

Then, to know when re-admission is necessary we must know whether or not there has occurred a forfeiture. There can be no forfeiture under the Cherokee law by the mere removal from the Cherokee Nation, and absence therefrom, regardless of the length of the absence because there must occur three elements, 1st. The removal. 2nd. The removal

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with all goods and effects, etc. Acquiring citizenship in another government. It is a general rule of law that all provisions which work a forfeiture are construed with great strictness.

In the case of the New York Indians vs. United States, decided by the Supreme Court of the United States as late as the October Term 1897, it was held that:

"To create an abandonment of a claim there must not only be an omission to prosecute, but an intent to forego."

The Court further say:

"A distinction is drawn by the authorities between the case of a private grantor who may re-enter in the case of the breach of a condition subsequent, and the government, which can only repossess itself of land by legislative or judicial action... The distinction was first clearly drawn by the court in the case of the United States vs. Repentigny. 72 U. S. 5 Wallace, 257.

The court held that where a forfeiture depending upon a condition subsequent, was sought to be enforced <sup>against</sup> upon an Indian, it could not be done by executive action. But added that, even if this could be done:

"A condition only relied upon to work a forfeiture, is construed with great strictness. .... A condition will not be extended beyond its express term by a construction."

Another thing which is significant in the language of the Supreme Court in this case is the following:

"It is by no means certain that the contingency ever happened, or if a forfeiture did result it was not waived by the subsequent action of Congress."

This latter clause presents an issue in itself which we deem important. We contend that in the case of citizens who arrived in the Cherokee Nation years ago and who were recognized by the Nation as citizens thereafter, by every act which the Cherokee Nation could do, such as placing them upon their rolls of citizenship made after their return, voluntarily allowing them to participate in the payments of its people and permitting them to vote, the Cherokee Nation has waived any right which it ever had, if it ever had any, to question their citizenship. These people, unconscious of the fact that they had done any act which deprived them of citizenship, and knowing that they had no intention of abandoning the Cherokee Nation, did not think re-admission necessary. The Cherokee Nation did not think it

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necessary for it recognized them afterwards, so after this citizen has lived in the Cherokee Nation for twenty years, exercising the rights of citizenship, building up a home and acquiring property, we say that the Cherokee Nation, in this case is estopped, and we say that the language last quoted in the case of New York Indians vs. United States, supports this.

The general rule of estoppel also applies in this case. An estoppel may be defined to be:

"An admission or declaration which the law does not permit him who has made it to deny or disprove for his own benefit and to the injury of another."

The admission or declaration which the law does not permit the Cherokee Nation to deny in this case for its own benefit, are the various acts of recognition, such as the applicant's enrollment and the enrollment of his children subsequent to the 1830 roll. The government sought to invoke the doctrine of estoppel against the New York Indians in the case referred to herein, and it is clearly admissible for a Cherokee Indian to invoke the same doctrine against the Cherokee Nation.

Special attention is also called to the distinction between the case of a private person who may re-enter in the breach of a condition subsequent, and the government, which in the language of the case of the New York Indians vs. United States, can only repossess itself of land by a legislative or judicial action. *By a direct or not Constitutional* The analogy is perfect. The Cherokee Nation took neither legislative or judicial action against persons whom it now claims have forfeited rights in the Cherokee Nation, but on the contrary recognized them as citizens through a long series of years.

To take the provision of the Cherokee Constitution itself, if it means what it says, and we must take it that it does because it is the only law upon which the Cherokee Nation relies upon this subject, there can be no forfeiture in this case. At most, the Cherokee Nation can only contend in this case that the applicant removed from the Cherokee Nation, *and thus losing his status* The record does not show that he took any goods and effects with him; it does not show that he committed a single act of

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citizenship in the state of Texas, or any where else outside of the Cherokee Nation. The failure of either of these propositions is fatal to the contention of the Cherokee Nation. All three of the elements mentioned in the Cherokee Constitution must concur before there can be a forfeiture because the clause is in the conjunctive.

Long after the return of this applicant to the Cherokee Nation the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Elk vs. Wilkens, 112th. U.S. rendered an opinion which would have made it impossible for this applicant to have forfeited his citizenship notwithstanding his residence in the state of Texas, without the concurrence of the act of becoming a citizen of the state of Texas, and that, under the Elk decision, he could not have done except by naturalization. It is not even contended by the Cherokee Nation in this case in the light of the record here, that this applicant was ever naturalized, or that he was ever recognized as a citizen of the state of Texas, or in any other government outside of the Cherokee Nation. The Supreme court in the Elk case, held as follows:

"The petition, while it does not show of what Indian Tribe the plaintiff was a member, yet, by the allegations that he is an Indian, and was born within the United States, and that he had severed his tribal relation to the Indian Tribes, clearly implies that he was born a member of one of the Indian Tribes within the limits of the United States, which still exists and is recognized as a Tribe by the Government of the United States. Though the plaintiff alleges that he had fully and completely surrendered to the jurisdiction of the United States, he does not allege that the United States accepted his surrender or that he has ever been naturalized or taxed or in any way recognized or treated as a citizen, by the State or by the United States. Nor is it contended by his counsel that there is any statute or treaty that makes him a citizen.

The question then is, whether an Indian, born a member of one of the Indian Tribes within the United States, is, merely by reason of his birth within the United States and of his afterwards voluntarily separating himself from his Tribe and taking up his residence among white citizens, a citizen of the United States, within the meaning of the 1st section of the 14th amendment of the Constitution?

Under the Constitution of the United States, as originally established, Indians not taxed were excluded from the persons according to whose numbers representatives and direct taxes were appropriated among the several States; and Congress had and exercised the power to regulate commerce with the Indian Tribes, and the members thereof, whether within or without the boundaries of one of the States of the Union. The Indian Tribes, being within the territorial limits of the United States, were not, strictly speaking, foreign States; but they were alien Nations, distinct political communities, with whom the United States might and habitually did deal, as they thought fit, either through treaties made by the President and Senate, or through acts of Congress in the ordinary forms of legislation. The members of these Tribes owed immediate allegiance to their several Tribes and were not part of the people of the United States. They



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were in a dependant condition, a state of pupillage, resembling that of a ward to his guardian. Indians and their property, exempt from taxation by treaty or statute of the United States, could not be taxed by any State. General Acts of Congress did not apply to Indians, unless so expressed as to clearly manifest an intention to include them.

The alien and dependant condition of the members of the Indian Tribes could not be put off at their own will, without the action or assent of the United States. They were never deemed citizens of the United States, except under explicit provisions of treaty or statute to that effect, either declaring a certain Tribe or such members of it as chose to remain behind on the removal of the Tribe westward, to be citizens, or authorizing individuals of particular Tribes to become citizens on application to a court of the United States, for naturalization."

But passing to the provision of the Cherokee law itself regardless of any decision of any court, it seems to us that it is but necessary to consider the purview of this clause of the Cherokee Constitution, and that to hold that it means exactly what it says, settles not only this case in favor of these applicants, but that it will at once remove the multiplied and strenuous efforts of the Cherokee Nation to split a sufficient number of hairs to escape from the plain import of its own constitution, to the utter ruin of hundreds of Cherokee citizens who have been enrolled and paid and recognized as citizens here, always, and nowhere else, and who have their homes and their property and their friends and their kindred in the Cherokee Nation. Any fair conception of the provision of the Constitution (Cherokee) in this regard shows that, when it was adopted no intention upon the part of the Cherokee Nation to cast its own members for the benefit of those who remained existed. This was an afterthought, now sought to be used as an instrument by which to keep out, every man woman and child who has resided out of the Cherokee Nation. The provision of the Cherokee Constitution unquestionably contemplated absolute abandonment of the country and a plain affirmative abjuration of the tribal relation. When it is sought to apply this law to Cherokees who have, at some time during their lives, been absent from the Cherokee Nation, but who before leaving were recognized citizens and who, have since their return in a like manner been recognized by the Cherokee Nation, it is simply a mischief and can not be made to answer the present purpose of the Cherokee Nation.

We do not believe that any Tribunal could reasonably be expected



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to agree with the Supreme Court's decision in the  
Feltz case, 188 U.S. 501. It is to be noted that the  
Court's decision in the Feltz case is in full  
accord with every principle of law which has been  
United States by the decisions of its courts.

Respectfully submitted.

Wm. S. Smith

Attorney at Law

BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Charles M. Martin, Cherokee  
Doubtful.                      # 418.

Charles M. Martin is the son of John W. Martin, who was listed for enrollment upon Cherokee Doubtful card # 418, and whose case we have fully briefed. As the status of this applicant is dependant upon that of his father, the said John W. Martin, this case is submitted upon the brief filed in that case, Cherokee Doubtful # 418.

Respectfully submitted.

Walter L. Smith,  
Attorney's for Applicant.

BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Cora E. Martin, Cherokee Doubtful  
# 422.

Cora E. Martin, is the daughter of John W. Martin, who was listed for enrollment upon Cherokee Doubtful card # 418, and whose case we have fully briefed. As the status of this applicant is dependent upon that of her father, the said John W. Martin, this case is submitted upon the brief filed in that case, Cherokee Doubtful # 418.

Respectfully submitted.

Wesley L. Smith  
Attorney's for Applicant.



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Department of the Interior.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

August 2, J. T. April, 1880.

In the matter of the application of  
John W. Martin for the enrollment  
of himself, wife, and child as  
citizens of the Cherokee Nation. C. D. 453.

The applicant, John W. Martin, was fifteen years  
of age when he made his application to the Commission in 1877,  
to be enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation. His  
name does not appear upon the roll of 1880, neither does he  
present any certificate showing that he was re-admitted to  
citizenship by the Cherokee authorities subsequent to that  
time. He claims to have left the Cherokee Nation in the  
close of the war, and to have returned about the year 1875.

In his oral testimony he shows that he was married in  
the state of Texas, to a white woman where his oldest child,  
Charles W. Martin, who was twenty-four years of age in 1880,  
was born. Granting that this is his oldest child, the  
applicant must have married in the state of Texas about the  
year, 1875. He was then twenty-five years of age, and was  
living in the state of Texas some eight, or ten years, and  
he left no proper record behind him in the Cherokee Nation, and  
he continued to live with his wife in the state of Texas  
some six, or seven years after his marriage to her, when  
his oldest child was born. During all of this time, a period  
of thirteen, or fourteen years, he was in no way identified  
with the Cherokee Nation, and he is far from the tribe  
and no efforts were made to locate him.

It is also to be noted that the  
applicant has not been enrolled in the Cherokee Nation,  
and that he is not on the roll of the Cherokee Nation.  
The Commission, in its report, states that it has  
not been able to locate the applicant, and that it  
has not been able to determine whether or not he is  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.



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the Cherokee Nation has extended every courtesy imaginable to the attorney's representative applicants listed for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. All rolls in the possession of the Cherokee Nation have been furnished the Commission upon its request, and the Cherokee Nation has no rolls that would be of any benefit to the applicants since prior to 1880. The Cherokee Nation contends that Section 21, of the Curtis Bill confirms the roll of 1880, and if the name of any person, who was then living does not appear upon that roll as a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation, he must either show that he was readmitted to citizenship subsequent to that time, but this applicant does not contend that he was a resident of the Cherokee Nation at that time. Council for applicants is in violation of the policy of the Cherokee Nation. "For-forgiveness, and unjust", and in answer to this accusation let us say, suppose that every other Cherokee residing within the limits of the Cherokee Nation had done as did John W. Martin, left the Cherokee Nation in 1880, or 1887, and remained from without the limits for a period of some fourteen years, what would have become of the Cherokee Nation? And what would there have been for the Cherokee to divide among them at this time? The answer is due to the Cherokee Nation in 1880. Section 21 contains a provision that the lands granted shall revert to the United States, if the said Cherokee Nation becomes extinct, or ceases to exist, and to prevent just such a contingency the Cherokee Nation itself provided in its constitution, Article I, Section 2, against the removal of its citizens from within the limits of the Cherokee Nation.

Again, Council for applicants is in violation of the policy of the Cherokee Nation. The Cherokee Nation has never lost its right to self-determination, and the United States has never lost its right to remove the Cherokee Nation from its lands. The Cherokee Nation has never lost its right to self-determination, and the United States has never lost its right to remove the Cherokee Nation from its lands.

the roll of the Cherokee Nation about the year, 1870, they would be equally as legally entitled as would be the applicants.

But the grounds for the applicants should leave this temporary, it is difficult for the representatives of the Cherokee Nation to understand, inasmuch as the decision as to the right of applicants to be enrolled, has been made entirely by the Commission, and if the policy is "far-fetched, narrow, and unfair", it is the policy of the Commission, because the Commission itself refused to list the applicants for enrollment upon a strict and because the Act of Congress would not permit it. All of the language intended against the Cherokee Nation in this brief, should be directed against the Commission because it is the Commission's action, and not that of the Cherokee Nation, although the representative of the Cherokee Nation heartily concurs with this action because *he* <sup>is</sup> *it* correct.

The Cherokee Nation certifies that when this man went to Texas, and married and lived there for the number of years, he became a citizen of the state of Texas, and inasmuch as his name does not appear upon the roll of 1830, it was necessary for him to have been re-admitted to citizenship upon his return to the Cherokee Nation, and failing to have done that, this Commission is now powerless to enroll him. If he wanted to apply for readmission to citizenship, he should have done this in 1896, under the act of June, 10th.

Respectfully submitted

*W. W. Hastings*

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Civ. Service & Publics.

Washington, D. C. April 9, 1904.

On the matter of the application of  
Charles W. Martin for enrollment as a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

C. D. 426.

BRIEF ON BEHALF OF THE CHEROKEE  
NATION.

The applicant was born in the state of Texas: He was twenty-four years old, when he applied in 1900: His mother was a white woman, and he claims John W. Martin, Cherokee, Doubtful Card, D. 418 as his father. His father claims to have come to the Cherokee Nation in 1881: Neither are on the roll of 1880, and neither were admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation subsequent to that time. There is no proof of marriage between parents of the applicant, and applicant's mother was a white woman. The Cherokee Nation can not see how the Commission can enroll the applicant, and refers the Commission to the brief filed by the Cherokee Nation in the case of applicant's father, John W. Martin, Cherokee Doubtful, D 418.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. W. Hastings*  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, F. T., April 10, 1902.

In the matter of the application of  
Cora E. Martin for enrollment as a citizen  
of the Cherokee Nation.

C. D. 488.

Brief on behalf of the Cherokee Nation.

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The applicant was born in the state of Texas. She was  
~~have~~ twenty-one years old when she applied in 1900; her mother  
was a white woman, and she claims John W. Martin, enlisted for  
enrollment on Cherokee Doubtful card No. 418, as her father.  
Her father claims to have come to the Cherokee Nation in 1861;  
neither are on the roll of 1880, and neither were re-admitted  
to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation subsequent to that time.  
There is no proof of marriage between the parents of the appli-  
cant, and applicant's mother is a white woman. She has an older  
brother born in Texas in 1876, which shows that her father must  
have lived there with their mother prior to that time.

The Cherokee Nation can not see how the Commission can  
enroll the applicant, and refers the Commission to the brief  
filed by the Cherokee Nation in the case of applicant's father,  
John W. Martin, Cherokee Doubtful No. 418.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. W. Hastings* JCH  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

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Cherokee, D. 410.

In the matter of the  
Application of Charles N.  
Martin for enrollment as a  
citizen of the Cherokee  
Nation.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of John W. Martin, et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating the  
applications of:

|                         |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| John W. Martin, et al., | Cherokee D 418 |
| Charles H. Martin,      | " D 428        |
| Cora E. Martin,         | " D 488        |

D E C I S I O N

The record in these several cases shows that the following  
named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places here-  
inafter designated, and made personal application for the enrollment  
of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens.

On September 25, 1900, John W. Martin appeared before the  
Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for the  
enrollment of himself and his four minor children, Mamie, Harry  
Walter and Gracy Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation,  
and for the enrollment of his wife, Nannie Martin, as a citizen by  
intermarriage of the said Nation. Further proceedings in the matter  
of said application were had at Vinita, Indian Territory, on May 22,  
1901, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 25, and October  
17, 1902. On March 7, 1902, there was filed with the Commission an  
affidavit duly executed on February 22, 1902, from which it appears  
that Nelly Martin was born on November 27, 1900; that she is the  
child of John W. and Nannie Martin, and that she was living at the  
date of the execution of the affidavit.

Charles H. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on Septem-  
ber 25, 1900, made application for the enrollment of himself and  
his wife, Olive H. Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee  
Nation. Olive H. Martin is differently classified and is not em-  
braced in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said  
application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 28,  
1902.

Cora E. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on October 2,  
1900, made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the  
Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said applica-  
tion were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 28, 1902.

The evidence shows that John W. Martin, and Charles H.,  
and Cora E. Martin, his adult children, are Cherokee Indians; that  
said John W. Martin went to the State of Texas about 1866 or 1867,  
and that he and his said children returned to the Cherokee Nation  
about 1881.

Nannie Martin, a white woman, was married to the said John W. Martin on February 14, 1884, and the minor applicants herein are the issue of that marriage. It appears that Nannie Martin is the third wife of said John W. Martin, that his second wife was dead at the time of his marriage to Nannie, and having at that time been separated from his first wife for about eighteen years without hearing from her, she is presumed to have been dead.

An examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of this Commission shows that John W. Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cora E. Martin are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The said Nannie Martin is also identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The minor children of the said John W. and Nannie Martin, except Gracy and Nelly, are identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. Gracy and Nelly Martin are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said John W., Charles E., and Cora E. Martin have resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation since 1881 and that Nannie Martin has been living with her husband, the said John W. Martin, from the date of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902. It is considered that the minor applicants herein have resided in the Cherokee Nation since their birth.

Article II, of the treaty concluded between the United States and the Cherokee Nation, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 19, 1891, approved by the Principal Chief on January 4, 1892, and ratified by an Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1893, (27 Stats., L. 612-641), provides as follows:

"For and in consideration of the above cession and relinquishment, the United States agrees:

First. That all persons now resident, or who may hereafter become residents, in the Cherokee Nation, and who are not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation by the constituted authorities thereof, and who are not in the employment of the Cherokee Nation, or in the employment of citizens of the Cherokee Nation, in conformity with the laws thereof, or in the employment of the United States Government, and all citizens of the United States who are not resident in the Cherokee Nation under the provisions of treaty or acts of Congress, shall be deemed and held to be intruders and unauthorized persons within the intent and meaning of section six of the treaty of 1836; and sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of the treaty of July 19, 1866, and shall, together with their personal effects, be removed without delay from the limits of said Nation by the United States, as trespassers, upon the demand of the principal chief of the Cherokee Nation."

Upon examination of the lists of intruders and unauthorized persons residing in the Cherokee Nation, furnished by the Principal Chief pursuant to said treaty, which lists bear date of 1893 and are now in possession of the Commission, it appears that the names of none of said applicants are found thereon.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that John W. Martin, Nannie Martin, Harry Martin, Walter Martin, Gracy Martin, Nelly Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cora E. Martin, should be enrolled as citizens by blood, and that Nannie Martin should be enroll-

ed as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 11, 1902

Mr. George H. Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 27th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Charles D-424

Register.

Acting Chairman.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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Wash., D.C. 20540

Mr. Martin,

Mr. Secretary.

Dear Sir:

There is a letter from the Department of the Interior to the Secretary of the Interior, dated June 2, 1954, regarding the proposed construction of a dam on the Colorado River. The letter is being forwarded to you for your information and action.

Sincerely,

Enc. 1-44.

Respectfully,

Washington, Indian Territory, April 6, 1907

James S. McLaughlin

Wichita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of April 3, you are advised the records of this office show that the application for the enrollment of one Charles H. Martin, son of J. H. and Laura S. Martin, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, was granted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes on March 2, 1905.

Respectfully,

S. H. H.

Acting Commissioner

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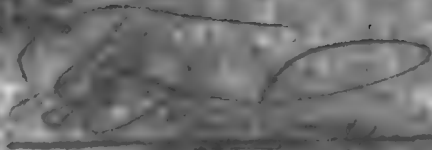
IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, District of Columbia, ss. I, the undersigned, Clerk of the said Court, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears from the records of the said Court.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Clerk to Representatives:

**In the Court and on!**

The name of David C. Miller appears upon the census roll of 1890, and no presents proof of his ancestry, more particularly demanded in the testimony, satisfying that it was required to suit. Lucinda C. Miller, a daughter of David C. Miller, was born in 1850. The name of David C. Miller appears upon the census roll of 1890 as Lucinda C. Miller, and upon the census roll of 1880, as Lucinda C. Miller, her present name. The names of his children, Alfred B. and Raymond appear upon the census roll of 1890, and he presents satisfactory proof of birth as to his youngest child, Esther A., they being fully identified according to the ages and names of the rolls as indicated in the testimony, the said Lucinda C. Miller, and her children.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 1st day of August, 1900.



COMMISSIONER.



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## CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Francis Hicks

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No. 202

Citizen by blood

## Mother's citizenship

### Intermarried citizens

yes - a Wyandott Indian

## Married under what law

Date of marriage

## License

## Certificates

Wife's name:

District

Year

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## Citizen by blood

### Mother's citizenship

### Intermarried citizens

Married under what law

Date of marriage

## Licence

## Certificate

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This is to Certify, that

Frank Hicks and -  
- Lucinda Miller, were  
with their mutual consent, lawfully  
joined together in Holy Matrimony.  
Which was Solemnized by me, in the  
presence of credible witnesses,  
done at Coody's Bluff I. T. this first day  
of February A. D. 1885.

} W<sup>m</sup> Adams.  
} a minister of the gospel

Witness { John Secondine  
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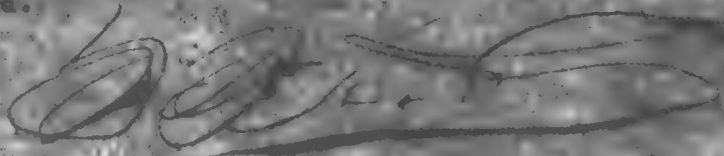
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the matter of the application for the  
grantment of himself as a citizen of the United States

The applicant was notified by letter on November 11,  
1922, that he was required to appear before the  
Commission on November 15, 1922, at 10 o'clock  
a.m. in the Commission's office, Room 100, Building  
No. 1, on the corner of 1st and 2nd Streets, New  
York City, to introduce any evidence in support  
of his application.

The applicant appeared on this day, to wit: the 15th day of  
November, 1922, before the Commission and was examined  
in person or by affidavit. The Commission is of the opinion, and  
it is the Commission's final decision based upon the  
facts now of record.



Commissioner.



Cherokee B-440.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 27, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Francis Hicks for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, he being sworn and examined by the Commissioner, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Francis Hicks.  
Q How old are you, Mr. Hicks? A Let's see: I was born in '57, forty-five.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Ruby.  
Q Are you an applicant for enrollment as a citizen by blood? A No, I am Wyandotte.  
Q You are an applicant for enrollment as a Wyandotte Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Lucinda.  
Q Is she living? A She is living; she is Delaware.  
Q She is a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Delaware blood? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to your wife, Lucinda? A '85.  
Q You were married by a preacher were you? A Yes sir.  
Q Just as one Indian marries another? A Yes sir.  
Q The Wyandottes is a tribe of Indians up in the northeast part of the territory? A Yes sir.  
Q You were a member of that tribe of Indians before you married her? A Yes sir. When the Bureau Commission was at Vinita they wanted a statement when I was dropped from the roll. I was dropped from the roll in '88. They were going to investigate it and they never said anything about it.  
Q Were you ever married before you married this wife? A No sir.  
Q Was she ever married before? A No sir.  
Q You have lived together ever since your marriage? A Yes sir.  
Q Never separated? A No sir.  
Q Were you living together on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir, I come in the Cherokee Nation in '93; I married in '85.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly transcribed the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*H. L. Rothman*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1902.

*B. J. Jones*  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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In the matter of the application of Francis Hicks  
for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
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DECISION.

The record in this case shows that on September 26, 1900, Francis Hicks appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment, among others, of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 27 and October 27, 1902. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that Francis Hicks was lawfully married on February 1, 1885, to Lucinda Miller, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Delaware blood. The said Francis Hicks is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Francis Hicks is a Wyandotte Indian by blood, and that he was a member of the Wyandotte Tribe of Indians in the Indian Territory at the date of his marriage to his wife, Lucinda.

Section 670 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (1892) provides:

"Whereas, quite a number of our own citizens have intermarried with Indians, members of other tribes of this Territory, and it has always been the custom of the Cherokee people to recognize such marriages as lawful until the taking of the last census, when their rights as citizens were called in question; therefore, any Indian, a member of any of the tribes of this Territory who has married, or shall hereafter marry a Cherokee, a citizen of this Nation at the time of such marriage, in accordance with the law regulating marriage between native citizens thereof, shall be, and is hereby deemed a Cherokee to all intents and purposes, and entitled to the rights of other Cherokees."

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Francis Hicks should be enrolled as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495) with all the rights of a native Cherokee, and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE.

Quapaw Agency, I.T.,

Seneca, Mo., Oct. 2, 1900.

The Chairman of the

Commissioners the Five Civilized Tribes.

Sir:

At the request of Mr. Frank Hicks, of Vinita, I.T., the following statement is made in regard to his status in the Wyandot tribe of this Agency. Mr. Hicks has not been carried on the Wyandot roll since 1882 and did not receive an allotment when allotments were made to the Wyandot tribe under the Dawes Bill of 1887.

Very respectfully,

*Edward Goldsberg*  
U. S. Indian Agent.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 11,

1902

Mr. Francis Hicks,

Vinita, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

27th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to do so before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-440

Registrar.

Acting Chairman.



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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 23, 1902.

Francis Hicks,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

The Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902, and entitled "An Act To provide for the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, for the disposition of town sites therein, and for other purposes," (Public No. 241), provides that "the roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation shall be made as of September first, nineteen-hundred and two."

In accordance with said provision, you are hereby notified that the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes will be at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory, until Friday, October 31, 1902, inclusive, for the purpose of affording you an opportunity to show that you have not, between the date of the original application for your enrollment and Sept 2, 1902, forfeited your right as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

This evidence should be introduced immediately, as it is necessary in determining your right to share in the allotment of the lands of the Cherokee Nation, and until the same is furnished no further action can be taken looking toward your final enrollment as an intermarried citizen.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Waskages, Indian Territory, March 18, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Francis Fiske for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

WILLIAM AVLESTON, SECRETARY.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 23, 1903.

Francois Hicks,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

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Charles Morris,

Indian Territory

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1906,  
concerning your application for a new allotment of land in the  
Indian Territory of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

John M. Smith,  
Chairman.

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Enclosure.

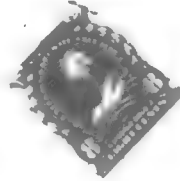


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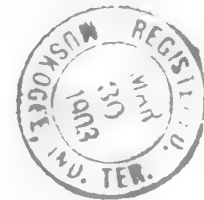
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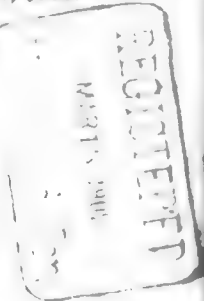
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Mr. Francis Hicks,

Winito, Indian Territory.



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Anna E. Lamer

Trans. from D#54

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washn, D.C., September 27, 1906.

In the latter of the application for the enrollment of Annie E. Lauer and her brothers and sisters as Cherokee by blood. 4

South Birmingham, being owned and managed by Commissioner  
Brockmeyer, testified as follows:

Q How old are you? A I am 35.  
Q What is your present office? A Farmer.  
Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.  
Q Now as to you want to have put on the roll, you want to have some children, do you? A Yes, sir.  
Q How many children? A Five.  
Q Are they your children? A Yes, sir.  
Q How do you not apply for yourself? A I married a white man.  
Q You married out of your rights? A Yes, sir; his name was

Q Give me please the names of those children, and their ages?

Q Anne Lester, 15 years old.  
Q The next child? A Frank Lester, 12 years old.  
Q The next child? A Frank Lester, 11 years old.  
Q The next child? A George, 11 years old.  
Q They are twins? A Yes, sir.  
Q The next child? A Mary Lester, 9 years old.  
Q These children are all living now are they? A Yes, sir.  
Q Give me the name of the father of these children? A Frank Lester  
Charles or White man? A Charles.  
Q Is he dead, is he? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did he die? A Two years ago.  
Q Was he a Native of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you marry him? A 14 years ago in November.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A No, sir.  
Q Did you live with him from the time of your marriage until he  
died? A Yes, sir.

Q And lived all the time in the District of Columbia? A Yes, sir.  
Q When was District was he enrolled in 1969? A Delaware District.  
Q Were you enrolled with him in 1969? A Yes, sir.  
Q From Delaware? A Yes, sir.

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2. And your best old man is working in the home? A. Yes, sir.  
3. How often would you go to the home to see him? A. It is

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*C. H. Brown*

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1 On 1896 Roll as Annie Elizabeth Lamar.  
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Evidence of living Lamars, divorce  
 wife to be supplied.

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I.T., October 9, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Anne H. Lamar for enrollment and for enrollment of her brothers and sisters as Cherokee by blood; (Applied for September 27th, 1900.)

SARAH BIRDSONG, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Appearance:

W.V. Hastings, for the Cherokee Nation.

Q What is your name? A Sarah Birdsong, is my name now.

Q How old are you? A Ma?

Q Yes? A 34 years old.

Q What is your post-office? A Fairland.

Q Live in Delaware District? A Yes sir.

Q Are you the mother of Frank? A Yes sir.

Q And Vaudie? A Yes sir.

Q And Maudie? Lamar? A Yes sir.

Q And Riley Lamar? A Yes sir.

Q And Annie? A Yes sir.

BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q Were you married before you married Ewing Lamar? A Yes sir, I was told you once I was.

Q What was your first husband's name? A Sam Phillips.

Q Where did you marry him? A Married him in Arkansas.

Q How long did you live with him? A About 3 months.

Q Did he die or did you separate from him? A No sir, they sent him to the penitentiary.

Q Sent him to the penitentiary? A Yes sir, for 5 years.

Q How when did they send him to the penitentiary? A That had been about 20 years ago, near about 20.

Q That's while you were living with him as his wife? A Yes sir.

Q You never had any legal divorce from him other than just the fact that they sent him to the penitentiary? A No sir, I went right to Fayetteville and got a divorce.

Q You remember when you got that? A No sir, I don't, but it was right away after he left.

Q Did you have any children when you married Ewing Lamar? A No sir.

Q You had never had any? A No sir, none only by him.

Q Had you secured the divorce before you married Ewing Lamar or afterwards? A Yes sir, I had it when we was married.

Q You had already gotten it? A Yes sir 5 years ago.

Q And you had never married again until you married Ewing? A Yes sir.

Q Can you give me the exact time of your marriage to Ewing Lamar?

A I think not; that man there can't see John Ewing sitting yonder.

Q Well do you know when you married him, what year? A No sir, I can't, let me see, we have been married 15 years last November.

Q That's 16 this coming November month is it? A Yes sir.

Q Then you were married in 1885? A (No reply)

Q Well now, do you know the exact date of the birth of Annie, your oldest child? A She is 14 years old, this is at September.

Q She was born then 2 months before you married Ewing? A No, she wasn't; you have got it wrong; we was married just 11 months when she was born.

Q Now you said that she was almost 16 didn't you? A Yes sir.

Q Then you said you would not have been married to him 16 years until this coming November; that is a mistake is it? A Yes sir. I guess it is; you see-

Q Just want to get the straight of 16; that's all? A Well, wait and let me tell you; it will be 17 years the 9th day of November.

Q When you married him? A Yes sir.



Anna B. Lamar 2

Q Who married you? A Fellow named Kirkpatrick.

Q Where? A Here in the Territory.

Q Was this man yonder present when you married him? A Yes sir.

JOHN EVANS, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A John Evans.

Q What is your age, Mr. Evans? A 56.

Q What is your post-office? A Fairland.

Q Are you a Cherokee citizen? A Yes sir.

Q By blood? A No sir.

Q By intermarriage? A Yes sir, adopted citizen.

Q Do you know Sarah Birdsong? A Yes sir.

Q What relation is she to you? A None.

Q Did you know her husband, Ewing Lamar? A Yes sir.

Q You know when they were married? A Yes sir.

Q When? A I couldn't give you the date precisely, married about '84 I think, somewhere along there.

Q Were you present at the marriage? A Yes sir.

Q Who married them? A Fellow name of Kirkpatrick.

Q You know her oldest child, Anna? A Yes sir.

Q You know when Anna was born? A Yes sir.

Q When? A I couldn't give you the date.

Q Was it after their marriage? A Yes sir.

Q Are you positive of that? A Yes sir.

Q You have known this family intimately have you? A This woman?

Q Yes sir, and her family? A Yes sir, I got acquainted with her ever since she was, (indicating a certain height.)

BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q Mr. Evans, did she have any children when they married? A No sir.

Q Now you think it was in '84? A Yes somewhere along right in there; I said then married.

Applicant, SARAH BIRDSONG, re-called, and further examined:  
BY MR. HASTINGS:

Q Now I want to know, Mrs. Birdsong, if you know the exact age of that oldest child Anna, the exact date of its birth? A No sir, it has slipped my mind; I could have fetched it.

Q Do you know that she is 16 now? A Yes sir.

Q You swear that? A Yes sir.

Q You are positive about it? A Yes sir.

Q In September? A Yes sir, worth she be, Uncle John? (Speaking to witness)

Witness: She is somewhere right along there; course I don't know the dates, because I wasn't interested.

Applicant: Well, I have got it set down at home; it has slipped my mind.

BY COM' R NEEDLES:

Q Did Ewing have the divorce from Jane before you married him?

A I don't know; he always told me he had one; and when this came up I had this got. (Referring to paper.) I never did see one.

Witness, JOHN EVANS, re-called and further examined;  
BY COM' R NEEDLES:

Q But you are satisfied, Mr. Evans, that Anna was born after Ewing and Mrs. Birdsong were married? A Yes sir.

Q Do you recollect about how long after? A Something toward a year.

SARAH BIRDSONG, re-called and further examined:

By COM' R NEEDLES:

Q Now, Mrs. Birdsong, could you send over there to Arkansas and get a copy of your divorce? A Yes sir.



Anne E. Lamar &

Q Well, you had better do that. You need not bring it. You can send it to us by mail.

COM'N EXHIBIT. It appears from the testimony taken in this case, and the judgment rendered on the 15th day of September, 1901, that in order that the children appear to be listed for enrollment as Cherokees by blood, it was found necessary that satisfactory proof be made of the divorce obtained of Ewing Lamar, father of said children, from his first wife, Jennie Lamar, which at that time was not made. And now come Sarah Lamar, mother of said children, and as satisfactory proof of said divorce having been granted, the certificate of same being certified to by B. W. Ainsworth, Assistant Executive Secretary and under the Great Seal of the Cherokee Nation, which will appear to make complete the record as to the right of said children for enrollment as Cherokees by blood.

It will be necessary for Mrs. Birdsong also to file a certified copy of divorce from her first husband; the testimony having developed the fact that she was married before she married Lamar, the father of the children.

BY MR. HASTINGS: The Representatives of the Cherokee Nation call particular attention to the date of the divorce of Ewing Lamar from his wife, Jennie, and the date of the alleged marriage of the mother of these children to Ewing Lamar.

M. D. Olson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this October 18th, 1901.

Commissioner.

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BY MR. HASTINGS: The Representative of the Cherokee

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The above case called twice at the last May term Ct. Ct.  
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of Plaintiff, this the 11 Sept. 1886.

T.J. McGhee,  
Clerk Del. Dist.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah I.T.

I, B.W. Alberty, assistant Executive secretary  
of the Cherokee Nation do hereby certify that the above is a true  
copy taken from the record for Civil cases for the Circuit  
Court of Delaware District Cherokee Nation now filed in this  
Office and in my custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the  
2nd day of September 1901.

*B.W. Alberty*

Assistant Executive secretary  
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## Conclusion



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Annie E., Frank, Vauda, Maudie and James R. Lamar, as citizens by  
blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

On September 27, 1900, Sarah Birdsong appeared before the  
Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for the  
enrollment of her minor children, Annie E., Frank, Vauda, Maudie and  
James R. Lamar, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further  
proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Vinita, In-  
dian Territory, on October 9, 1901.

The evidence shows that the minor applicants are the chil-  
dren of Sarah Birdsong, a white woman, and Ewing Lamar, a Cherokee,  
who is identified on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880, and the  
applicants are therefore the descendants of said Ewing Lamar, born  
since the date of that roll. All the applicants are identified on the  
Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the applicants resided with  
their parents in the Cherokee Nation, until the death of their said  
father two years prior to the date of this application, and their re-  
sidence on June 28, 1898, is therefore considered to be established  
in said nation.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Annie  
E. Lamar, Frank Lamar, Vauda Lamar, Maudie Lamar and James R. Lamar,  
should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in ac-  
cordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Con-  
gress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
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United States of America

Indian Territory,

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Northern District

Sarah J. Birdsong, being by me first duly sworn on her oath says that Anna E. Lamar, her daughter departed this life about the 8th day of January, <sup>1903</sup> aged 18, years intestate, and that she died at the affiant's house in Delaware District in the Cherokee Nation Indian Territory, and affiant says that she is the same Anna E. Lamar who appears on the Cherokee roll as no 10815.

Sarah J. Birdsong

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th. day of Oct. 1905.

My commission expires June, 16 1907

William C. Vantroy

Notary public.

Jesse E. Birdsong, being first duly sworn, says that he has read the above affidavit of Sarah J. Birdsong and that he has personal knowledge of the facts stated therein and knows that they are true and correct.

Jesse E. Birdsong

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th. day of October, 1905.

William C. Vantroy

My commission expires, June, 16, 1908,

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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY I. DANFEL,  
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THOMAS C. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRACKENRIDGE,  
ALLISON L. AYLWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 11, 1902

Mrs. Sarah Birdsong,

Fairland, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of Anna E., Frank, Vanda, M.  
and James R. Lamar

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the  
27th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney,  
when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your applica-  
tion.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same  
time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enroll-  
ment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such  
testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with certified  
copy of decree of divorce from Sam Phillips.


Yours truly,

Cherokee D-484  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 7, 1902.

Mrs. Sarah Birdsong,

Fairland, Indian Territory.

Madam:

You have failed to furnish this Commission with a certified copy of the decree of divorce from your husband Sam Phillips, and the certificate of your marriage to Buing Lamar, or a copy thereof.

These papers are important in the consideration of your application for the enrollment of your children, Anna, Frank, Maudie and Jesse A. Lamar, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to supply the Commission with them before May 22, 1902.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge,

Registrar.

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Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 18, 1903.

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Sarah Birdsong for the enrollment of her minor children, Annie B., Frank, Vanda, Maudie and James E. Lamar, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James O. Smith

Chairman.

Enc. N-322

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1901.

Sarah Birdsong,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the Decision of the  
 Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901.  
 Granting your application for the enrollment of your five minor  
 children, Annie H., Frank, Vanda, Maudie and James H. Lewis, as  
 citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

T. J. Lewis,  
 Chairman.

Enc. H-42.

Register.

Madison, Idaho Territory, May 19, 1903

Joseph J. Birdseye,

Idaho Territory,

Dear Madam:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of a check  
amounted by yourself and James E. Birdseye, relative to  
the death of your daughter, Annie E. Lamar, in which you  
state that she died about January 2, 1903.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I.T., October 2, 1900.

IN the matter of the application of William W. Fields for the enrollment of himself and children as Cherokees by blood, and his wife as a Cherokee by intermarriage: being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William W. Fields.  
Q What is your age? A 41.  
Q What is your post office address? A Bluejacket.  
Q What district do you live in? A Delaware.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, a Cherokee.  
Q What degree of blood? A 1/8.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Me and my family.  
Q What is the name of your father? A George.  
Q He living? A Yes, sir.  
Q The name of your mother? A Mary.  
Q She living? A No, sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Sarah A.  
Q She a citizen by blood? A No, sir.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Hedley.  
Q What is her age? A She is 35 I believe.  
Q Have you a certificate of marriage? A Here it is.  
(Applicant presents satisfactory certificate of marriage, certifying that he married one Sarah A. Hedley, a citizen of the United States, on the 26th of September, 1891.)  
Q Have you any children? A Yes, sir.  
Q What are the names of your children? A Jesse, 12 years old.  
Q The next one? A Birdie, 10 years old.  
Q The next one? A Bora, 8 years old.  
Q What is the next one? A Ella, 7 years old.  
Q Next one? A Eugene, 6 years old.  
Q Next one? A Howard H., 5 years old.  
Q The next one? A Gladah, 3 months old.  
Q Any others? A I have the more that isn't on this list with my children enrolled here, you will find them on the 1898 roll.  
Q Are they your children? A Yes, sir.  
Q What are their names? A Louella, 17 years old.  
Q The next one? A Edward, 9 years old.  
Q These children all alive and living with you? A They are all living with me except Eddie and Louella.  
Q They living in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q What are the names of the mothers of these children, Sarah A.? A All these here is Sarah; the first mother of the children was Nellie Fitzgerald, I have been married twice.  
Q She living? A Yes, sir.  
Q She a white person? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage as to her? A No, sir, I never brought it, I have one at home.  
Q You and Nellie are not living together? A No, sir.  
Q When did you marry her.  
(The applicant presents a marriage certificate certifying that he was married to one Miss Nellie Fitzgerald, a non citizen of the United States, in the state of Missouri, according to the laws of the United States, on the 5th day of October, 1875, and he avers that the said Nellie Fitzgerald is the mother of his children, Edward, Louella and Jesse.)  
Q You say that Jesse Fields now, and Louella Fields and Edward Fields are the children of your former wife, Nellie Fitzgerald?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q And you married Sarah A. Hedley in 1891? A Yes, sir.  
Q Who was the mother of her? A Sarah A. Hedley.



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Q Your mother's name does not appear on the roll of 1880? A No, sir, she has been dead for years.

Q Was she dead before 1880? A Yes, sir, she died when I was quite small.

Q Is your present wife's middle name Ann? A Yes, sir.

(Sarah A. Fields on 1880 roll, page 872, No. 100, Annie Fields, Delaware District. Jesse Fields on 1880 roll, page 409, No. 1066, Delaware District. Birdie Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1067, Bird Fields, Delaware District. Dora Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1068, Delaware District. Della Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1069, Delaware District. Eugene Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1070, Delaware District. Louella Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1108, Lou Fields, Delaware District. Edward Fields on 1880 roll, page 408, No. 1107, Eddie Fields, Delaware District.)

Q Your former wife isn't on the roll of 1880, you got this divorce in 1891? A No, sir.

Q Have you got any proof of birth as to your youngest two children?

(Applicant presents proof of birth as to Edward E. and Gladah Fields.)

Q Have you got any proof now to offer as to your citizenship?

A My uncle is here, Bud Fields.

Q Well, you have got to prove that you are entitled to citizenship, you have got to prove that your mother was a Cherokee citizen by blood, and that she was married to your father, or if she wasn't a Cherokee citizen, that she was married to your father.

M. Daniels, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A M. Daniels.

Q What is your age? A 55.

Q What is your post office address? A Vinita.

Q Do you know William W. Fields? A Yes, sir.

Q Did you know his mother, Mary? A I don't remember whether I do or not; yes, sir, I was acquainted with her.

Q Was she a Cherokee citizen by blood? A Yes, sir, she was recognized as a Cherokee by blood, her mother was a Cherokee.

Q Do you know when she died? A No, sir, I don't know when she died, I haven't been living near him, I only meet him occasionally.

Q His mother, Mary, then you know to be a Cherokee by blood?

A Yes, sir.

Q What degree of blood? A I guess she was about 1/4, I don't know.

Q Her father you say was a white man? A Yes, sir.

Q Was Mary's mother an Indian? A Yes, sir, she was an Indian, Cherokee.

The name of William W. Fields appears upon the census roll of 1880. He makes proof of his marriage to one Sarah A. Hedley, in the year 1881, and proof of the same is filed herewith. The name of his children, Jesse, Birdie, Dora, Della, and Eugene are found upon the census roll of 1880; also the names of his children, Louella and Eddie. He makes satisfactory proof as to the birth of his two younger children, Edward E. and Gladah. He swears that his child, Eddie, was born to him before his marriage with his present wife, who is a non citizen. He swears that he was married to one Nellie Fitzgerald in the year 1870, according to the laws of the State of Missouri, she being a non citizen. He makes proof of his divorce from said wife, said divorce having been granted on the 8th of September, 1891, and swears that he married his present wife on the 13th day of September, 1891. The certificate of marriage which he presents isn't specific as to the date of the marriage of his second wife, it merely stating that they were married in the month of September, but he swears it was on the 13th of September, four days





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and his wife, Sarah, were taken as prisoners, the abduction of his child being a very suspicious one, and should be placed upon a doubtful case, waiting further proof of the ownership of the said child. His wife's name will be entered upon said card as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage and the name of himself and his children as Cherokee citizens by blood.

Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) T. B. Needles.

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Arthur A. Crookinger, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he made the foregoing copy, and that the same is a true and complete copy of the original transcript.

Arthur Croninger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of October, 1901.

*Edwards*  
Commissioner.



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North District

Jackson Territory September 24, 1900

Before me a Notary public in and  
for said District said James H. McElh  
of the Cherokee Nation  
who by me after Being duly sworn  
states that he did in the year of 1891


perform the Marriage Ceri-  
mony between Miss Sarah A. Hays  
a citizen of the United States and  
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Sworn to and subscribed Before  
me on this the Day and Date  
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J. B. Jones  
Notary Public

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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*IN RE*

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Harold E. Fields*

as a citizen of the

*Winokke*

Nation.

Approved, OCT 2 - 1900

*[Signature]*  
Secretary.DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Howard E. Fields, born on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of Feb, 1897  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: William W. Fields, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Sarah A. Fields, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Wauyadot Ind.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY

District.

I, Sarah A. Fields, on oath state that I am 35  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of William W. Fields, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of Feb, 1897; that said child has been  
named Howard E. Fields, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Whitesmen.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Oct, 1902.

M. M. Mullen

NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDIAN TERRITORY.

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I, Maria E. Holden, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Sarah A. Fields, wife of William W. Fields,  
on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of Feb, 1897; that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Howard E. Fields.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

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Whitesmen.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Oct, 1902.

Maria E. Holden

M. M. Mullen

NOTARY PUBLIC.

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Wladak Lewis*

as a citizen of the

*Sherokee*

Nation.

Approved,

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Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Clotah Hicks, born on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1900  
(Have lastly, each of child.)  
Name of Father: William W. Hicks, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Sarah A. Hicks, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Blueprint S.S.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
North District.

I, Sarah A. Hicks, on oath state that I am 30  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of William W. Hicks, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1900; that said child has been  
named Clotah, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

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(Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Oct, 1900

N. M. Miller  
Notary Public  
My Comm. expires 1902

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
North District.

I, Marcel E. Halden, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Sarah A. Hicks, wife of William W. Hicks,  
on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1900; that there was born to her an  
said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Clotah.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:

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(Witnesses)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Oct, 1900

N. M. Miller  
Notary Public  
My Comm. expires 1902

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Vinita, I.T. October 2nd, 1900.

GEORGE FIELDS, Being sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A George Fields.  
Q What is your age? A About sixty-two.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Southwest City.  
Q Do you know William Fields? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of William Fields father? A George Fields.  
Q Are you his father? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was his mother's name? A Mary Fields.  
Q Was she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q A citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where was William Fields born? A On Honey Creek.  
Q Why is his name not on the 1880 roll? A Why he was moving at that time, and he was down on Honey Creek after a lead while they was taking the census up there, and when he got back up into Cooweescoowee they was through, and he wrote to me to give his name down here but I ~~misheard~~ never got the letter until it was too late.  
Q He was born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q He has never lived out of it? A No, sir.  
Q He was here in 1880 to your certain knowledge? A Yes, sir.  
Q And you assert as a reason that he had moved from Delaware to Cooweescoowee District just about the time the census was being taken? A Yes, sir.  
Q You know of your personal knowledge he has not lived out of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q You are his father, and your wife, who was a Cherokee by blood, is his mother? A Yes, sir.

Witness excused.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and other proceedings at the Supplemental hearing of the above mentioned application, and that the foregoing is a correct and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of October A. D. 1900.

Commissioner.



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DEPARTMENT OF  
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ARTHUR CHAPMAN

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washoe, I.T., February 25, 1903.

In the matter of the application of William W. Fields for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

Represented by J. R. Sequitchie, Cherokee, I. T.  
Cherokee Nation represented by W. W. Hastings.

The applicant was notified February 12, 1903, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its office in Washoe, Indian Territory, on the 20th day of February, 1903. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to wit the 20th day of February, 1903, appears in person and by his agent, J. R. Sequitchie.

COMMISSION: Is there any statement you desire to make relative to this application?

MR. SEQUITCHIE: No, sir, we have a certificate of marriage to his first wife, and a decree of divorce in the same case.

COMMISSION: There is offered in evidence a certificate from S. S. Satter, Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of the County of McDonald, State of Missouri, certifying that Miss Nellie Fitzgerald and William Fields were united in matrimony by Thomas A. Marshall, Justice of the Peace, on the 5th day of October, 1893. There is also offered in evidence the original decree of divorce signed by U. V. Dunge, Circuit Judge Northern Judicial Circuit, Cherokee Nation, showing that on the 9th day of September, 1901, a divorce was granted to W. W. Fields from his wife, Nellie Fields.

COMMISSION: Do you submit the case to the Commission for consideration?

MR. SEQUITCHIE: Yes, sir.

COMMISSION: The Agent for the applicant and the representatives of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case to the Commission. The case is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for a final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

Arthur C. Cronin, being duly sworn, states that he is a member of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full the proceedings in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Arthur C. Cronin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1903.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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State of Missouri }  
County of McDonald }

This certifies that William  
Fields of Cherokee Nation I. I. and  
Mollie Fitzgerald of Cherokee Nation I.  
were at My Residence in said County  
by Me joined together in Holy Matrimony  
on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our  
Lord one thousand Eight hundred and  
Seventy nine.

Thos A. Marshall

In Presence of  
A. Kirk

Justice of the Peace

A. C. Harvey

Filed Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 1879

A. M. Dillin

Recorder:

State of Missouri }  
County of McDonald }

I S. H. Butter Circuit  
Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder hereby certify  
that the within and foregoing is a true &  
copy as the same appears of Record in  
My Office.

Witness My hand and Seal of  
Office this the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1897

S. H. Butter  
Circuit Clerk and  
Ex-officio Recorder

In Helwan Circuit Court  
regular Sept Term, 1891  
Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1891.

Court came and according to  
adjudgment. Hon. Lee Bee  
presiding.

Case of Mr. W. Fields  
vs. Nellie Fields  
for divorce & custody of the  
children <sup>Wm.</sup> Nellie, Lee, Jessie and  
Eddie Fields.

Both parties answer and  
admit & defend and come to  
judgment for divorce.

It is therefore ordered &  
adjudged by the Court that  
the divorce be granted as prayed  
for and that the custody of  
the youngest child Eddie be given  
to the mother Nellie Fields and  
that the child Jessie be given  
into the custody of the father W. W.  
Fields and that the other two  
children Nellie Fields and  
Lee Fields be left in the custody  
of both parents with privilege  
of making their home absolutely  
with each and that the father  
W. W. Fields be required to see



flex and provide for the  
education of the two said  
children viz. Mollie & Lura  
Hilds.

By agreement of the said  
Mollie & Lura Hilds. they have  
brought as counsel by the brought  
to court

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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George Circuit  
For the Judicial  
Circuit  
D. N.

Witness  
J. d. M.

By the undersigned

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*IN RE*

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Amey Fields*

as a citizen of  
CHEROKEE NATION.

MAR 7 1902

Approved *C. H. Anderson*  
Commissioner.

For Sale by Leader Printing Co., Vinita.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
 of Inez Fields, born on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 1902  
 (here insert name of child)  
 Name of Father: William H. Fields, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
 Name of Mother: Sarah A. Fields, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
 Post-office, Blue Jacket St

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, Sarah A. Fields, on oath state that I am 36  
 years of age and a citizen, by adoption of the Cherokee Nation;  
 that I am the lawful wife of William H. Fields, who is a citizen, by  
Blood, of the Cherokee Nation, that a Female child was  
 (male or female)  
 born to me on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 1902 that said child has been  
 named Inez Fields, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1902  
Monmiller  
June 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1902 NOTARY PUBLIC

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, Mary E. Blalock, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
 attended on Mrs. Sarah A. Fields, wife of W. H. Fields  
 on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 1902, that there was born to her on  
 said date a Female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
 (male or female)  
 named Inez Fields.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1902  
Monmiller  
June 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1902 NOTARY PUBLIC

Sherokee D-480.

In the matter of the Affidavit of T. J.  
McGhee.

Affidavit of S. F. Parks.

S. F. Parks being first duly sworn states: I am a  
Notary Public. My Commission dates from September 25th  
1900 and will expire September 25th 1904. If any affi-  
davits made before me since the 25th day of September  
1900 show that my Commission expires September 25th 1900,  
it is a mistake. In the affidavit of T. J. McGhee, the  
Ex. Clerk shows that my Commission expires September 25th.  
1900, it is an error on my part. I know no reason why  
I would have written the year 1900 when I should have  
written 1904, except that I had been accustomed to writing  
the year 1900 as my old Commission had expired shortly  
before September 26th. 1900. The affidavit should  
show that my Commission expires September 25th 1904.

S. F. Parks

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 12th  
day of May A. D. 1902.

Geo. E. McCallahan

Notary Public.

My Commission expires 4-22-1903.

Check No. B-480.

Attest:

Notary

In the presence of the following:



D-480  
Cherokee

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T.

In the matter of the application of Sarah Fields for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation, and for the enrollment of her husband William W. Fields, and her children Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard E., Cleah, Lamelle, Edward and Ines, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee nation.

Sarah A. Fields, called as a witness, being first duly sworn by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q Your name is Sarah A. Fields? A Yes sir.  
Q How old are you? A About 36.  
Q What is your postoffice address address? A Blue Jacket, I. T.  
Q Are you a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A William W. Fields.  
Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has your husband been living in the Cherokee nation? A I guess he came here when he was quite a little child, only 2 or 3 years old.  
Q Has he been living in the Cherokee nation ever since? A Yes sir.  
Q You are claiming citizenship through him? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A Married in 1892.  
Q Is William W. Fields your first husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you his first wife? A No sir.  
Q How often had you been married before he married you? A Once.  
Q What was his first wife's name? A Nellie.  
Q Was she a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she dead or living? A She is living.  
Q Were they divorced? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know if a copy of the decree of divorce has been filed with this Commission? A Yes, it has been filed.  
Q What year were they divorced? A They were divorced in 1891.  
Q Before you married him? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you and your husband been living together ever since you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q You have never been separated? A No sir.  
Q And are living together now? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children have you by your husband William W. Fields? A I have seven.  
Q You have seven by this husband? A Yes sir.  
Q What are their names? A Bertie.  
Q Who is the oldest? A Bertie is the oldest.  
Q How old is he? A Eleven years.  
Q Are you sure it is Bertie? Don't it Jesse? A That's the name he goes by; Jesse is his right name.  
Q Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard E., Cleah, Lamelle-- A That's one of his first wife's children.  
Q And is Emma his first wife's child? A Yes sir.  
Q They are all your children except two of these children I have named? A Yes, those is six of mine, and the others is his by his first woman.  
Q Who is Cleah? A She is mine.  
Q Is Ines yours? A Yes.  
Q This Jesse? A Jesse is his first wife's child.  
Q There are six of these children yours, and three by his first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children living? A Yes sir.  
Q And your husband is living? A Yes sir.

Frances R. Lane upon oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes she recorded correctly the proceedings in the above entitled case, and the foregoing is an accurate transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this Oct. 22nd, 1909

Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

In the matter of the application of Sarah A. Fields for the appointment of her son, Martha (Child of William Fields) as a deputy of the Five Civilized Tribes.

Sarah A. Fields, called as a witness, being first duly sworn by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Sarah A. Fields.
- Q How old are you? A 36 years.
- Q What is your postoffice? A Blue Jacket, I.T.
- Q Are you a citizen of the United States? A No, just an adopted citizen.
- Q How are you a citizen by law? A Yes sir.
- Q Do you say you want to make application for a child? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the child's name? A Martha Fields.
- Q How old is it? A She is about 10 years old.
- Q Are you the mother of that child? A I am.
- Q Who is its father? A W. W. Fields.
- Q W. Fields is your husband, is he not? A Yes sir.
- Q Did you and W. W. Fields married at the time this child was born? A Yes sir.
- Q When were you married? A We was married in 1891.
- Q And the child was born when? A 1890.
- Q Had you ever made application for this child before? A No, I never did.
- Q Where is this child now? A She is living with us.
- Q Has Martha Fields lived in the Commission since all her life? A Yes.
- Q What haven't you made application for this child before this? A I haven't been a good many told me there was no use, and I just neglected it and didn't see about it.
- Q When did Field's first wife die? A She was never died; they was separated.
- Q When were separated when? A I don't know.
- Q How many years before you was married? A They had been separated about two years.
- Q This child was born a year before you married him? A Not a year before, but a year after.
- Q Now, Fields was charged with the child as well? A Yes sir.
- Q Is Martha Fields the only child of the father and mother? A Yes.
- Q Yes, I think she was charged; she has been charged in the past. I don't know the names of the other.
- Q What was your name before you married? A Sarah A. Fields.

I, William H. Fields, being duly sworn, depose that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and correctly witnessed the testimony in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1902.

William H. Fields.

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1. The first part of the report is a summary of the work done during the year.

2. The second part is a detailed account of the work done during the year.

3. The third part is a summary of the work done during the year.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, I. T., December 22, 1902.

In the matter of the application of William V. Fields for the enrollment of himself and his children Jesse, Dora, Eugene, Howard E., Cleah, Louella, Edward and Inez Fields as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

of this Commission shows that William V. Fields is included thereon as follows:

Tax roll of 1883, page 31, #728, Cooweescoowee District, as William Fields, age 25;

Tax roll of 1886, page 43, #851, Cooweescoowee District, as William Fields, age 26;

Census roll of 1890, page 36, #1896, Cooweescoowee District, as William Fields, age 32;

Strip payment roll of 1894, page 102, #1452, Cooweescoowee District, as William Fields, age 34.

It is directed that copies of this statement be filed with and made a part of the record in this case.

*W. H. Harrison*  
Commissioner



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Vinita, I. T. JAN 21 1903 A. D. 1900

*This is to certify that the names of the following persons :*

Represented by Nellie Fields, Mother.

*In the event that said persons are finally enrolled as citizens of said Nation, a certificate of citizenship in the usual form will be issued.*

THE COMMISSION TO THE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

**Enrollment Clerk.**

## ACTING CHAIRMAN

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COMMISSION TO THE PRESIDENT

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**CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT OFFICE.**

Vinita, I. T. JAN 21 1903 A. D. 190

*This is to certify that the names of the following persons :*

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In the event that said persons are finally enrolled as citizens of said Nation, a certificate of citizenship in the usual form will be issued.

THE COMMISSION TO THE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of William W. Fields, for the enrollment of himself, and his minor children, Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard E., Cleadah, Louella, Edward and Inez Fields, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

DECISION

The record in this case shows that on October 2, 1900, William W. Fields appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard E., Cleadah, Louella, Edward and Birdie Fields, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Birdie Fields has been differently classified, and is not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 28, and October 20, 1902. On March 7, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for Inez Fields, a child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

The evidence shows that William W. Fields is a Cherokee Indian. He is not identified on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880, having been moving from one district to another during the preparation of that roll and was missed by the census takers, but he is identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1885 and 1894, and on the Cherokee Census rolls of 1890 and 1896.

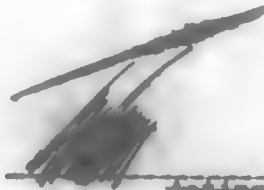
The evidence further shows that William W. Fields was first married on October 5, 1879, to one Nellie Fitzgerald, a white woman, and that he was divorced from her on September 9, 1891. His present wife, Sarah A. Fields, was married to him on September 13, 1891, Sarah A. Fields being a white woman.

Jesse, Louella and Edward Fields are the children of the principal applicant by his first wife. The other six children are the issue of his marriage to his second wife, Sarah A. Fields. Inez Fields, having been born since the date of the original application, is duly identified by a birth affidavit made a part of the record herein. Sarah A. Fields and the six older children are identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The three youngest children are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

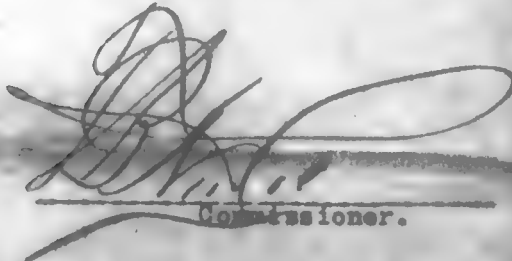
The evidence further shows that William W. Fields has resided in the Cherokee Nation from childhood and that he and his wife, Sarah A. Fields, lived together in said Nation from the date of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902. The minor children herein are considered to have resided in said Nation all their lives.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that William W. Fields, Jesse Fields, Dora Fields, Della Fields, Eugene Fields, Howard E. Fields, Cleadah Fields, Louella Fields, Edward Fields and Inez Fields should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that Sarah A. Fields should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR-2 1903



**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.**  
**COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.**

**CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT OFFICE.**

*Vinita, I. T.*, I. T., MAR 13 1903 A. D. 190

To the Clerk in charge of the Cherokee Land Office:

This is to certify that the names of the following persons:

| Card Number. | NAME.             | Relationship to Person First Named. | Age. |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|------|
| D-480 ✓      | William W. Fields |                                     | 43   |
| D-480 ✓      | Samah A. Fields   | Wife                                | 37   |
| D-480 ✓      | Jesse Fields      | Son                                 | 14   |
| D-480 ✓      | Dora Fields       | Son                                 | 10   |
| D-480 ✓      | Della Fields      | Son                                 | 9    |
| D-480 ✓      | Engene Fields     | Son                                 | 7    |
| D-480 ✓      | Howard E. Fields  | Son                                 | 5    |
| D-480 ✓      | Wesley Fields     | Son                                 | 3    |
| D-480 ✓      | Oriz Fields       | Son                                 | 1    |

All appear upon the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes as applicants for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

In the event that said persons are finally enrolled as citizens of said Nation, a certificate of citizenship in the usual form will be issued.

THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

*[Signature]*

Enrollment Clerk.

*[Signature]*

Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIALIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT OFFICE.

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| D-480 ✓      | Emma A. Fields    | Wife                                | 37   |
| D-480 ✓      | Jesse Fields      | Son                                 | 14   |
| D-480 ✓      | Dora Fields       | Daughter                            | 10   |
| D-480 ✓      | Della Fields      | Daughter                            | 9    |
| D-480 ✓      | Engene Fields     | Son                                 | 7    |
| D-480 ✓      | Howard E. Fields  | Son                                 | 5    |
| D-480 ✓      | Leelah Fields     | Daughter                            | 3    |
| D-480 ✓      | Inez Fields       | Daughter                            | 1    |

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THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

*[Signature]*  
Enrollment Clerk.

*[Signature]*  
Chairman

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT OFFICE.

Tablequah I. T., May 2 A. D. 1904

To the Clerk in charge of the Cherokee Land Office:

This is to certify that the names of the following persons

| ROLL<br>NUMBER | CARD<br>NUMBER | NAME            | RE-<br>CORDED<br>TO<br>FIRST NAMED | AGE |
|----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----|
| 29198          | 10214          | Laurella Fields |                                    | 19  |
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All appear upon the records of the Commission to the Five Civilized  
Tribes as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Chairman.

*Bruce E. Jones*

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STATE OF KANSAS,  
County of Labette.

Office of Probate Judge of Said County.

Be It Remembered, That on the 8th day of May A. D. 1903, there was issued from the office of said Probate Judge a marriage license, of which the following is a true copy:

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Labette County, State of Kansas.

A. D. 1903

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:  
You Are Hereby Authorized to Join in Marriage

Robert F. Brown

of Indian Territory

County, aged 27

and Lue Fields

of Indian Territory

County, aged 19

and of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days

[SEAL]

Probate Judge.

And which said Marriage License was afterwards, to-wit, on the 8th day of May returned to said Probate Judge, with the following Certificate indorsed thereon, to-wit:

A. D. 1903.

STATE OF KANSAS,  
County of Labette, ss:

H. C. Burns

do hereby certify, that in

accordance with the authorization of the within License, I did, on the 8th day of May

A. D. 1903.

at Osawego

in said County, join and unite in marriage the above named

Robert F. Brown

and Lue Fields

WITNESS my hand and seal, this day and year above written

H. C. Burns

Probate Judge.

H. C. Burns  
Probate Judge

STATE OF KANSAS, Labette County, ss.

I, Samuel Bowman, Sole Judge of the Probate

Court of said County, do hereby certify that Samuel Bowman under the laws of the State of Kansas, by virtue of his office is now the clerk of said Court, and was the Clerk of the same at the time of making and subscribing the aforesaid certificate; that his signature thereto is genuine; that his attestation is in due form of law, and by the proper officer, and that the seal thereon affixed is the seal of said Probate Court.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 20th day of July

(SEAL)

STATE OF KANSAS, Labette County, ss.

I, Samuel Bowman, Probate Judge and ex officio

clerk of the Probate Court of Labette County, State of Kansas, do hereby certify that

Samuel Bowman is the duly qualified and acting Judge of said Court and that the signature to the above certificate is genuine and in his own proper handwriting

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Probate Court this 20th day of July A. D. 1903.

Samuel Bowman

Probate Judge and ex officio clerk of the Probate Court of Labette County, State of Kansas.

**AUTHENTICATION UNDER ACT OF CONGRESS.**

STATE OF KANSAS, }  
Labette County, } ss.

Office of Probate Judge of said County.

I, Samuel Bowman probate judge and ex-officio clerk  
of the Probate Court in and for said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy  
of the Marriage of Robert F. Grooms  
and Ene Fields

with the original records thereof now remaining in my office, and in my custody, and have found  
the same to be a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original records, and I  
further certify that said exemplification would be received in evidence in all the courts of the State of  
Kansas.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said  
Probate Court, at Oswego, in said county, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D., 1907

Samuel Bowman  
Sole Judge and Ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court of said County and State.

STATE OF KANSAS, Labette County, ss.

I, Samuel Bowman Sole Judge of the Probate  
Court of said County, do hereby certify that Samuel Bowman  
under the laws of the State of Kansas, by virtue of his office is now the clerk of said Court, and was the  
Clerk of the same at the time of making and subscribing the aforesaid certificate; that his signature  
thereon is genuine; that his attestation is in due form of law, and by the proper officer, and that the seal  
thereon affixed is the seal of said Probate Court.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D., 1907

(SEAL)

Samuel Bowman  
Sole Judge of the Probate Court of said County and State.

STATE OF KANSAS, Labette County, ss.

I, Samuel Bowman Probate Judge and ex-officio  
clerk of the Probate Court of Labette county, State of Kansas, do hereby certify that  
Samuel Bowman is the duly qualified and acting Judge of said Court  
and that the signature to the above certificate is genuine and in his own proper hand writing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said  
Probate Court this 20 day of July A. D., 1907

Samuel Bowman  
Probate Judge and Ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court of Labette County, Kansas.



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# Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

## DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William H. Benton    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Jenette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 206 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Palano      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Genie Fivokiller    | 867 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 246 | John F. Carden      | 961 |
| John W. Thurman      | 246 | William H. Burrow   | 997 |

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| Mary Pettit          | 977  |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 |
| William Hall         | 1137 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 |
| Tim Creeden          | 1513 |
| Odie Pidecock        | 1517 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1550 |

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| Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| James N. Whisenant  | 2118 |
| Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Ara L. Guinn        | 2169 |
| Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Thomas J. Menales   | 2192 |
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| Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Sarah Gritts        | 2256 |
| John A. Madden      | 2261 |
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| Matilda S. Cleland  | 2308 |
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| Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 |
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| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 |
| William Broadbus      | 2854 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 |
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| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 |
| Eliza O'Field         | 2977 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 |
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THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 4, 1896, in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BAKER,  
THOMAS S. HENRIKSEN,  
C. R. BROWN.

ALLISON L. AYLSWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 18,

1902

Mr. William W. Fields,

Blue Jacket, Indian Territory.

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and  
eight minor children

for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

20th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney,  
when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your applica-  
tion.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same  
time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enroll-  
ment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such  
testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with certifi-  
cate of marriage to first wife, Nellie; also certificate of divorce  
from first wife required.

Yours truly,

Cherokee-400  
Register.

Acting Chairman.

Charles J. ...

McKague, Indian Territory, May 8, 1902.

Mr. William W. Field,

Blue Jacket, Indian Territory.

Sir:

From an examination of the evidence relative to your marriage to your wife Sarah A. it appears that the affidavit of the Clerk who married you was made before S.F. Parks, a Notary public on September 25, 1900. It appears also from said affidavit that the Notary's Commission expired September 25, 1900, and that consequently the affidavit was made one day after the expiration of his Commission. It will be necessary for you to furnish other evidence of your said marriage, and for this purpose you are requested to appear before the Commissioner on or before May 20, 1902.

In the latter is important to give the same your prompt attention.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

Register.

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Cherokee Nation

Wahkogan, Indian Territory, March 12, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of William W. Fields for the enrollment of himself and his children, Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard E., Gladah, Leukla, Edward and Ines Fields, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

*Jams Dabby*

Chairman

Enc. N-132

Cherokee Nation.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

William W. Fields,

Blue Jacket, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your nine minor children, Jesse, Dora, Della, Eugene, Howard B., Gladah, Louella, Edward and Inez Fields, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by inter-marriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James J.  
Chairman.

Enc. H-40.

Register.

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Cherokee B-440.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1903.

J. R. Sequichie,

Agent for William V. Fields, et al.,

Chelsea, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of William V. Fields for the enrollment of himself and his nine minor children, Jesse, Bern, Della, Eugene, Edward B., Gladah, Louella, Edward and Ines Fields, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Sarah A. Fields, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

For the  
Chairman.

Enc. B-41.

Register.



Cherokee 10214

McKee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Sarah A. Fields,

Bluejacket, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Sarah A. Eason,

Bluejacket, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 25, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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1 of 11.

Madison, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

T. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Madison, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Council  
given to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 23, 1907,  
rejecting the application for the enrollment of John Wilson,  
et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was  
affirmed by the Department, January 23, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a  
copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Very truly yours,

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I. T., September 25, 1900.

In the matter of the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as Cherokee citizens; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, he testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A John W. Martin.  
Q What is your age? A About 51.  
Q What is your post office address? A Vinita.  
Q In what district do you live? A Coconino.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A I am about half.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A Myself, wife and children.

Q What is the name of your wife? A Nannie Martin.  
Q Is she a Cherokee citizen by blood? A No, sir.  
Q When did you marry her? A Here is the certificate; I can't remember. (Produces papers.)

Com'r Needles: The applicant presents certificate of marriage certifying that he was married to one Nannie Brackley on February 14, 1884.

Q Your wife is a white person? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Gabe Martin.  
Q Is he living? A No, sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Eliza Martin.  
Q Is she living? A No, sir.  
Q Your wife's mother and father are non-citizens? A Yes, sir.

Note: Applicant hands Commissioner list of his children and Commissioner reads as follows:

Nannie, fifteen years old; Harry, 9 years old; Walter, 6 years old; Gracie, 2 years old.

Applicant presents certificate of birth as to his youngest child Gracie.

Q Have these children got any middle names? A No, sir.  
Q Are they all alive and living with you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is your name on the roll of 1880? A I think not.  
Q Why? A I was in Muskogee I didn't get back soon enough I think, I came to this country in 1881.

Q Have you got a certificate of admission? A No, sir.

1880 roll examined for applicant and name not found.

1896 roll page 509 #2217 John W. Martin Delaware district.

Q Your father and mother not on the 1880 roll? A No, sir.

1894 roll page 434 #1984 John W. Martin, Delaware;

1894 roll page 434 #1987 Nannie Martin, Delaware;

1894 roll page 434 #1988 Harry Martin,

1894 roll page 434 #1989 Walter Martin,

1896 roll page for wife, 509 #340 Nannie Martin Delaware;

1896 roll page 509 #3320 Nannie Martin,

1896 roll page 509 #3321 Harry Martin,

1896 roll page 509, #3323 Walter Martin,

L. W. BUFFINGTON, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A L. W. Buffington.  
Q What is your age? A Forty-two.  
Q What district do you live in? A Delaware.

Q Do you know John W. Martin? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know anything about him being a Cherokee citizen?  
A Yes, sir, I know he is a Cherokee by blood.  
Q Did you know his father? A No, sir.  
Q Did you know his mother? A No, sir.  
Q What reason have you to believe he is a Cherokee by blood?  
A I knew his uncle, a brother of his father.  
BY CHAS. F. NEEDLES REP'VE W. W. HASTINGS:  
Q How long have you known this party? A Ever since 1882.  
Q Did you know him before that time? A No, sir.  
Q You know where he came from when he came here? A No, sir.  
Q You know where he was born and raised? A No, sir.  
Q You know why he wasn't on the roll of 1880? A No, sir.  
APPLICANT RE-CALLED, and examined by Chas. Rep'Ve Hastings:  
Q Where were you in 1880? A I think I was in Vinita. The latter part of 1880.  
Q How long did you live in Texas? A I went to Texas when I was about 17 or 18 years old, about '68 or '7 and I come back in '80, and I was at Muskogee the fore part of 1880 and I think I got to Vinita in the latter part of 1880.  
Q You are 51 years old now? A I was either born in 43 or '49.  
Q You were 30 years old when you returned? A About that.  
Q You never was re-admitted to citizenship? A No, sir, I never give up my citizenship; I drove a team to Texas for a man and when I got there I staid there.  
Q You staid there about 14 years? A About 13 years.  
Q Was your first wife a Cherokee? A No, sir.

Chas. F. Needles: The name of John W. Martin appears upon the census roll of 1896; he presents certified proof of his marriage to one Fannie Brackley, a white person, in the year 1884; the names of his children, Mamie, Harry and Walter, appear upon the census roll of 1896, as well as the pay roll of 1894; the name of John W. also appears upon the pay roll of 1894; his name does not appear upon the authenticated roll of 1880; he presents no certificate of re-admission, and testifies that he went to Texas and remained there some 13 years, coming back to the Territory in the year 1880 or 1887; final judgment as to the enrollment of said John W. Martin, and his wife Fannie and their children as enumerated in the testimony will be suspended, and their names will be placed upon a doubtful card.

M. D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

(Signed) M. D. Green.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of September, 1900.

(Signed) F. B. Needles,  
Commissioner.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY. Chas. F. Needles.

Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Vinita, I. T., May 22d, 1901.

In the matter of the enrollment of John W. Martin, et al., as

citizens of the Cherokee Nation, the following supplemental testimony is offered on the part of the applicants:

JAMES M. BELL, being sworn and examined by Commissioner C. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your name? A James M. Bell.
- Q How old are you? A 69 years old.
- Q What is your post office? A Needmore.
- Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.
- Q You are here I believe to give testimony in the case of John W. Martin and his family? A Yes, sir, and more particular in his behalf, I know but little about his family.
- Q In this case his family appear to depend upon his status? A Yes, sir; it is in his behalf.
- Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Since '39 with a very little exception, I went to school out of the country.
- Q You know John W. Martin, do you? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long have you known him? A Since a child three or four years old perhaps.
- Q Do you know his wife, Nancy? A No, sir, I don't know her.
- Q You are not acquainted with her at this time? A No, sir; that wife is not his present wife; I don't think I know his present wife.
- Q What is the name of his present wife? A I don't know what her given name is, but she is a white woman.
- Q You do know his present wife? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long has he been married to his present wife? A I think about 16 or 18 years, I am not positive as to the time, about as much as that.
- Q What was the name of his present wife when he married her? A I don't know that, she was a widow woman.
- Q Well, that corresponds to his statement; that his present wife is a white woman, that he has been married to her since '53, that would be some 16 years? A Yes, sir.
- Q How many times has John W. Martin been married? A Twice to my knowledge.
- Q Was his first wife dead when he married this woman? A Yes, sir.
- Q You say his present wife was a widow? A Yes, sir.
- Q How many times has she been married? A I don't know, sir, she has two children.
- Q By a former husband? A Yes, sir.
- Q Was that husband dead when she married Martin? A I think so, yes, sir; that is my understanding that her husband was dead.
- Q Is John W. Martin's father living? A No, sir.
- Q Has he been dead many years? A He has been dead since '52 I think.
- Q Is his mother living? A No, sir.
- Q Has she been dead many years? A She died about the same time.
- Q How old?
- Q Do you know where he was born? A He was born in Tahlequah district, or Flint, and I don't know which, his grandmother lived right where the High School, Colored High School.
- Q Have you always considered him a native Cherokee? A Yes, sir.
- Q Has he been recognized as a Cherokee by blood always? A Yes, sir.
- Q He went to Texas at one time did he not? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you know when that was? A He was about, he was hardly grown when he went there, 14 years old.
- Q Do you know where he went? A I don't know about what point in Texas he did go.
- Q Just only that he went to Texas? A Yes, sir.
- Q You meant to say that you only know he did go to Texas?



A Yes, sir; he went to Texas.

Q Do you know how long he stayed there? A He stayed there until after he was grown.

Q About how many years? A He learned his trade there, he is a Saddler, I suppose.

Q Did you know for what purpose he went to Texas? A He told me the purpose he went there for was to drive a wagon.

Q Just driving a wagon down there? A Just for another man, load of supplies I believe, hauled from this country to that.

Q That is the only purpose you know of? A Yes, sir.

Q And then stayed as you say for sometime after he had reached his majority? A I don't know that he had reached his majority or not; until after he had learned his trade.

Q The point is whether he had reached his majority when he came back? A I don't know that time that he was of age or nearly of age.

Q When did you see him soon after his return? A No, sir, I saw him after he came to this point here.

Q Do you mean Vinita? A Yes, sir.

Q When was that? A I think that was in '70; perhaps not as far back as that, perhaps '80 or '81.

Q Have you any knowledge of how long he was here when you saw him at that time? A No, sir.

Q Can you explain why he is not on the roll of 1880? A His absence from here was the only reason.

Q Only reason you know? A Yes, sir; but I think he was in the Territory, he was in the Creek Nation, I think at that time, he stopped at Muskogee.

Q What reasons have you to know that? A I had that from himself.

Q What did he tell you? A Told me he stopped in Muskogee and worked at his trade there.

Q Did he tell you how long he worked there? A No, sir, but he must have been there quite a while.

Q What means have you of knowing that? A None only.

Q That is just a supposition isn't it? A That he was there?

Q Yes? A I got that from himself.

Q What did he tell you? A He told me about, all I recollect about that is that he told me he stopped in Muskogee and worked his trade.

Q He didn't tell you how long? A No, sir.

Q Nor when he came? A No, sir.

BY W. W. HARTIS, Cherokee Representative:

Q You stated that John W. Martin was married twice to your knowledge; where was he married the first time? A I don't know that, he came here with a wife that died here.

Q You don't know how long he had been married? A Previous to that, no, sir; his oldest son, Charley, I suppose is 25 or 30 years old, I don't know how old he is.

Q His oldest son? A Is between 25 or 30 years old.

BY COMMISSIONER BRANTLEY:

Q Is he here? A No, sir, he is in town though.

J. O. Rosson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereat.

(Signed) J. O. Rosson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of May, 1901.

(Signed) C. R. Breckinridge,

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION,  
VINITA, I.T., November 2nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Cora Ellen Martin for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, and she being sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your name please? A Cora Ellen Martin.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty one.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Vinita.  
Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.  
Q Who is it you want to have put on the roll; yourself?  
A Myself.  
Q Just yourself? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you apply as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A About eighteen or nineteen years.  
Q Where did you live before that? A In Texas.  
Q Did you come from Texas eighteen or nineteen years ago with your father and mother? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me your fathers name please? A John W. Martin.  
Q He is living? A Yes sir.  
Q Your mother's name? A Laura Ellen Martin.  
Q Is she living or dead? A Dead.  
Q How long has she been dead? A She died in about 1884.  
Q She died after you came from - soon after you came from Texas?  
A Yes sir.

John W. Martin being called, sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

Q Give your name please? A John W. Martin.  
Q Your age? A I am about fifty one.  
Q Your Postoffice? A Vinita.  
Q Are you the father of this young lady? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you move here from Texas some eighteen or nineteen years ago with your family? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever live in the Cherokee Nation before that?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Are you on the roll of 1880? A No sir.  
Q Did you ever apply for admission to the Cherokee Commission or Council at Tahlequah for education for yourself and family?  
A No sir.  
Q Did you apply to the Dawes Commission in 1888, for admission for yourself and family? A I do not think I did; no sir.  
Q You were never admitted by the Dawes Commission, or the United States Court? A No sir.  
Q Was your wife a white woman or a Cherokee? A She was a white woman.  
Q Where were you born? A In the Cherokee Nation.  
Q When did you leave the Cherokee Nation first? A I left the Cherokee Nation - when I first left I think it was in 1882. I served in the United States army.  
Q After leaving, where did you live? A I came back to this country and lived here two or three years, then went to Texas.  
Q In what year after the war? A I think it was in 1868, or 1867.  
Q How long did you stay there? A I stayed there about seventeen or eighteen years.  
Q Did you stay there until you came here with your family some eighteen years ago? A Yes sir; I came to Muskogee and stayed a while; I think I moved here either in the fall of 1880, or the first part of 1881. We came here in the winter time.  
Q You have been living here ever since? A Yes sir.  
Q But you never applied for readmission to Cherokee citizenship?  
A No sir.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October, 1900.

[Signature]

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Name Vivita L.

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Married under what law

~~Date of marriage~~

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Wife's name

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Vinita D.

District

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Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law

Date of marriage

License

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Wife's name Cora E. Martin

District DELAWARE.

Year 1896 Page 509 No. 2219

Citizen by blood Yes.

Mother's citizenship

Jos M. Martin - c - l  
Laura L. " - w - d

Intermarried citizen No.

Married under what law

Date of marriage

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 28, 1902.

**SUPPLEMENTAL** in the matter of the enrollment of CORA E. MARTIN  
as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 18, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation was to be taken up for final consideration by the Commission on the 28th day of February, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 28th day of February, 1902, appears by her attorneys, Mallett & Smith, Vinita, Indian Territory.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee representative, present.

Mr. Mallett: The applicant in this case is the daughter of John W. Martin who applies for enrollment as a Cherokee citizenship on D. card 418 and asks that the testimony in that case be made part of the testimony in this case and copy thereof filed herewith.

Commission: The request of the attorney for applicant will be complied with.

The attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case, and the same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

The attorney for the applicant will be allowed 15 days in which to file a brief of the case, one copy with the Commission and one copy with the representative of the Cherokee Nation.

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J. O. Rosen, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this February 28, 1902.



Commissioner

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

SS.

No. 999.

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE, ORIENTING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to Solemnize the Rite and publish the Bonds of Matrimony between Mr. Millard Weddel of Vinita, in the Indian Territory, aged 27 years, and Miss Gera B. Martin of Vinita, in the Indian Territory, aged 23 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Vinita, Indian Territory, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, A. D. 1903.

(Signed) Chas A Davidson

(SEAL)

Clerk of U. S. Court.

By T. A. Chandler Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

SS.

I, L. S. Wolfe, a Minister of the Gospel, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 8th day of February A. D. 1903, I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish the Bonds of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this 9th day of February, A. D. 1903, My Credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District, Book 6, Page

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(Signed) L. A. Davidson  
A Minister of the Gospel.

Entered on back as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, JAMES A. WINSTON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed in my office the 1 day of February, at \_\_\_\_\_ M., and duly recorded in Book A, Marriage Record, Page 344.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory, this 9 day of February A. D. 1903.

(Signed) Chas. A. Davidson Clerk.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.

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CHAS. A. DAVIDSON

CLERK U. S. COURT.

I, the undersigned, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original.

Marquette C. Kennedy



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the Matter of the application of John W. Martin, et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating the  
applications of:

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| John W. Martin, et al., | Cherokee B 418 |
| Charles H. Martin,      | " D 428        |
| Gern E. Martin,         | " D 458        |

D E C I S I O N

The record in these several cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated, and made personal application for the enrollment of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens:

On September 25, 1900, John W. Martin appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his four minor children, Mamie, Harry, Walter and Erney Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mamie Martin, as a citizen by intermarriage of the said Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Vinita, Indian Territory, on May 22, 1901, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 26, and October 17, 1902. On March 7, 1902, there was filed with the Commission an affidavit duly executed on February 22, 1902, from which it appears that Kelly Martin was born on November 27, 1900; that she is the child of John W. and Mamie Martin, and that she was living at the date of the execution of the affidavit.

Charles H. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on September 25, 1900, made application for the enrollment of himself and his wife, Olive H. Martin, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Olive H. Martin is differently classified and is not embraced in this decision. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 25, 1902.

Gern E. Martin at Vinita, Indian Territory, on October 2, 1900, made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 25, 1902.

The evidence shows that John W. Martin, and Charles H., and Gern E. Martin, his adult children, are Cherokee Indians; that said John W. Martin went to the State of Texas about 1864 or 1867, and that he and his said children returned to the Cherokee Nation about 1881.

Fannie Martin, a white woman, was married to the said John W. Martin on February 14, 1864, and the minor applicants herein are the issue of that marriage. It appears that Fannie Martin is the third wife of said John W. Martin, that his second wife was dead at the time of his marriage to Fannie, and having at that time been separated from his first wife for about eighteen years without hearing from her, she is presumed to have been dead.

An examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of this Commission shows that John W. Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cora E. Martin are identified on the Cherokee pay rolls of 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The said Fannie Martin is also identified on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The minor children of the said John W. and Fannie Martin, except Gracy and Nelly, are identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. Gracy and Nelly Martin are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said John W., Charles E., and Cora E. Martin have resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation since 1881 and that Fannie Martin has been living with her husband, the said John W. Martin, from the date of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902. It is considered that the minor applicants herein have resided in the Cherokee Nation since their birth.

Article II, of the treaty concluded between the United States and the Cherokee Nation, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on December 10, 1861, approved by the Principal Chief on January 4, 1892, and ratified by an Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1893, (27 Stats., L. 612-641), provides as follows:

"For and in consideration of the above cession and relinquishment, the United States agree:

First. That all persons not resident, or who may hereafter become residents, in the Cherokee Nation, and who are not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation by the constituted authorities thereof, and who are not in the employment of the Cherokee Nation, or in the employment of citizens of the Cherokee Nation, in conformity with the laws thereof, or in the employment of the United States Government, and all citizens of the United States who are not resident in the Cherokee Nation under the provisions of treaty of acts of Congress, shall be deemed and held to be intruders and unauthorized persons within the intent and meaning of section six of the treaty of 1835; and sections twenty-six and twenty-seven of the treaty of July 19, 1866, and shall, together with their personal effects, be removed without delay from the limits of said Nation by the United States, as trespassers, upon the demand of the principal chief of the Cherokee Nation."

Upon examination of the lists of intruders and unauthorized persons residing in the Cherokee Nation, furnished by the Principal Chief pursuant to said treaty, which lists bear date of 1893 and are now in possession of the Commission, it appears that the names of none of said applicants are found thereon.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that John W. Martin, Fannie Martin, Harry Martin, Walter Martin, Gracy Martin, Nelly Martin, Charles E. Martin and Cora E. Martin, should be enrolled as citizens by blood, and that Fannie Martin should be enroll-



(SIGNED)

James H. Smith

Notary Public for Oklahoma

(SIGNED)

T. B. Needles

Commissioner.

(SIGNED)

C. R. Breckinridge

Commissioner.

Mustang, Indian Territory.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
AUXILIARY CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE.

Wuskegee, Indian Territory, April 26, 1905.

In the matter of the application of Millard Weddell, non-citizen, to select an allotment in the Cherokee Nation for his wife Gera E. Weddell, nee Martin; Cherokee citizen roll No. 29201, Field Card No. 10215.

Millard Weddell, non-citizen husband, being sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your name? A Millard Weddell.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Vinita.  
Q What is your age? A 30 coming birthday.  
Q Do you claim any rights to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation?  
A No sir.  
Q Is your object in appearing before the Auxiliary Cherokee Land Office today to select an allotment for your wife?  
A Yes.  
Q What is her name? A Gera E. Martin, Weddell name now.  
Q Martin was her maiden name was it? A Yes, J. W. Martin is her father.  
Q How old is she? A 25 be 26 next birthday.  
Q Has she authorized you to select this allotment for her?  
A Yes sir.

Witness offers power of attorney executed by Gera E. Weddell, dated April 25, 1905, in which she authorizes her husband, Millard Weddell to select an allotment in the Cherokee Nation for herself.

- Q Why is that she cannot appear in person and select this allotment for herself? A Got a sick baby and were down here once when it was crowded and had to stay five days and baby was sick.  
Q Is the land that you desire to have allotted to your wife under improvement and in cultivation? A Under fence and part in cultivation.  
Q In your possession? A Yes.  
Q How long has it been in your possession? A Two years.  
Q Did you buy the place? A Yes from John & Ma -- I got the bill of sale of it.  
Q Was he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A His wife was but he was same as I am, a white man.  
Q Does this land lie west of the Grand river? A North east of Vinita, in the Delaware district.  
Q Has your wife for herself, or anyone representing her, ever appeared before either the Vinita or the Tahlequah Office and attempted to select an allotment for her? A No sir.  
Q This is the first time any one has made an attempt to file in her behalf? A Yes.  
Q Has she been notified by the Commission to come and file?  
A Yes by May 6th.

Witness offers letter from the Commission, dated April 15, 1905, in which she is notified to appear at the Cherokee Land Office on or before May 6th, 1905, and select an allotment for herself in the Cherokee Nation.

Ed. M. Ashton upon oath states that as stenographer to the Commission she accurately recorded the testimony above and that the foregoing is correct.

Gera E. Weddell subscribed to before me this 26th day of April, 1905.



COMMISSIONERS  
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TAMM DIXBY.  
THOMAS B. NADLES.  
C. R. BRUCEJIMMIS.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 12, 1902

Miss Cora B. Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

28th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee-400  
Registrar.

Acting Chairman.

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Enclosure  
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B-13.

Mustang, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

V. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John W. Martin for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Mamie, Harry, Walter, Gray and Kelly Martin, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Fannie Martin, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Charles E. Martin for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood; and the application of Cora E. Martin for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicants. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Tame Kirby,

Enc. 1-11-03

Chairman.

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Cherokee D-458.

Washago, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

Cora N. Martin,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Jams Bixby.*

Chairman.

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~~Enc. D-458.~~

Registrar.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 1, 1908.

Willard Veddel,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

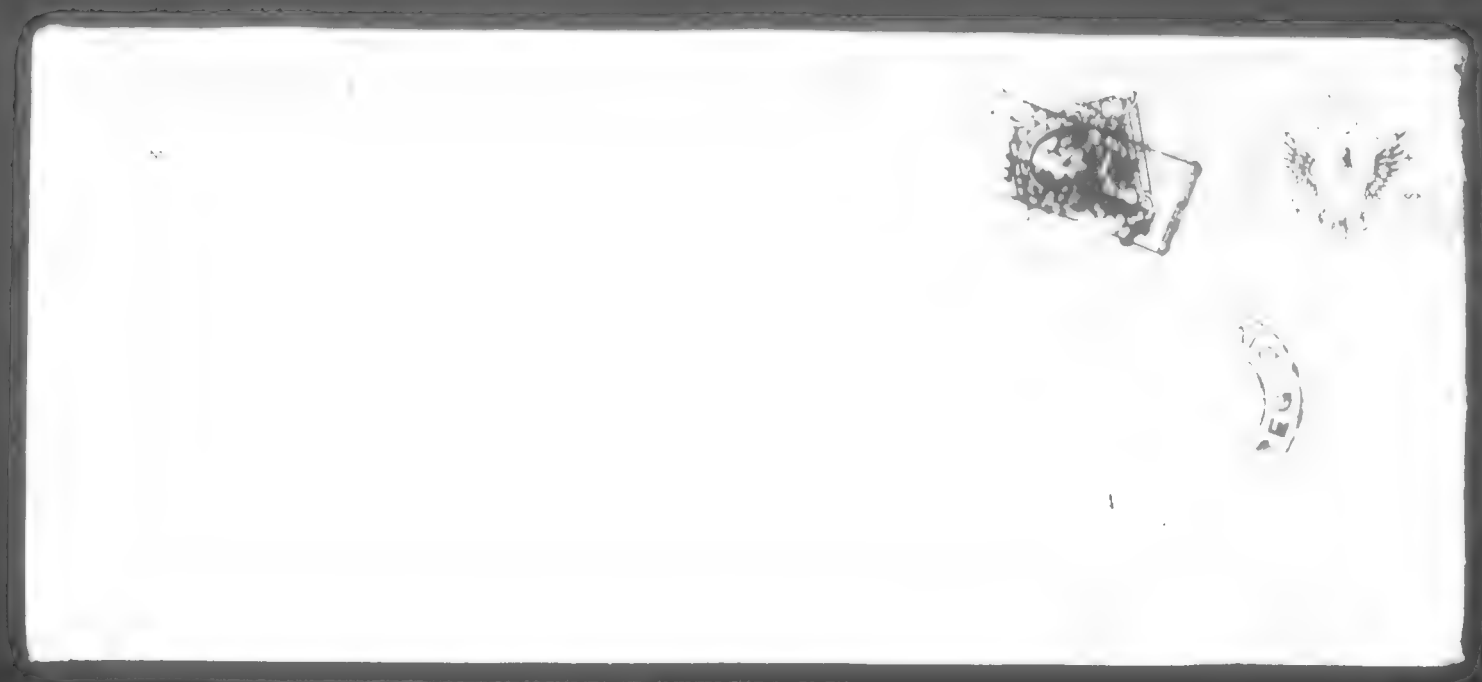
Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed marriage license and certificate showing the marriage of yourself to one Gera E. Martin on February 9, 1908, copies thereof having been retained in the office of the Comptroller.

Respectfully,

SIGNED: *Jane Blaby*  
Chairman.

Inc. A-15.



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Susie Henderson

Trans. Spring 1908



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Vinita, I.T. October 2nd, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SUSIE HENDERSON FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF HERSELF AS A CHEROKEE CITIZEN.

The said Susie Henderson, being sworn and examined by Commissioner C. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your full name please. A Susie Henderson.  
Q How old are you? A Thirty-two.  
Q What is your post office? A Arden.  
Q In what district do you live? A Delaware.  
Q Who is it you want to have put on the roll, yourself? A Yes, sir.

Q Anybody else? A My daughter here, but then she is married though.

Q She can apply for herself then. Is that all? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A No, sir.

Q A white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married? A I was married in 1887.

Q To whom were you married then? A James Henderson.  
Q Cherokee or white man? A A Cherokee.

Q Is he dead or alive? A He is dead.  
Q When did he die? A Seven years ago, seven years this month.

Q Did you live with him from the time you married him until he died? A Yes, sir.

Q All the time in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you ever married before that? A No, sir.

Q Have you married since he died? A No, sir.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage? A No, sir; I have not.

I have two affidavits, though, with me.  
1880 Roll, page 265, No. 1213, James Henderson, Delaware District, Native Cherokee.

Q How old was your husband when he died? A I don't just exactly know how old he was. I know he was just seven months older than me.

Q You were enrolled in 1886, weren't you? A Yes, sir; I suppose so.

Q Didn't you give your name in for the 1886 roll? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you with your mother-in-law at that time? A Yes, sir.

She lived with me until her death.  
Q Have you got any other name besides Susie? A My name is Susie Betale.

Q Was your husband ever married except to you? A I believe he was.

Q Well, to whom was he married before he married you? A I don't know.

Q You don't know whether his former wife was alive or dead when he married you? A No, sir; I don't know anything about it. I don't know whether he was married or not. We never did talk anything about it. I have asked him lots of times about it, but he would tell me nothing about it.

Q You have no certain date of your marriage? A No, sir; I have not.

Q You never were married except to this husband? A No, sir.

RAMOND B. BALLARD, being sworn and examined by Commissioner C. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your name please? A Ramond Ballard.

Q You and Cherokee witness here are you not? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Do you know this applicant here? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Did you know her husband? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Did you know him from his childhood? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Down to his death? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Was he ever married to any other woman than this one? A No.  
 was never that I know of sir.  
 Q Would you have known it if he had been? A Yes, sir.  
 I have known him all the time, I guess I would have.  
 Q Did he always hold this woman out as his wife? A Yes, sir.  
 Q Have you known her ever since her husband died? A Yes, sir.  
 Q She has never married since then? A No, sir; not that I know  
 of at all.

Witness excused.

THE COMMISSIONER: The applicant establishes by her own and other  
 personal testimony that she was married to her deceased Cherokee husband  
 James Henderson. He is identified on the roll of 1880 as a Native  
 Cherokee. He died some seven years ago. It appears quite conclusive  
 that he was never married except to this woman, and that they lived  
 together as husband and wife until he died some seven years ago, and  
 that she has not married since his death, and that she has continued  
 to live in the Cherokee Nation ever since her marriage to him in 1887.  
 She is not, however identified on the roll of 1896. For the further  
 consideration of her application case, her application will at this time  
 be placed upon a doubtful card and she will be classed as a Cherokee  
 by adoption.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the  
 Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the  
 testimony and other proceedings in this application for enrollment,  
 and that the foregoing is a correct and complete transcript of his sten-  
 ographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of October A. D.  
 1900.

*[Signature]*  
 Commissioner.

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## Citizen by blood

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### Intermarried citizen

### Married under what law

Date of marriage

## License

## Certificate

Wife's name

License 32 Certificate  
 Wife's name Ansie Henderson

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## Citizen by blood

## Mother's citizenship

### Intermarried citizen

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Delaware Dist. C. N.

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..Feb. 23d 1887. Henderson & Bradley.

This is to certify that on the 23rd day of Feb. 1887 I duly solemnized the rite of marriage between James Henderson a citizen of the C. N. and Miss Susie B. Bradley a non citizen, each of them of lawful age. Given under my hand this day and date above written. Rev. A. J. Crisp.  
Att. Wesley Countryman.  
Hattie Countryman.

Recorded May 27th, 1890.

J. B. McGhee, Deputy  
Clk. D. D., C. N.

Executive Office,  
Cherokee Nation. ss.

I, B. W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy taken from the Marriage Record of Delaware District, Cherokee Nation, now filed in this Office by law, and in my custody.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Cherokee Nation,  
at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, this 5th day of October,  
A. D. 1900.

B. W. Alberty, Assistant  
Executive Secretary as aforesaid.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., February 25, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of  
Susie Henderson for the enrollment of herself as a citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation.

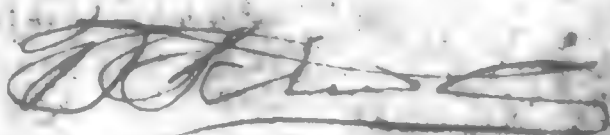
Appearances:

Mr. Mallette, of Mallette & Smith, Vinita, I. T., attor-  
neys for the applicant;  
W.W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter  
February 12, that her case would be taken up for final consid-  
eration by the Commission on the 28th day of February, 1902;  
she this day appears by her attorneys Mallette & Smith, of  
Vinita, I. T., and by agreement with the representatives of  
the Cherokee Nation this case is this day taken up for  
final consideration.

The attorney for the applicant offers in evidence cer-  
tified copy of the marriage record, showing that James Hend-  
erson, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, and Miss Susie B. Brad-  
ley, non citizen, were united in matrimony by Rev. A.J. Crisp,  
on the 23rd day of February, 1897; and same is filed herewith.

The attorney for the applicant and the representative  
of the Cherokee Nation present submit this case to the Com-  
mission for final consideration, same is ordered closed and  
reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the  
evidence now of record. The attorney for the applicant re-  
quests and will be granted 15 days in which to file brief,  
in this case, one copy with the Commission and one copy  
with the representatives of the Cherokee nation.



Commissioner,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Quasagee, Indian Territory, July 1st, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Susie Henderson for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation.

Appearances:

Applicant appears in person.  
W. W. Hastings for Cherokee nation.

Supplemental to D-424.

SUSIE HENDERSON, being duly sworn, testified as follows:--

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. Susie Henderson.  
Q. How old are you? A. I am 34.  
Q. What is your post office address? A. Hattow.  
Q. You are a claimant before the commission as a citizen by intermarriage, are you? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When did you come to the Cherokee nation? A. 15 years ago the second day of last October.  
Q. Was that prior or subsequent to your marriage? A. That was before I was married.  
Q. When were you married? A. 15 years ago the 23rd of last February.  
Q. Where have you been making your home since your marriage? A. Cherokee nation, Delaware district.  
Q. Have you been out of the Cherokee nation since that time? A. I have been for a short time, not to stay. I made my home here.  
Q. Is your husband living? A. No, sir.  
Q. When did he die? A. I believe it is 4 years this coming October.  
Q. Were you ever married before you married him? A. No, sir.  
Q. Was he ever married before he married you? A. Not that I know of.  
Q. Have you remarried since his death? A. No, sir.  
Q. Where were you living four years ago last March? A. I was living in the Cherokee nation, sir.

ELIXA HENDERSON, being duly sworn, testified as follows:--

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. Elix Henderson.  
Q. How old are you? A. I am 56.  
Q. What is your post office address? A. Vinita.  
Q. How are you related to the applicant in this case? A. She was my deceased husband's daughter only.  
Q. How long have you known her? A. I have known her growing on 17 years.  
Q. Where has she been living since that time? A. In the Cherokee nation.  
Q. Has she ever made her home out of the nation since that time? A. No, sir.



Jesse D. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1902.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
Commissioner of the General Land Office  
Washington, D. C., December 10, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Sule Henderson for  
the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to B-494.

Appearances:

Calvin Connor for Applicant.  
Cherokee Nation by J. C. Starr.

CALVIN CONNOR, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

- Q. What is your name? A. Calvin Connor.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Afton.  
Q. Do you know Sule Henderson? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How long have you known Sule Henderson? A. Oh, I have known her—I don't know exactly how long—16 or 17 years.  
Q. Where does she live? A. She is living right near Afton now, about 3 or 4 miles; been living around Afton about 10 or 12 years.  
Q. She has been living there continuously for the last 10 or 12 years? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Did you know her husband? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Do you know when they were married? A. I couldn't say just when they were married.  
Q. Is her husband dead? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Do you know his name? A. Jim Henderson.  
Q. Do you know when he died? A. Been dead 4 or 5 years. Got killed there at Vinita.  
Q. Were they living together at the time of her husband's death? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Never separated? A. Not that I know of.  
Q. Do you know if he was ever married before? A. I couldn't say anything about that. I heard such a talk that he was.  
Q. Do you know if he was married before? A. No, sir; I don't think she was.  
Q. She is still a widow, never married since the death of her husband? A. No, never been married since Jim's death.

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James O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as  
stenographer to the Commission to the Cherokee Nation he  
reported the above certified case and that the foregoing is a  
true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1900.

Notary Public.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Chicago, I. T., October 28, 1904.

In the matter of the application of **STANLEY HENDERSON**, for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation:

**STANLEY HENDERSON**, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q Your name is Stanley Henderson ? A Yes sir.  
Q How old are you ? A Thirty five.  
Q What is your post office ? A Arden.  
Q Are you a white man ? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you claiming the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage ? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name ? A James Henderson.  
Q Is he living ? A No sir.  
Q Was James Henderson a Cherokee by blood ? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to him ? A In 1887, I believe. If I am not mistaken we have been married fifteen years.  
Q How long had James Henderson been living in the Cherokee Nation when you married him ? A All his life I suppose.  
Q Was he your first husband ? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you his first wife ? A Yes sir, so far as I know.  
Q When did your husband James Henderson die ? A Five years ago.  
Q Did you live with him from the time you married him until he died ? A Yes sir.  
Q Never were separated during his lifetime ? A No sir.  
Q Have you married since the death of your husband James Henderson ? A No sir.  
Q How long have you been residing and making your home in the Cherokee Nation ever since your marriage to James Henderson ?  
A Yes sir, and longer too; I have been living here seventeen years.  
Q Your home has been in the Cherokee Nation during all that time has it ? A Yes sir.  
Q You have never lived anywhere else ? A No sir.

By J. C. Starr:

- Q Do you know whether James Henderson was ever married before he married you ? A No sir, I don't know that he ever was.  
Q How long had you known him before you and he were married ?  
A About six months.

J. C. Farrell, on oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before us this December 28, 1904.

*W. Shawney*  
*R. C. Jones*  
Notary Public.

BEFORE THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

—:—: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SUSIE HENDERSON. —:—:

CHEROKEE DOUBTFUL. § 494.

In this case we filed for the applicant the certificate of her marriage to James Henderson, she not being present, and with other cases requested fifteen days in which to file a brief. Upon examination of the record it appears that there is nothing to brief. The record is very short consisting of less than two pages. It is shown by the evidence that the husband of the applicant, James Henderson, was identified by this Commission on the roll of 1880 as a <sup>Native</sup> Cherokee, and that he died some seven years ago and that the applicant has not married since his death and that she has continued to live in the Cherokee Nation ever since her marriage to the said James Henderson, in the year 1887. From the summary of the evidence or judgment if it may be so termed, rendered by the Commissioner in charge, it is evident that the only reason the applicant was not placed upon the straight card at the time of the application was, that she did not present a certificate of her marriage to the said James Henderson. This is also evidenced by the fact of the notice of the final hearing of this case <sup>requiring</sup> the filing of her marriage certificate.

As the proper evidence of her marriage to the said James Henderson, has now been duly filed it is evident that the only question in the case has been eliminated, and that the applicant is entitled to be enrolled upon the straight card.

Respectfully submitted.

Medard L. Smith  
Attorney for Applicant.



Susie Henderson

to

Cherokee Nation

Brief for Appli-  
cant

Marcus S. Smith  
att'y for applicants

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Susie Henderson as citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on October 21, 1900, Susie Henderson appeared before the Commission at Vinita, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on February 25, 1902, July 1, 1902, October 7, 1902, and October 22, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Susie Henderson nee Bradley, was lawfully married, on February 23, 1887, to one James Henderson, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation who is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880. The said Susie Henderson is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1890.

The evidence further shows that the said Susie Henderson lived in the Cherokee Nation with her husband from the time of her marriage to him up to and including his death in 1893, since which time she has continued to reside in said nation, and had not re-married up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Susie Henderson should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Wetted at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903

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IN RE  
THE DEATH OF

*Lucie Henderson.*  
a citizen of the

*Cherokee* Nation.

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Approved

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Susie Henderson, an Intermarried  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
X citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Afton, Ind. Ter., and died on the 20th day of  
January, 1903  
(Here insert name of postoffice.)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Western DISTRICT.

I, H. A. Majors, on oath state that I am 38  
years of age and a citizen, by Intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Vinita, Ind. Ter.; that I am  
Son-in-law of Susie Henderson  
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased.)  
who was a citizen, by Intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation  
and that said Susie Henderson died on the 20th day of  
January, 1903  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
WITNESSES TO MARK: WCA Majors

(If for the Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1906  
B. P. Reesner  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Western DISTRICT.

I, Grand Victor, on oath state that I am 38  
years of age, and a citizen by Intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Afton, Ind. Ter.;  
(Here insert name of postoffice.)  
that I was personally acquainted with Susie Henderson  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
who was a citizen, by Intermarriage, of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said Susie Henderson died on the 20th day of  
January, 1903  
(Here insert name of deceased.)  
WITNESSES TO MARK: Grand Victor

(If for the Two  
Witnesses.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1906  
B. P. Reesner  
Notary Public.

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hansen         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 49  | William Grigby      | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 506 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 564 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 586 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas M. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 788 |
| Ulmie Ann Smith      | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 833 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Sadie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Cardan      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 967 |



Mary Pettit 977  
 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hair 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
 Olivia Benge 1276  
 Dollie Wilson 1278  
 Moses Bell 1279  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1290  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
 William M. Oliver 1333  
 Andrew J. Couch 1340  
 Lina Hyles 1347  
 Mary M. Miller 1350  
 Mary E. Taylor 1368  
 Polly Ann Benge 1369  
 Margaret Moton 1385  
 Minnie McKinney 1390  
 Nettie Seabolt 1418  
 Lawrence G. Faulkner 1433  
 Sarah A. Holt 1449  
 Jennette Polecat 1492  
 Ellen Seabolt 1508  
 Charles W. Nettles 1509  
 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creedon 1513  
 Odie Pidcock 1517  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1520  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1530  
 Etta Hicks 1540  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1580

Milie Morton 1554  
 Andrew Walters 1573  
 John H. Holder 1610  
 Mary M. Borr 1612  
 Thomas E. Bonham 1644  
 Florence Hendrick 1663  
 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Annie Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1723  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gent Gibson 1737  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1746  
 Willis E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dasser 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Malisa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Geneva Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Benge 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2159  
 Rebecca J. Flying 2172  
 Thomas J. Menaker 2182  
 Julia Coody 2215  
 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2261  
 Sarah Gritts 2266  
 John A. Madden 2261  
 Henry C. Pannel 2271  
 Matilda S. Cleland 2282  
 Dona A. Frazier 2312  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2320

Lafayette D. Kindred 2328  
 Pearl V. Nison 2339  
 Nancy J. Sevier 2390  
 Mollie Hair 2395  
 Dora Mayers 2474  
 William T. Jones 2501  
 Sarah L. Martin 2502  
 William J. Shoemaker 2506  
 Maud Baldridge 2511  
 James L. Townsend 2513  
 George L. Morgan 2568  
 Andrew A. Brown 2575  
 Louis K. Fair 2623  
 James L. Mitchell 2644  
 Martha E. McNair 2659  
 Millard F. Eggleston 2668  
 Elisha M. Gray 2686  
 Jennie M. Ballard 2694  
 Annie Mayes 2798  
 Belle Sixkiller 2800  
 James P. Riley 2825  
 William Broadbus 2854  
 William A. Martin 2865  
 Joseph Q. Buchanan 2888  
 Marcellus L. Baker 2905  
 Etta M. Hill 2915  
 John R. Smith 2922  
 Ira W. Wallen 2926  
 John B. Laurence 2950  
 Luke O. Hitchcock 2961  
 Bell L. Muskrat 2975  
 Eliza O'Field 2977  
 Margaret Swages 2998  
 Winfield S. Nance 3007  
 Benjamin F. Kelley 3010  
 Mollie Daugherty 3029  
 Charles H. Leatherman 3043  
 Alice A. Edwards 3100  
 Dorinda Adair 3106  
 William B. Gray 3118  
 Dora B. Caulk 3143  
 Jesse M. Gallman 3161  
 Martha E. Garrett 3162  
 Artie E. Large 3164  
 Andrew A. Kelley 3191  
 Anna B. Ryne 3192  
 Eliza Henderson 3198  
 David E. Jenkins 3212  
 Lizzie Felling 3233  
 Robert L. Payne 3282

William A. J. Trotter 3257  
 Albert P. Goforth 3296  
 Anna B. Martin 3307  
 William Brown 3344  
 Jennie B. Bluejacket 3345  
 William Little 3377  
 Julia M. A. Russell 3386  
 Andrew J. Smith 3393  
 William N. Blakemore 3396  
 Lizzie Denton 3417  
 Belle Hudson 3435  
 Thomas S. Heady 3437  
 William M. Roseborough 3444  
 Madison G. Hawkins 3467  
 Japhat F. Ellis 3491  
 Emma McAffrey 3543  
 William T. Huitt 3570  
 Myra F. Chouteau 3580  
 Phillip Donohoo 3581  
 Fred L. Kelley 3593  
 Annie Herod 3594  
 Maggie V. Fields 3615  
 Lou Payne 3616  
 Frederick W. Strout 3692  
 Andrew L. McCamish 3713  
 Sarah Dirthrower 3731  
 William P. Coble 3758  
 Robert L. Madison 3761  
 Mariah McDowell 3795  
 Elizabeth R. Thornton 3811  
 Donithan A. Wilson 3841  
 Charles F. Covey 3868  
 Tamsey M. Williams 3886  
 Mary J. Wolfe 3889  
 Lathan Lumbard 3901  
 Micajah P. Haynes 3907  
 Annie L. Wingfield 3908  
 Mary Fields 3909  
 William W. Dudley 3944  
 Minnie M. McLaughlin 3969  
 Henry B. Lindsey 3979  
 Wilbert H. Parkison 3989  
 Seth R. Hall 4011  
 Wiley Hanna 4016  
 Martha M. Woods 4068  
 Lizzie Gray 4117  
 Nancy C. Carey 4131  
 Annie E. Kenney 4166  
 William H. Ward 4169  
 Nannie Brewer 4180



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| Horace H. Huddleston  | 5842 | George C. Duffield    | 6081 |
| William R. Sartan     | 5847 | Amelia Reese          | 6082 |
| Joseph A. Lawrence    | 5848 | Alexander West        | 6086 |
| William H. Hunter     | 5849 | John Loeble           | 6087 |
| Joseph Lehr           | 5851 | Clarence C. Langley   | 6088 |
| Eun M. Young          | 5852 | John I. Ham           | 6042 |
| Mary C. Barnes        | 5853 | Mary I. Jordan        | 6046 |
| Matilda Thompson      | 5861 | John W. Bradshaw      | 6076 |
| William W. Young      | 5872 | James I. Dean         | 6079 |
| Earley F. Ellis       | 5874 | Amanda J. Thompson    | 6082 |
| Rosa B. Alberty       | 5877 | Malissa Hubbard       | 6086 |
| Sarah Cannon          | 5879 | Jane Benge            | 6111 |
| Mamie Beck            | 5887 | John D. Ryals         | 6112 |
| Jack H. Merchant      | 5888 | John C. DeLozier      | 6117 |
| John D. Merchant      | 5889 | Jessie Willis         | 6118 |
| Sarah E. Ghormley     | 5894 | Mary A. Clark         | 6124 |
| Jerry Young           | 5906 | Mary J. Tipton        | 6126 |
| James H. Brickey      | 5916 | Leander Newton        | 6136 |
| Mary Hicks            | 5919 | William A. Qualls     | 6138 |
| George W. Weems       | 5922 | Henderson B. Thomas   | 6144 |
| Albert Crain          | 5923 | Hugh T. Watkins       | 6163 |
| James M. Jones        | 5932 | Nancy Keys            | 6172 |
| Alfred W. Shelly      | 5935 | Berry Hutchins        | 6186 |
| John M. Stratton      | 5936 | Eli Parker            | 6189 |
| Waddie Hudson         | 5937 | Sarah E. Shaw         | 6194 |
| Robert C. Johnson     | 5939 | Julia Keys            | 6211 |
| Mary T. Thompson      | 5941 | Boon J. Grey          | 6214 |
| Edith A. Parris       | 5943 | John Grubb            | 6216 |
| Addie Hubbard         | 5949 | William M. Costephens | 6239 |
| John A. Lowry         | 5962 | Jane Bean             | 6232 |
| John R. W. Brantley   | 5963 | Lillie I. Taylor      | 6236 |
| James T. Carroll      | 5964 | Abbie B. Adair        | 6239 |
| Christopher F. Jordan | 5965 | Maek C. Watkins       | 6246 |
| Minerva E. Stoyer     | 5966 | Robert W. Murray      | 6261 |
| John W. Twilley       | 5967 | John G. Petty         | 6269 |
| Joseph W. Mounce      | 5970 | Lucinda Poorboy       | 6279 |
| Cornelius P. Potter   | 5971 | Sarah Mayes           | 6286 |
| Amanda C. Thompson    | 5972 | Henry W. Pycatt       | 6289 |
| John M. Rusk          | 5976 | Isaac A. Wilson       | 6306 |
| Harrison L. Hughes    | 5978 | John T. Hall          | 6310 |
| Silas B. Dildine      | 5983 | Edward L. King        | 6315 |
| Lewis M. Payne        | 5985 | Katie Still           | 6325 |
| Nancy Beamer          | 5988 | Emmer Carlile         | 6336 |
| Sarah F. Selvidge     | 6002 | Bird Webster          | 6347 |
| Pony F. Buckner       | 6006 | Fannie Morris         | 6363 |
| John A. Moreland      | 6010 | Leonard Lee           | 6367 |
| Alice Welch           | 6015 | James R. Miller       | 6382 |
| Mary C. Thompson      | 6022 | James Brackett        | 6379 |
| Ida Beck              | 6029 | Nora Allen            | 6371 |
| William R. Tittle     | 6030 | John T. Washington    | 6373 |

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| James J. Snider        | 6375 | James L. Lee        | 6717 |
| William H. Winget      | 6376 | Rosa Phillips       | 6723 |
| Ida R. Wilkerson       | 6383 | Kate Brown          | 6735 |
| George A. McBride      | 6385 | Laura B. Barnett    | 6743 |
| Matilda Cookson        | 6387 | Elizabeth Sanders   | 6745 |
| William A. Flak        | 6392 | William T. Neff     | 6747 |
| William O. Ames        | 6394 | William R. Scott    | 6751 |
| Thomas Wilkerson       | 6396 | Laura Fish          | 6770 |
| Alice C. Springston    | 6407 | Maggie Ketcher      | 6779 |
| Fanny N. Witt          | 6413 | Dora A. McDonald    | 6783 |
| Lillie M. Adair        | 6424 | Rosie B. Willis     | 6785 |
| Mark F. Matheson       | 6428 | Daniel Hubbard      | 6787 |
| Ida L. Wilson          | 6431 | Mary R. Tadpole     | 6801 |
| George E. Marre        | 6441 | Magnus A. McSpadden | 6811 |
| Ulysses S. Reeves      | 6443 | Sarah F. Pathkiller | 6824 |
| Daniel A. Smith        | 6447 | Clara Twist         | 6845 |
| Henry J. Dawson        | 6450 | Mattie M. Welch     | 6846 |
| Sarah Adair            | 6452 | Cora Griffin        | 6850 |
| Ida F. Wilson          | 6455 | John S. Hyatt       | 6853 |
| Mary E. Taylor         | 6459 | Jefferson K. Tyner  | 6855 |
| Catherine Henson       | 6468 | Flora R. Miller     | 6859 |
| Charles C. Fitzsimmons | 6471 | Lizzie Craig        | 6872 |
| Mary E. Campbell       | 6476 | Jacob C. Johnson    | 6876 |
| Columbus N. Long       | 6478 | George W. Ware      | 6897 |
| Mary Wilkerson         | 6480 | James B. Deatherage | 6901 |
| Myrtle Ward            | 6484 | Lucinda F. Hartness | 6943 |
| Belle Manus            | 6499 | Frances E. Tehee    | 6961 |
| Martha E. McLain       | 6508 | James M. Burt       | 6965 |
| Mary A. Brown          | 6517 | Rady Tipton         | 6975 |
| Marion M. Ballow       | 6530 | Laura Hendricks     | 6976 |
| Mellie Mayfield        | 6540 | Laura V. Smith      | 6979 |
| Sarah Blevins          | 6541 | Lorenzo C. Darnell  | 6988 |
| Frank Powell           | 6542 | Robert M. Mitchell  | 7004 |
| Georgia Jackson        | 6546 | William Henry Reeve | 7006 |
| Leonard S. Simpson     | 6549 | James Pyle          | 7009 |
| Almira Usarey          | 6560 | Willie Hilderbrand  | 7016 |
| James McInerney        | 6561 | Alice M. Robertson  | 7031 |
| Fannie Carlile         | 6573 | Charles Morris      | 7043 |
| Sadie A. Mayfield      | 6580 | Minerva J. Trent    | 7051 |
| Silas A. Bryan         | 6581 | John H. Keith       | 7078 |
| William S. Martin      | 6585 | Katie E. Ratley     | 7080 |
| Emma J. Thompson       | 6589 | Etta Patrick        | 7081 |
| Lydia McDaniel         | 6593 | Nannie Martin       | 7090 |
| David W. Lamb          | 6595 | Rosa B. Harris      | 7094 |
| Ous R. Hart            | 6603 | Samuel Brown        | 7109 |
| Posea Phillips         | 6632 | William H. Turner   | 7101 |
| Lois E. Daniel         | 6673 | Florence Mayes      | 7104 |
| William W. Turner      | 6680 | Maggie McCoy        | 7112 |
| Lillie B. Blackstone   | 6714 | Mary Belle Cardry   | 7113 |
| Mary Lillard           | 6715 | Benjamin Hauer      | 7119 |



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| James Maher           | 7128 | Robert B. Collins    | 7556 |
| Terry A. Parkinson    | 7146 | Nancy I. Brown       | 7579 |
| Corie L. Hanks        | 7147 | Mary B. Walkingstick | 7642 |
| Otto J. Zofall        | 7149 | Robert T. Kelleam    | 7653 |
| Refus M. Norman       | 7155 | Mollie Morton        | 7797 |
| Mary T. Foreman       | 7158 | Mattie Girty         | 8006 |
| Alma West             | 7159 | Mack Alfred          | 8015 |
| James M. Connally     | 7161 | Ida Harmon           | 8016 |
| Francis M. Crowell    | 7163 | Ida McCoy            | 8417 |
| Fannie E. McClure     | 7171 | Rosie Foreman        | 8903 |
| Benjamin B. Graham    | 7176 | Annie Jackson        | 9034 |
| Ada Pharris           | 7180 | Margaret T. Langley  | 9092 |
| William L. Whisenhunt | 7184 | Ida M. Davis         | 9286 |
| Frances B. Perry      | 7191 | Nora Crapo           | 9289 |
| Philip Shultz         | 7210 | Margaret Harmon      | 9378 |
| Hester A. Miller      | 7212 | Mary B. Langley      | 9438 |
| Minnie B. Edmonds     | 7213 | Ella Gravitt         | 9439 |
| Eliza Jordan          | 7217 | William M. Wilson    | 9444 |
| William T. Ross       | 7218 | David O. Scott       | 9446 |
| Thomas M. Price       | 7225 | Harriett Forbes      | 9447 |
| James G. Wilson       | 7231 | John Carver          | 9449 |
| Frank Rhomar          | 7263 | Thomas J. Davis      | 9451 |
| John W. Thompson      | 7267 | Clara M. Boudinot    | 9453 |
| Melissa Booth         | 7271 | Mary E. Keys         | 9454 |
| Solon L. Jackson      | 7273 | John G. Ainsworth    | 9456 |
| Henry W. Coughran     | 7282 | Mary J. Christy      | 9460 |
| Sarah Ross            | 7291 | Malinda Seabolt      | 9462 |
| Mary S. Smith         | 7322 | Mary Cumpton         | 9464 |
| John A. Martin        | 7323 | Mollie P. Mulkey     | 9465 |
| Myrtle Robinson       | 7330 | Andrew Brimmer       | 9467 |
| Allen L. Buckner      | 7331 | James F. Flippin     | 9471 |
| James I. Goad         | 7350 | William Bird         | 9473 |
| Elijah Johnson        | 7351 | Mollie C. Forbes     | 9476 |
| Mary E. Kimbrough     | 7360 | William H. Thomason  | 9478 |
| Jennie Burr           | 7367 | Mollie Devine        | 9481 |
| Kiasay Sapaucker      | 7378 | Mary P. Guthrie      | 9482 |
| Sarah J. Johnson      | 7394 | Detlev N. Leerskov   | 9484 |
| William I. Branan     | 7409 | Nannie Cowart        | 9485 |
| Wyatte T. Brady       | 7412 | Leona Catcher        | 9489 |
| Lena O. Holderman     | 7413 | Alexander B. Clapp   | 9502 |
| Mary F. Hummingbird   | 7420 | Tennie Sanders       | 9503 |
| Bertha A. Allen       | 7425 | Virgil A. Wiltshire  | 9505 |
| Robert J. Tyner       | 7426 | Joshua K. Carr       | 9510 |
| Fannie B. Martin      | 7434 | Herbert Kneeland     | 9518 |
| Myrtle Wolfe          | 7435 | Hugh E. Hope         | 9519 |
| Mary Blevins          | 7479 | Thomas J. Ritter     | 9522 |
| Sarah Ketcher         | 7488 | Martha Baldrige      | 9529 |
| Charles D. England    | 7512 | James R. Poindexter  | 9535 |
| May Cochran           | 7544 | Maud Foreman         | 9539 |
| Rebecca Oglesby       | 7549 | Helle Bryant         | 9542 |

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| Joseph P. Smith        | 9550 | William G. Brown         | 9879  |
| George E. Watkins      | 9552 | John B. Delay            | 9881  |
| Florence Henry         | 9553 | Parlee Thompson          | 9882  |
| Jesse H. Johnson       | 9560 | Guenther W. Werther      | 9883  |
| Lydia B. Barger        | 9561 | Margaret Crittenden      | 9884  |
| Mary Jane Thomas       | 9562 | Moses L. Morris          | 9889  |
| James F. Petty         | 9563 | Sarah L. Rogers          | 9891  |
| Laura McCrary          | 9566 | Stephen Duncan           | 9892  |
| Joel D. Smith          | 9568 | Gideon D. Sleeper        | 9895  |
| William T. Cave        | 9572 | William A. Maddin        | 9896  |
| William Bugher         | 9577 | John H. Horton           | 9904  |
| James M. Smith         | 9582 | Howe L. Rogers           | 9906  |
| John E. Nasworthy      | 9583 | William Rush             | 9912  |
| Beverly L. Lafon       | 9587 | George W. Edens          | 9916  |
| Robert L. Gentry       | 9590 | William H. Hall          | 9920  |
| John C. Barker         | 9591 | Edith B. Pheasant        | 9935  |
| John P. Greenwood      | 9593 | Carrie A. Collins        | 9936  |
| Henry Hayes            | 9596 | Lucinda Spriggs          | 9937  |
| Ella Cornwell          | 9598 | Ella F. Hail             | 9939  |
| Asa A. Hedrick         | 9599 | John W. Harris           | 9949  |
| William C. M. Robinson | 9600 | Hannah Raper             | 9942  |
| Woodrow Hadley         | 9612 | John J. Coughran         | 9945  |
| William T. Gregory     | 9613 | Youra F. Waybourn        | 9946  |
| Charles M. Keys        | 9616 | Louisa J. Taylor         | 9947  |
| Bate O. Reed           | 9618 | William M. Evans         | 9948  |
| Joseph E. Feland       | 9623 | William F. Pierce        | 9940  |
| Florence C. Smith      | 9625 | May F. Chambers          | 9950  |
| Charles M. Cox         | 9630 | Albert Stevenson         | 9954  |
| Otis S. Skidmore       | 9634 | Henry Kiefer             | 9955  |
| William H. Hundley     | 9635 | Sarah Bean               | 9956  |
| Thomas A. McDonald     | 9636 | Zeno M. Cox              | 9964  |
| Annie Sanders          | 9638 | Jerusha E. Blair         | 9965  |
| Mack H. Martin         | 9640 | Elias Kyle               | 9991  |
| Mary Ward              | 9653 | Ida Cushman              | 9992  |
| George Olvens          | 9658 | James W. Fleming         | 9994  |
| Phaney Poorboy         | 9660 | Samuel Holmes            | 9996  |
| Charley Kiper          | 9671 | Walter H. Talley         | 9997  |
| Andrew J. Snider       | 9672 | Hannah J. Miller         | 9998  |
| William T. Barton      | 9684 | Clara V. Ward            | 10002 |
| Daniel Crail           | 9770 | Stephen W. Pittsenberger | 10006 |
| Mary M. Motte          | 9771 | Mary E. Palmour          | 10008 |
| Leola E. Herrin        | 9854 | William T. Partin        | 10011 |
| Gailen E. Carriek      | 9855 | Nellie Fields            | 10018 |
| Rosa B. Barger         | 9857 | Sarah A. Dawes           | 10016 |
| Rachel Foreman         | 9858 | Willard E. Hutchins      | 10019 |
| Serepta C. Willis      | 9861 | Jesse Talbert            | 10020 |
| Virgie Seabolt         | 9864 | Julia E. Setser          | 10021 |
| Annie Cannon           | 9867 | Amanda E. Howell         | 10022 |
| Isabella McCoy         | 9874 | Mamie J. Rogers          | 10023 |
| Robert E. Dry          | 9875 | Nannie Rogers            | 10024 |

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| James B. Bradshaw     | 10025 | Millie A. Carnes     | 10113 |
| Ida L. White          | 10026 | Lucy E. Roberts      | 10114 |
| Addie B. Miller       | 10027 | Edward H. Fitzgerald | 10115 |
| William R. Condry     | 10028 | John T. Pickard      | 10117 |
| James D. Canary       | 10029 | Charles Rains        | 10118 |
| John Kelley           | 10031 | Nancy Mayfield       | 10123 |
| Kate Craig            | 10033 | Anna B. Tittle       | 10124 |
| John A. Butts         | 10034 | Richard A. Clark     | 10126 |
| John J. Dameron       | 10035 | Emma B. Martin       | 10128 |
| William Warner        | 10036 | Walter L. Bates      | 10129 |
| George A. Allen       | 10037 | Nellie Brewer        | 10130 |
| Wattie Shetley        | 10038 | William Heffernan    | 10131 |
| John E. Carter        | 10039 | Levi Ackley          | 10132 |
| John M. Boyd          | 10043 | Bessie Davis         | 10133 |
| William Fister        | 10047 | Eva Brackett         | 10135 |
| Darius B. Troth       | 10049 | Caleba Carnes        | 10136 |
| Harry A. Kelley       | 10050 | Jackie M. Waybourn   | 10138 |
| Mary E. Purcell       | 10051 | Minnie Shutt         | 10139 |
| Myron L. Bronson      | 10052 | Charles L. McClure   | 10140 |
| George W. Taylor      | 10053 | William W. Russell   | 10141 |
| Josie Lowther         | 10054 | Delia Jenkins        | 10142 |
| Fannie D. Perry       | 10055 | John A. Hood         | 10143 |
| Minnie B. Williams    | 10056 | Oba Maxfield         | 10145 |
| Solomon Copeland      | 10058 | Mary L. Cloud        | 10146 |
| Etha B. Wood          | 10059 | Callie Inlow         | 10147 |
| James Pace            | 10060 | Everett M. Lawrence  | 10148 |
| Wiley B. McElhaney    | 10062 | Dora E. Hays         | 10150 |
| Nancy Patrick         | 10063 | Julia M. Schrimsher  | 10151 |
| James R. Stout        | 10072 | Parmelia E. Lyman    | 10153 |
| George Parker         | 10073 | Charles F. Trickey   | 10161 |
| Laura Morton          | 10074 | Louisa J. Palmour    | 10169 |
| John D. Kelly         | 10075 | George L. Walker     | 10170 |
| Nettie Swift          | 10078 | Annie Taylor         | 10171 |
| Maggie Baldridge      | 10079 | Josie Winters Hall   | 10174 |
| David R. Stubblefield | 10080 | Alice Nichols        | 10181 |
| Thomas J. C. Thompson | 10081 | Lizzie Dry           | 10182 |
| Cora P. Harlan        | 10082 | Emma Murray          | 10183 |
| William L. Singleton  | 10083 | Annie Winton         | 10187 |
| Lester Evans          | 10084 | Marian Evans         | 10188 |
| Ellen Mayfield        | 10085 | Elizabeth J. McClain | 10192 |
| Ella Bray             | 10087 | Eliza J. Price       | 10199 |
| David J. Matthews     | 10094 | Risnie Still         | 10200 |
| Thomas Brown          | 10100 | Hannah E. Langley    | 10201 |
| Houston J. Payne      | 10103 | Alma Keith           | 10203 |
| Malinda E. Scudder    | 10104 | Flora A. Terrill     | 10204 |
| Henry Odell           | 10105 | Talesphora A. Pardee | 10205 |
| Fred Macy             | 10107 | Samuel Shadix        | 10206 |
| Mary Russell          | 10108 | Mary E. Childers     | 10207 |
| Thomas B. Brown       | 10109 | Robert M. Hamilton   | 10208 |
| Samuel L. Milligan    | 10111 | Julia Billingslea    | 10209 |

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| Charles H. Rienhardt | 10218 | Albert J. High        | D 491 |
| William H. Watkins   | 10221 | America Matoy         | D 501 |
| Frank M. Rucker      | 10222 | Moses L. Grazier      | D 503 |
| Henry C. Reed        | 10224 | Myrtle Hall           | D 509 |
| Laura B. Timberlake  | 10226 | Wallace Thursday      | D 544 |
| George A. Brown      | 10228 | Thomas W. Baker       | D 546 |
| Drucilla Lowrey      | 10232 | Mattie E. Keys        | D 560 |
| Almira Mouse         | D 9   | William S. Edwards    | D 566 |
| Lenora Prather       | D 16  | Susan L. Reed         | D 572 |
| Andrew M. Cooter     | D 17  | William H. Lyman      | D 574 |
| Martin L. Stokes     | D 28  | Gracia Davis          | D 577 |
| Peter Walters        | D 44  | Edward C. Bolen       | D 582 |
| Columbus M. Reeves   | D 58  | Dora Guthrie          | D 585 |
| Sarah Barnes         | D 103 | Samuel H. Hawkins     | D 594 |
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| Henry C. Agent       | D 139 | Ben Estes             | D 603 |
| Joseph Phipps        | D 147 | Thomas M. Reynolds    | D 621 |
| Henry Hilton         | D 149 | Arthur Dodge          | D 622 |
| David A. McGlamery   | D 161 | Carrie L. McNair      | D 624 |
| Maggie Doublehead    | D 169 | Constantine N. Walker | D 641 |
| Annie Lovett         | D 180 | Joseph Davis          | D 648 |
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| John A. Johnson      | D 232 | James J. Berndollar   | D 655 |
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| Susan V. Sullivan    | D 262 | Dora E. Rogers        | D 708 |
| Levi H. Tackett      | D 263 | James W. Turley       | D 709 |
| William H. Connelley | D 264 | Lizzie Ward           | D 711 |
| Julia A. Sullivan    | D 264 | Robert J. Holly       | D 713 |
| May Fields           | D 267 | Belle I. Quinton      | D 728 |
| Katie Hummingbird    | D 268 | Francis M. Beetham    | D 734 |
| William F. Sager     | D 320 | Amos W. Lord          | D 740 |
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| Callie Blevins       | D 341 | Louis Bruere          | D 779 |
| James S. Alfrey      | D 355 | Georgia A. Waybourn   | D 786 |
| Shadrack C. Wallen   | D 366 | Elija Fields          | D 787 |
| Ada Hall             | D 376 | William H. Brown      | D 788 |
| Jane M. Hicks        | D 396 | William A. Cox        | D 793 |
| Fannie L. Dupree     | D 403 | Charles A. Robison    | D 799 |
| Willie Battles, Jr.  | D 404 | Artha Williams        | D 809 |
| Joshua W. Ellis      | D 413 | Adam Gearhart         | D 809 |
| Nina B. Owen         | D 430 | Cleora F. Rogers      | D 844 |
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| Benjamin H. Hulbert   | D | 891  | Minnie Downing       | D | 1332 |
| Mary Brassfield       | D | 935  | Katie Rider          | D | 1334 |
| James L. Tindle       | D | 944  | Samuel G. Mills      | D | 1337 |
| Silas G. Renecker     | D | 966  | Alfred H. Woods      | D | 1342 |
| Eliza Wofford         | D | 967  | Cynthia Whitekiller  | D | 1352 |
| Jasper L. Newton      | D | 971  | Susie McSpadden      | D | 1361 |
| John N. Guinn         | D | 974  | Martha J. Houston    | D | 1363 |
| Hannah Parson         | D | 989  | Samuel M. Collier    | D | 1367 |
| Nellie C. Helterbrand | D | 1003 | Katy Payne           | D | 1369 |
| Thomas J. Welch, Jr.  | D | 1006 | Joseph H. Warren     | D | 1375 |
| Lizzie Christian      | D | 1010 | Mattie Miller        | D | 1433 |
| George Hazlewood      | D | 1013 | S. F. Moore          | D | 1434 |
| James M. Jones        | D | 1022 | Addie Schrimsher     | D | 1448 |
| Reuben A. Evans       | D | 1032 | Fannie Vann          | D | 1458 |
| Carrie H. Cobb        | D | 1049 | Mareella Blakeney    | D | 1474 |
| John M. Burns         | D | 1069 | G. W. Williamson     | D | 1555 |
| Sarah E. Henson       | D | 1083 | C. F. Walker         | D | 1558 |
| Laura D. Henson       | D | 1086 | Louisa Blevins       | D | 1567 |
| Hettie E. Downing     | D | 1090 | Frank Cowles         | D | 1581 |
| Benjamin F. Crain     | D | 1099 | Mary Francis Madding | D | 1637 |
| Benjamin Strickler    | D | 1129 | Thomas Rodman        | D | 1661 |
| Nancy Spaniard        | D | 1130 | Katie Still          | D | 1866 |
| Annie Wilson          | D | 1131 | Ira Crouch           | D | 1913 |
| Ora H. Maxwell        | D | 1135 | D. A. Mounts         | D | 1967 |
| Reuben W. Moore       | D | 1136 | J. C. Sefton         | D | 1991 |
| Cora Childs           | D | 1146 | Jennie Holland       | D | 2024 |
| Janie Hughes          | D | 1179 | Lou Sanders          | D | 2216 |
| Francis B. Reid       | D | 1180 | Caroline Barnes      | D | 2591 |
| Martha Carey          | D | 1195 | Lacey Crane          | D | 2592 |
| Christina Johnson     | D | 1199 | Daisy Cash           | D | 2595 |
| Louvenia Ironside     | D | 1208 | Hiram A. Landers     | D | 2599 |
| Martha J. Henson      | D | 1218 | Charles Neel         | D | 2603 |
| David A. Martin       | D | 1228 | Mattie Robinson      | D | 2605 |
| Fred D. McEnery       | D | 1235 | Jennie Rich          | D | 2606 |
| Nathaniel R. Martin   | D | 1261 | Alexander C. Russell | D | 2607 |
| James H. Requa        | D | 1266 | Pricilla Ross        | D | 2608 |
| Frank Carver          | D | 1267 | Tom W. Reeves        | D | 2609 |
| Etta B. Payne         | D | 1270 | Mary Smart           | D | 2612 |
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| William Caywood       | D | 1296 | Katy Martin          | D | 2667 |
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| Bertha Nidiffer       | D | 2730 | Lydia Long          | D | 2886 |
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| William S. Ross       | D | 2738 | Manda Ward          | D | 2889 |
| Irene Riley           | D | 2739 | Elmira J. Alberty   | D | 2905 |
| William H. Rowley     | D | 2740 | Thomas C. Cordray   | D | 2906 |
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| Will Black            | D | 2789 | Mariah Ward         | D | 2918 |
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| Alice C. Hill         | D | 2799 | Joseph Hardee       | D | 2991 |
| Bertha H. Harlin      | D | 2800 | Tennie Horn         | D | 2992 |
| Margrett C. Hudson    | D | 2801 | Eveline Hall        | D | 2993 |
| Joseph A. Kelley      | D | 2803 | John E. Leftwich    | D | 2995 |
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| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 538 |
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| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 12,

1902

Mrs. Susie Henderson,

Afton, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

28th day of February, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with certificates of marriage to James Henderson.

Yours truly,

Cherokee B-606  
Register.

Acting Chairman.

Wichita, Indian Territory, June 14, 1906

Wesley Henderson,

Atoka, Indian Territory

Sir:

You are requested to appear before the land commission at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on or before July 1, 1906, and submit evidence as to how long you have resided in Muskogee Nation, and whether you were a resident of said Nation at the time of your application herein. You are asked to give the above your undivided attention.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge

Very truly,  
S. J. [illegible]



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Cherokee D-494

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1908.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908, granting the application of Essie Henderson for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Jame Pixoy

Chairman.

Enc. B-422

Shahago, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Mallett & Smith,

Attorneys for Susie Henderson,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903,  
granting the application of Susie Henderson for the enrollment of  
herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James Dixon,  
Chairman.

Enc. N-9.

Register.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1901.

Snola Henderson,

Arton, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James D. Doby,

Chairman.

Enc. 2-3.

Register.

Cherokee 10218

Waskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Samie Henderson,

Afton, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_ D. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

FILE IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 24, 1907.


Esie Henderson,

Aften, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,



Commissioner.

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

## Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 9, 1907.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned, the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, has been designated by the Secretary of the Interior, as the official to make and approve appraisals of the value of improvements upon land in the Cherokee Nation which were made prior to November 5, 1906, by white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens prior to December 16, 1895, and who have the right under the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1907 (Public 180), to sell improvements.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

Bartlesville, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Tulsa, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Claremore, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Nowata, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Vinita, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18th, 1907, to  
Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Pryor Creek, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Tahlequah, Ind. Ter., Monday March 18, 1907,  
to Saturday March 23rd, 1907, inclusive.

Sallisaw, Ind. Ter., Monday March 25th, 1907,  
to Saturday March 30th, 1907, inclusive.

Designations must be made in person by the intermarried white claimant, or in case proper proof is made that he is physically unable to appear, by some adult member of his immediate family, or in case proper proof is made of the fact that the intermarried white claimant is physically unable to appear and has no adult member of his immediate family, by a person holding a properly executed power of attorney; provided, that in every case the designation must be made by a party familiar with the character, ownership, location and value of the improvements to be designated. At the time of said designation the testimony of any competent person will be taken by the Commissioner as to the location, character and value of said improvements.

No former intermarried white claimant will be permitted to designate improvements upon more land than he would have been entitled to take in allotment for himself had he been admitted to citizenship. If any intermarried white claimant has made a tentative selection of a full allotment he will not be allowed to designate improvements upon other land.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that if any citizen of the Cherokee Nation entitled to select an allotment shall claim that the improvements on land tentatively selected by a former intermarried white claimant, or held by him, do not belong to said intermarried white claimant, or makes any adverse claim to said improvements, or to the right of the intermarried white claimant to sell said improvements under the Act approved March

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**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that former claimants to citizenship by intermarriage who have made permanent and valuable improvements on lands of the Cherokee Nation and who claim the right to sell the same under and by virtue of said Act of Congress of March 2, 1907 (Public 180), must appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, and designate the land upon which are located the improvements which they claim the right to sell by virtue of said Act; and if any such intermarried citizen shall fail to appear before the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes prior to April 1, 1907, it will be considered that he makes no claim to the benefits conferred by said Act. Such appearance and designation of improvements must be made before the Commissioner at his office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, at any time between Monday, March 11th, 1907, and Saturday, March 30th, 1907, inclusive, or at any of the following named places between the dates named at which places the Commissioner will have a representative to receive said designations and hear testimony relative thereto:

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All persons interested should take careful note of the limitation of time herein provided for, within which designations and complaints may be made, and that they must be made by appearance before the Commissioner.

**TAMS BIXBY,**  
Commissioner.

Cherokee  
S et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 16, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

MUSKOCOE, IND. TER.



Susie Henderson,

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Trans. from D500



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Bartlesville, I.T., Oct. 11, 1900,

In the matter of the application of George W. Tyner for the enrollment of CLINTON EDWIN TYNER as a Cherokee citizen; the child's mother, Siota C. Tyner, (dead and dumb) also appearing and being sworn; said George W. Tyner, being sworn and examined by Com'r Breckinridge testified as follows:

- Q Give your full name. A George W. Tyner.  
Q How old are you? A 30.  
Q What is your post-office? A Austin I. T.  
Q In what district do you live? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Who is it you want to apply for? A For my daughter-in-law's child, she wants to make application for her child.  
Q Does she want to apply for herself? A No sir.  
Q She is a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q She is married to a Cherokee husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she living with her husband? A No, they have separated.  
Q But she has a child by that husband? A Yes sir.  
Q And she wants to apply now for that child? A Yes sir.  
Q She is deaf and dumb? A Yes sir.  
Q And this is your daughter-in-law sitting here? A Yes sir.  
Q Did she marry your son? A Yes sir.  
Q What is her name? A Siota Catherine Tyner.  
Q That is the name of this woman? A Yes sir.  
Q When did she marry your son? A Here is the license. (Produces papers)  
Com'r: The applicant presents license issued by the Clerk of the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, December 27th 1897, authorizing marriage between Clinton A. Tyner and Miss Siota Elder; the certificate shows that they were united in marriage on the 2nd day of January 1898, by the Rev. Nathan H. Dragg; this is filed herewith.  
Q Was this woman ever married until she married your son? A No sir.  
Q Was your son ever married prior to his marriage to this woman? A No sir.  
Q Is your son living now? A Yes sir.  
Q How old is he? A He is 20 years old.  
Q He is too young to be on the 1890 roll? A He will be 21 next month.  
Q He is a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Has he lived in the Cherokee Nation all his life? A Yes sir, only since last February, he went to Wyoming.  
Q Has the applicant here a divorce from him? A No sir.  
Q How long did they live together? A They lived together I don't think quite a year.  
Q What is the name of the mother of your son? A Nellie Tyner.  
Q Is she alive? A No sir, she is dead.  
Q When did she die? A She died in 1896.  
Q She was your wife in 1890? A Yes sir.  
1890 roll page 192 #3024 Clinton Tyner, Cooweescoowee District; Note on roll; Added by Revising Committee.  
1896 roll page 271 #4222 Clinton Tyner, Cooweescoowee, native Cher.  
1890 roll for husband's mother, page 139 #2979 Adah Tyner Cooweescoowee District.  
Q What is this child's mother's age? A 23.  
Q What is her post-office address? A Austin.  
Q Give me the name of the child? A Clinton Edwin Tyner.  
Q And it was born 11th of March 1899? A Yes sir. My son had to marry her.

Com'r Breckinridge: The applicant applies for the enrollment of a grand child; the mother of this child is present, but she is deaf and dumb and the applicant is permitted to make the application

Geo W. Tynar for child 2

instead of the mother, it is shown that the child's mother and the applicant's son were married on January 12, 1900. The license and certificate are produced, and the fact of this marriage is certified on the basis of the evidence. It is also shown that in the Cherokee Nation the child was born in March 1900 and he was then to Wyoming. It is also shown that the child was born having been adopted by the Revising Commission. The statement of his nativity, but his mother is a native Cherokee, hence there is no question of his being a native Cherokee father being a Cherokee by blood, and the child's mother were ever married except as shown by the certificate now produced, that is to say that no other person had any other marriage or were married subsequent to the marriage now shown. It is shown that the child was born in March 1900 and 2 months after the marriage ceremony was performed; this of course involves the question of the legitimacy of the child; the applicant states that his son was compelled to marry the mother of this child; for the further consideration of this case the application will now be placed upon a doubtful card and will be taken under advisement; the mother is required to file a certificate of the birth of the child; final decision will be made known to the mother at her post-office address.

M. D. GROOM, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*M. D. Groom*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of October 1900.

*M. D. Groom*

Commissioner.

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CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

United States of America,  
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NORTHERN DISTRICT

I, JAMES A. WINSTON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory,

do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the  
189 at M., and duly recorded in Book Marriage  
Record, Page

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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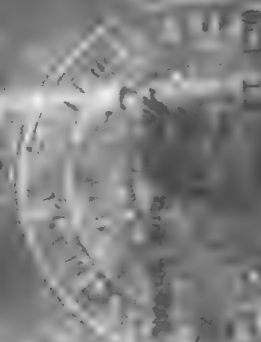
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United States of America, }  
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NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, JAMES A. WINSTON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory,  
do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the 2 day of  
April, 1892, at Muskogee, Mo., and duly recorded in Book 3, Marriage  
Record, Page 426.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, Indian Territory.



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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Clinton C. Hyman  
as a citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation.

Approved

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*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

Card No D 570

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Clinton Edwin Zyner, born on the 11 day of March, 1898  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Clinton N. Zyner, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Sisla Zyner, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Austin, I. T.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Northwestern District.

I, Sisla Zyner, on oath state that I am 23  
years of age and a citizen, by Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Clinton N. Zyner, who is a citizen, by  
Adoption, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 11th day of March, 1898; that said child has been  
named Clinton Edwin Zyner, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Shannon B. Bailey  
Martin Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Oct, 1900.

John W. Bailey  
My Comm. expires Sept. 7/1904  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Northwestern District.

I, Mary A. Zyner, a Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Sisla Zyner, wife of Clinton N. Zyner,  
on the 11th day of March, 1898, and that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Clinton Edwin Zyner.

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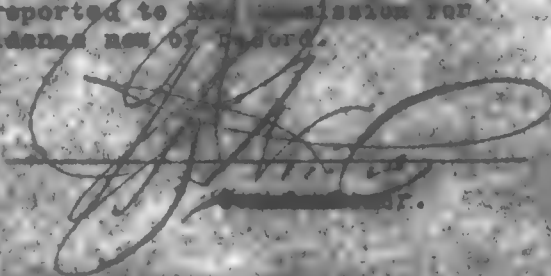


Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., March 1, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Clinton H. Tynor, for  
the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

Applicant's grandfather was notified by registered letter  
February 12, 1902, that the application of Clinton H. Tynor for  
enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, would be taken up  
for final consideration by the Commission at its office in  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 1st day of March, 1902, and that  
on said day he could appear before the Commission, either in person  
or by attorney, and an opportunity would be given him to introduce  
any further testimony affecting said application.

The said George W. Tynor has this day, to-wit: the 1st day  
of March, 1902, been called three times and failing to appear  
either in person or by attorney, it is directed that the case of  
Clinton H. Tynor be closed, and reported to the Commission for  
final decision based upon the evidence now on record.





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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., December 9, 1908.

In the matter of the application of Clinton E. Tynor for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

George W. Tynor, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A George W. Tynor.  
Q How old are you? A Fifty-two years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Muskogee, Indian Territory.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Recognized as such? A Yes sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes sir.  
Q You originally made application for a grandson, Clinton E. Tynor, did you? A Yes sir.  
Q Who is the father of Clinton E. Tynor? A His name is Clinton A. Tynor, my oldest son.  
Q He is a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Who is the mother of Clinton E. Tynor? A Her maiden name was Seleta Elder.  
Q Was she a white woman or Cherokee? A She was a white woman.  
Q Was your son regularly married her? A Yes sir, he was lawfully married to her.  
Q You were not present at the wedding? A Yes sir, I was.  
Q You were present and saw them married? A Yes sir, they were married at my house and I saw them.  
Q Is your son living now? A Yes sir.  
Q Is his wife, the mother of this child living? A Yes sir.  
Q Are they living together? A No sir, they separated.  
Q How long have they been separated? A Why I think about four years, as well as I remember.  
Q Do you remember what year they were married in? A I think in '07. The Commission has the marriage certificate and all.  
Q How long has your son, the father of this child, lived in the Indian Territory? A He was born and raised here.  
Q Lived in the territory all his life? A Yes sir.  
Q Never lived anywhere else? A No sir.  
Q Did his wife live with him in the Cherokee Nation with him until they separated? A Yes sir.  
Q When they separated who took the child? A She took the child; she made her home at our house.  
Q Where is she living now? A He is living at Oklawaha.  
Q Where is his wife living? A She is in Independence, Kansas; she went up there last week.  
Q Where has she been living since that separation? A At my house.  
Q And this child has been at your house ever since that separation? A Yes, in the immediate neighborhood. She lived with her relatives; she makes her home at our house; she is a deaf and dumb woman.  
Q She is deaf and dumb? A Yes sir.  
Q This child has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since it was born until the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q Never lived out? A No sir.  
Q It always lived here? A Yes sir.  
Q Your son recognizes that as his child? A Yes sir.  
Q His mother is not recognized as an intermarried citizen? A No sir, she never made application for citizenship.  
Q The child gets its Cherokee blood through your son, its father? A Yes sir, through my son.





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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Clinton E. Tyner as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.  
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DECISION.

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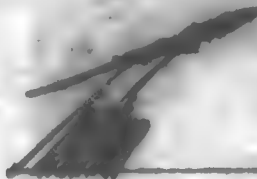
The record in this case shows that on October 11, 1900, George W. Tyner appeared before the Commission at Bartlesville, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of his grandchild, Clinton E. Tyner, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on December 9, 1902.

The evidence shows that Clinton E. Tyner is the child of Siota Catherine Tyner, a white woman, by her husband, Clinton A. Tyner, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, duly identified on the Authenticated Tribal Roll of 1880. The said Clinton E. Tyner is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Clinton E. Tyner was born in 1898; that he lived with his parents in the Cherokee Nation until their separation; and has, since that time, been living in the Cherokee Nation with his mother.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Clinton E. Tyner should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903

COMMISSIONERS.  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM DIXIE.  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BRIDGEMAN.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 12, 1902.

Mr. George V. Tynor,

Anadarko, Indian Territory.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that the application of Clinton B. Tynor

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

1st day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

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Yours truly,

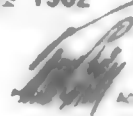
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my P.O. The Cherokee Att. claim  
my Grand son is not entitled to  
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I will say that I am not financially able to attend to your call I must have a hearing on this case I don't want this Boy to lose his Birth right I Pray you the Hon (Com) to give me mine and what belongs to me and mine all of the rights of citizens of the broken Nation Please write me and give me advice what to do next as I have missed two calls getting my mail. after date your Hon Body has all Power in this matter I know the (Com) will do justice in the case let me hear from you at once above address Resd

Geo W. Jones

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Tyner, George W.,  
 Chelsea, I. T.,  
 July 5, 1902.

Claims that his grandson  
 is a Cherokee by blood and  
 entitled to enrollment. Asks  
 what he shall do.

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Managers, Indian Territory, July 11, 1901.

George V. Syner,

Cherokee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

The Commission is in receipt of your letter of June 1,  
relative to the application for the enrollment as a citizen of the  
Cherokee Nation of Clinton B. Syner, and the same has been duly read  
and filed.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Cherokee

Washington, Indian Territory, November 22,

George W. Turner,

Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

You are hereby notified that if you desire to give further testimony relative to the right of your grandchild, Clinton E. Tyner, to enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you will be allowed 15 days from the date of this letter, within which to appear before the Commission at its offices at Muskogee, Indian Territory and give such testimony.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Harrison,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of George W. Tynes for the enrollment of his grandchild, Clinton E. Tynes, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. [unclear]  
Chairman.

Enc. 1-720

Cherokee B.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20,

George W. Tyner,

Austin, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1900, granting your application for the enrollment of your grandson, Clinton E. Tyner, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee nation.

Respectfully,

James B. [unclear]  
Chairman.

Enc. H-10.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tulsa, Okla., October 1, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Charles N. Richardt for  
the enrollment of himself as a Cherokee by blood, and his wife  
and children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by  
Commissioner Hedden, he testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Charles N. Richardt.  
Q What is your age? A 32.  
Q What is your last arrival address? A George's Bluff.  
Q What district do you live in? A George's Bluff.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By what name? A No, sir.  
Q For what do you apply for enrollment? A My children and my  
wife.  
Q Yourself? A Myself, yes.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Mary Richardt.  
Q She a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Sister.  
Q Got any certificate of marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q This is only the certificate of marriage you have got? A No,  
sir.

(Applicant presents a marriage license and a certificate of  
marriage duly authenticated, issued from the office of the Cherokee  
Nation, certifying that he was married to one Mrs. Kinney Lambert, a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the laws of the Cherokee  
Nation, on the 3rd day of February, 1890.)

Q What are the names of your children? A John Lambert, 11 years  
old.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Sarah Richardt, 7  
years old.  
Q The next one? A Charles Richardt, five years old.  
Q The name of the next one? A That is all.  
Q What is the name of your wife's father? A My present wife's  
father, James Lambert.  
Q What is her mother's name? A Bettie I think.  
Q Is she living? A Yes, sir.  
Q How far away? A Yes, sir.  
Q I saw that you married a Mrs. Kinney Lambert? A That is my  
first wife.

Q Where is your marriage certificate to your present wife? A This  
one.

(Applicant also presents a certificate of marriage certifying that  
he married on the 3rd day of February, 1890, Mary A. Lamb,  
according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation.)

Q Your present wife a white woman? A No, sir, she is a Cherokee.  
Q Your first wife was a white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Both your wives were Cherokees? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was your first wife's name? A Her name was Mrs. Kinney  
Lambert.  
Q How long ago was she dead? A A Cherokee.  
Q Was your first wife a Delaware or a Cherokee? A Cherokee.  
Q What is your second wife's name? A Cherokee.  
Q Did you live with your first wife until the date of her death?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q Who was the mother of John Lambert? A My first wife.  
Q Of your child Sarah? A My first wife.  
Q Charles? A My first wife.  
Q How long ago did you marry your second wife? A No, sir.  
Q I understand both of your wives were Cherokees by blood?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q You married your wife according to the laws of the Cherokee  
Nation? A Yes, sir.

Charles H. Reinhardt - 2.

the United States? A Yes, sir.

Q How old is your wife now? A 38.

(Charles H. Reinhardt on 1880 roll, page 231, No. 800, Cherokee Nation district. Bora Reinhardt on 1880 roll, page 78, No. 325, Keweenaw District, Keweenaw district. Mary Reinhardt on 1880 roll as Mary Coker.)

(The applicant presents a certified copy of an act of admission issued from the office of the Commission on Citizenship at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation, September 23, 1880, certifying that one James Coker was admitted to all the rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship by blood, said certificate being signed by Noah Young, President, William H. Hargis and George W. Mass, Assistant Commissioners, certified to by J. B. Hayes, Clerk of the Commission, and William P. Roubicek, Executive Secretary, under the great seal of the Cherokee Nation, said certificate being dated September 24, 1881.)

(Mary Reinhardt on 1880 roll, page 150, No. 244, Mary Ann Coker, Keweenaw district. John Lambert on 1880 roll, page 240, No. 2073, John L. Reinhardt, Keweenaw district. Sarah Reinhardt on 1880 roll, page 240, No. 3974, Sarah Reinhardt, Keweenaw district. Charles Reinhardt on 1880 roll, page 240, No. 2073, Charles Reinhardt, Keweenaw district.)

Q You the father of these children? A All but the eldest one.

Q Who was the mother of the eldest one? A My wife, my first wife.

Q The last two, Sarah and Charles, then are named Reinhardt?

A Yes, sir.

Q And the eldest one is named Lambert? A Yes, sir.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A About 12 years I guess.

Q Where were you married the first time? A Down close to Illinois.

Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q Your first wife died before you married your second wife?

A Yes, sir.

Q You lived in the Cherokee Nation until your first wife died?

A Yes, sir.

Q Your present wife is named Mary A. Coker? A Yes, sir.

Q What is her father's name? A James Coker.

Q What is her mother's name? A Nettie Coker.

Q When did your present wife move to the Cherokee Nation? A It is on that paper.

Q This don't show when she moved here, it shows when her father was admitted. Did she move here when her father came? A Yes, sir.

Q When did he come? A He came off and on several different times.

Q When did he make his permanent residence here? A I don't just know.

Q Is her father living? A Yes, sir.

Q Where is he? A He is here in town I guess.

The name of Charles H. Reinhardt appears upon the census roll of 1880. He presents satisfactory proof of his marriage to one Kinsey Lambert, a Cherokee citizen by blood, and the name of said Kinsey Lambert is found upon the authenticated roll of 1880. He states that John Lambert was the son of said Kinsey Lambert before her marriage to him, and that by said marriage he had two children, Sarah Reinhardt and Charles Reinhardt, whose names all appear upon the census roll of 1880, and they all being duly identified according to the laws and manner of the roll, said Charles H. Reinhardt will be duly listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by his marriage, and said John Lambert, Sarah Reinhardt and Charles Reinhardt will be duly listed for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood.

It appears that he was married in the year 1880 to one Mary A. Coker, and presents a certificate of admission more particularly concerned in the testimony, certifying that her father, James Coker, was admitted to Cherokee citizenship in the year 1881, and presents no

Charles M. Richardt & S.

proof as to compliance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation as to establishing permanent residence thereon, and that the said wife, Mary, is the daughter of said Mary Richardt, nee Coker, will be admitted, and her name will be placed upon a docketed card to await admission as to her residence; her father, James Coker, having been admitted as a Cherokee citizen by blood.

Ernest G. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Ernest G. Jones*

Given to and subscribed before me this the 17th of October, 1900.

*[Signature]*

Commissioner.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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CHIEF OF BUREAU  
INDIAN AFFAIRS

Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

## CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

68. *Charles H. Reinhardt* Date *Oct 17 1900* *Chatt. Bluff* 1900.  
 Name *Charles H. Reinhardt*  
 District COOWEESCOOWEE. Year *1896* Page *320* No. *3995*  
 Citizen by blood *no* Mother's citizenship  
 Intermarried citizen *yes*  
 Married under what law *Alabama* Date of marriage  
 License *26* Certificate  
 Wife's name *Mary Reinhardt* *nee Coker*  
 District COOWEESCOOWEE. Year *1896* Page *130* No. *134*

Citizen by blood *yes* Mother's citizenship  
 Intermarried citizen *no*  
 Married under what law Date of marriage  
 License Certificate

Names of Children:

|                        |                     |                  |                 |                 |               |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| <i>John Reinhardt</i>  | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE | Year <i>1896</i> | Page <i>240</i> | No. <i>3973</i> | Age <i>11</i> |
| <i>David Reinhardt</i> | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE | Year <i>1896</i> | Page <i>240</i> | No. <i>3974</i> | Age <i>9</i>  |
| <i>Charles</i>         | Dist. COOWEESCOOWEE | Year <i>1896</i> | Page <i>240</i> | No. <i>3975</i> | Age <i>5</i>  |
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*2 on 1896* *nee* *as Mary Ann Coker*  
*3 " " " John L. Reinhardt*  
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# Marriage License.

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T., )  
*Cowles Co. Co. Co.* DISTRICT.)

To Any Person Legally Authorized to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting :

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony,  
and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage, between Mr.  
*W. A. Richard* a citizen of the United  
States and *Mrs. Annie Lambert*, a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the usual custom and laws  
of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this License to  
me, for record, within thirty days from the celebration of such Marriage  
with a Certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you

Given under my hand and Seal of Office

this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of *Feb*

A. D. 1889

*E. Campbell* Dist.  
Clerk *Cowles Co. Co. Co.* District.

CHEROKEE NATION, I T.

J. E. Campbell  
Governor  
3 days  
C. H. Ketchum  
K. H. Lambert  
Commissioner

J. E. Campbell  
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K. H. Lambert  
Commissioner

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

United States of America,

ss.

INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, JAMES A. WINSTON, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the 27 day of May 1899 at — M. and duly recorded in Book 24623 Marriage Record, Page 146.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee, in said Territory, this 27 day of May A. D. 1899

Jas. A. Winston. Clerk.

Deputy.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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# MARRIAGE LICENSE

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United States of America, } ss.  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

No. 919

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage...Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to Solemnize the Rite and publish the  
Banns of Matrimony between Mr. *Charles N. Reinhardt*  
of *Cody Bluff*, in the Indian Territory, aged *37* years, and  
Miss *Mary A. Casey*, of *Cody Bluff*, in the  
Indian Territory, aged *25* years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this  
License to the parties therein named

WITNESS my hand and official seal at *Vinita*, Indian Territory, this  
*24<sup>th</sup>* day of *February*, A. D. 1899.

*James A. Houston*  
Clerk of the U. S. Court.

By *J. C. Anderson* Deputy.

## CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America, } ss.  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, *J. E. Wick*, a Minister of the Gospel,  
DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *Feb* - A. D. 1899,  
I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License, solemnize the Rite and publish  
the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

WITNESS my hand this *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *Feb* A. D. 1899.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District.

Book *D* Page *111*

*J. E. Wick*  
A Minister of the Gospel.

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INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

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James A. Winston, Clerk.  
Deputy.

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ALLISON I. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
one copy of the testimony in the matter of the application of  
Charles A. Reinhardt for enrollment as  
Freeman of the Cherokee Nation.

E. B. Lawson  
Atty


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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 5, 1903.

Supplemental testimony and proceedings, in the matter of the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children; in the matter of the application of Charles H. Reinhardt, (D-623) for the enrollment of himself and wife; Grate Coker, D-638) for the enrollment of himself and child; and Ada F. Barr, (D-859) for the enrollment of herself, as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

E.B. Lawson, Nowata, I. T., attorney for applicants;  
W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

By Commission: James M. Coker was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, of Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation the case is taken up for final consideration this the 5th day of March, 1902.

D-623.

James H. Reinhardt was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and wife as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up by the Commission for final consideration at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, Nowata, I.T.

D-660:

The applicant, Grate Coker, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter; and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

D-859:

The applicant, Ada F. Barr, was notified by registered letter February 19th, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by her attorney, E.B. Lawson, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

By Mr. Lawson: In the first place I desire to call attention to the fact that in the application of Reinhardt and Barr, it seems that he states that James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1881, and that as the case of Grate Coker, and James M. Coker, the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1881. I desire merely to call attention to this fact to have the matter corrected, and to show that the same



certificate of admission of James M. Coker bears date of September 24th, 1881.

Mary Elizabeth Coker, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

By Mr. Lawson:

Q State your name. A My full name is Mary Elizabeth Coker.

Q Where do you live? A At Coody's Bluff.

Q You are? A At Coody's Bluff, Cherokee Nation.

Q Are you the wife of James M. Coker? A Yes sir.

Q When were you married to James M. Coker? A In 1871.

Q Where were you married? A In Arkansas.

Q What county? A Marion County.

Q You were married in Marion County in the State of Arkansas in 1871? A Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: I desire to file the affidavit of the clerk of Marion County stating that the marriage records of that county for 1871 cannot be obtained, or a certificate cannot be given of the marriage records, for the reason that the records were burned.

By Commission: Document was received by the Commission on the 24th day of December, 1900, and has been made part of the record in the case of James M. Coker, et al.

Q Have you been living with James M. Coker as his wife ever since you married in 1871? A Yes sir.

Q Mrs. Coker, do you know when your husband came to the Cherokee Nation, that is, removed here? A He moved here in 1863.

Q Who came with him at that time? A Why there was a man of the out with us by the name of Scott.

Q Did your family come at that time? A Yes sir.

Q Name the family? A Mary Ann Coker, Gratton Coker, Ida May Coker, Ada Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker and Ethel Coker and myself.

Q Since 1893 where have you and all of the family just mentioned by you been living? A We lived two years near Chaleasa; then we moved to the place we are living on now, near Coody's Bluff.

Q I will ask you if you and all the family that you have just mentioned have lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1893? A We have lived here all the time since that.

Q Now what children were born to you before you came to the Cherokee Nation; name them? A Mary Ann Coker and Gratton Coker and Ida May Coker and Ada Coker and Joseph Coker and James Coker and Ethel Coker.

Q All born before you came here? A Yes sir.

Q Now are any of these daughters married? A I have got two married daughters now.

Q What are their names? A Ada P. Barr, who is now, and Mary Ann Reinhardt.

Q Is Mary Ann Reinhardt the wife of Charles H. Reinhardt? A Yes sir.

Q I will ask you Mrs. Coker if you know whether or not Mr. Coker and these children ever the \$500 money in the year 1894? A Yes sir.

By Commission:

Q Were any of these children married prior to 1894? A No sir.

Q They were all single then? A Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: They were denied the pay out in 1894, and the Cherokee Council met in November of the same year, and the bill was introduced appropriating the money.

1894 pay roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined for all of applicants and their names not found thereon.

By Mr. Lawson: I will state here that the reason I have not that certificate was that I was informed by the Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, at Tallahassee, that it was in the hands of the Dease Commission, and that he could not give

as the certificate; that was a mistake, and I will get that  
I believe that is all I care to introduce.

By Mr. Hastings: ( Waives cross-examination.)

I have no more to say, and I desire also  
to this Commission only a copy of this money was paid to  
these tribes in the case, it to be made part of the  
records in all of these cases.

By Commission: The attorney for the applicant will be granted  
ten days in which to file a certified copy of the petition  
turned to.

The Attorney for the applicants filed in the case of the  
application of Grate Coker; a brief; also a brief in the  
case of Ada F. Barr; also a brief in the case of Charles  
Reinhardt; and in the case of James M. Coker.

By Commission of Mr. Dawson: Do you, in behalf of the  
various applicants mentioned herein submit the case to the  
Commission? A Yes sir.

Q - Do you submit, Mr. Hastings? A Yes sir.

By Commission: The attorney in behalf of the applicants  
the attorney in behalf of the Cherokee Nation present submit  
the case; same is deemed completed, and will be reported to  
the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now  
of record in addition to the certified copy of the act of  
Council to be filed within ten days by the attorney for the  
applicants.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission  
to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony  
and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true  
and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

M. D. Green.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he made the above copy  
and that the same is a true and complete transcript of the original  
manuscript.

*W. H. Roberts*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1902.

*Philip R. Smith*  
Notary Public.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL:-

That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money not otherwise appropriated - named out of the Strip Funds - to pay each of the following persons (\$265.70) as their pro-rata share of said funds: and the Chief is hereby authorized to issue warrants for the same.

| No.           | Name                    | Age         | Sex         |
|---------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1.            | Rosetta Hunt            | 18          | Female.     |
|               | " " " " " "             | " " " " " " | " " " " " " |
| 60            | James M. Coker          | 46          | Male        |
| 61            | Mary Ann Coker          | 19          | Female      |
| <del>62</del> | <del>Raylan Coker</del> |             |             |
| 62            | Crayton Coker           | 17          | Male        |
| <del>63</del> | <del>Ida Coker</del>    |             |             |
| 63            | Ida Coker               | 13          | Female      |
| 64            | Ida Coker               | 12          | Female      |
| 65            | Joseph Coker            | 9           | Male        |
| 66            | Charles Coker           | 7           | Male        |
| 67            | Ethel Coker             | 4           | Female.     |
|               | " " " " " "             | " " " " " " | " " " " " " |

Passed the Senate Nov 28<sup>th</sup> 1894.

J. C. Starr,

Clk. of Senate

Roach Young,

President Pro Tem.

Concurred in by Council Nov 30<sup>th</sup> 1894 , with the following amendments, strike out the name of ,

- 1 ~~Sallice H. Barber~~
- 2 ~~Pauline Shannen~~
- 3 Daisy Shannen
- 4 Lucy Shannen
- 5 Floyd Shannen
- 6 ~~Sallice H. Shannen~~
- 7 Rebecca Walden
- 8 Belle Walden
- 9 Fattie West
- 10 Viola Walden
- 11 Robert Lee Walden
- 12 Julia Quinton
- 13 Elizabeth Quinton
- 14 Frank Quinton
- 15 Joel Quinton
- 16 Jennie Quinton
- 17 Bula Brown
- 18 Lelia Brown
- 19 ~~John Brown~~
- 20 Annie Brown
- 21 Lucie Brown
- 22 Annie Brown
- 23 Willie Brown

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24 Lottie Brown  
25 Florence Brown  
26 Beulah Brown

J. H. Dick  
Clk of Council

W. Gray  
Speaker of Council Pro tem.

Concurred in by Senate Dec 1st 1894

C. W. Willey  
Clk. of Senate

W. V. Fenge  
President of Senate pro tem

Approved Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1894

C. J. Harris  
Prin. Chief C. N.  
Executive Office,  
Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah I.T.

I, B. W. Alberty, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy  
of the record of Laws of the Cherokee Nation 1893-1896 which  
is now in my legal custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of this office  
this March 10th 1902.

*B. W. Alberty*

Assistant Executive Secretary  
Cherokee Nation.

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In the matter of the application of Charles H. Rienhard for the enrollment of himself and wife as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

Brief of the Cherokee Nation.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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 ACTING CHAIRMAN



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 1st, 1903.

In the matter of the application of Charles H. Richhardt  
for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation and for the enrollment of his wife Mary Ann Richhardt  
as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to D-523.

Appearances:

Applicant appears in person.  
Cherokee Nation by J. O. Starr.

CHARLES H. RICHHARDT, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. Charles H. Richhardt.  
Q. What is your age at this time? A. About 43.  
Q. You say you are 43? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Mary A.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Geedy's Bluff.  
Q. Are you the same Charles H. Richhardt who made application  
to the Commission for enrollment as an intermarried citizen on  
October 17th, 1900? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. And whose age was given in as 38? A. I might have given  
it in that way; I might have given it wrong.  
Q. If your age was given in that way in 1900 it was a mistake?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Who made the application? A. I did.  
Q. It should have been 41 instead of 38? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Mary Ann.  
Q. Did you give her name in before as Mary A.? A. Mary Ann, I  
think.  
Q. Mary Ann is her name? You are sure of that, are you?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is your wife living at this time, Mr. Richhardt?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is her age? A. About 27 or 8.  
Q. Is she a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were you and she married? A. About 3 years ago.  
Q. Were you ever married prior to your marriage to Mary Ann?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How many times? A. Once.  
Q. What was your first wife's name? A. Hara, was her right name.  
Q. Is she living or dead? A. She is dead.  
Q. Was she a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Were you married to her under a Cherokee license according to  
Cherokee law? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When did she die? A. About 7 years ago.  
Q. Did you and she live together from the time of your marriage  
up until the time of her death? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Was she ever married before you married her? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How many times had she been married? A. Once.  
Q. Was that husband of hers dead when you were married?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You and her have never separated? A. No, sir.  
Q. After her death you married your wife Mary Ann? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. She is also a Cherokee citizen? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You never married any one but those two women? A. No, sir.

Q. Were you and Mary A. living together on the first of September, 1903? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A. About 15 years.

Q. All the time for the last 15 years? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long had your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation before her death? A. Why, all her life, I guess, or the biggest part of it.

Q. She was living here when she died--in the nation? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are these two children, Sarah and Charles Richards, your children by your first wife? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are they living? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You have got no children by your last wife? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is its name? A. It ain't named yet. It is a little fellow.

Q. Do you know how long your wife Mary has lived in the Cherokee Nation? A. About 10 years--9 or 10 years.

Q. For the last 10 years all the time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Has she been admitted by the Cherokee authorities? A. Yes, sir. Well, she was admitted in '91 or '2. Her father.

Q. She was a minor when she was admitted; small? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then she came back to the Cherokee Nation about 10 years ago? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And has lived there ever since? A. Yes, sir. There is another kid there. John Lambert.

Q. That is your first wife's child by her first husband? A. Yes, sir.

Q. He is living? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have Sarah and Charles Richards and John Lambert lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives? A. No, sir; John Lambert came here when he was about 6 months old.

Q. John Lambert has lived here since he was six months old? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The other children have lived here all their lives? A. Yes, sir.

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James O. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported the above entitled case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*James O. Carr*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of October, 1904.

*W. B. Jones*  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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In the matter of the application of James M. Coker et al. for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of:

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| James M. Coker et al.       | Cherokee D-638, |
| Grate Coker et al.          | Cherokee D-639, |
| Ada F. Barr                 | Cherokee D-639, |
| Charles H. Reinhardt et al. | Cherokee D-623. |
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POSITION.

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The record in these several cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens:

On October 18, 1900, James M. Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, on November 21, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 8, and October 7, 1902.

On October 18, 1900, Grate Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Luella I. Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 8, 1902. On March 8, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed with the Commission from which it appears that a second child, who has been named Floyd, was born to the said Grate Coker since the date of the original application.

On November 21, 1900, Ada F. Barr appeared before the Commission at Chelsea, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 8, 1902. On October 21, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for James William Barr, a child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

On October 17, 1900, Charles H. Reinhardt appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 8, and October 1, 1902.

The records of the Cherokee Nation in possession of the Commission show that the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in said Nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on March 17, 1894.

The evidence further shows that the said Mary E. Coker was married to said James M. Coker in 1871. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman, married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker are the children of said James M. Coker and his wife, Mary E. Coker, and they, together with their parents, are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker is the son of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that he was a minor at the time of his father's admission to citizenship. He is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker was lawfully married on November 12, 1897, to Maggie Mortimer, a white woman. The children, Luella I. and Floyd Coker, are the issue of that marriage, and they are identified by birth affidavits, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Ada F. Barr is the child of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that she was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. She is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Her child, James William Barr, is identified by a birth affidavit, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that Charles H. Reinhardt, a white man, was married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on February 14, 1889, to Kinney Lambert, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is now deceased.

Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495) provides for the enrollment of Cherokee citizens "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws".

Section 666 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (1892) is as follows:

"Should any man or woman, a citizen of the United States, or of any foreign country, become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage, and be left a widow or widower by the decease of the Cherokee wife or husband, such surviving widow or widower shall continue to enjoy the rights of citizenship, unless he or she shall marry a white man or woman, or person, (as the case may be), having no rights of Cherokee citizenship by blood; in that case, all of his or her rights acquired under the provisions of this act shall cease."

It appears that Charles H. Reinhardt acquired citizenship by virtue of his marriage to his first wife, Kinney, and that, subsequent to her death, he married Mary Coker, a daughter of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, who was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. The said Charles H. Reinhardt and Mary Reinhardt are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence shows that the said James M. and Mary E. Coker and their children for whom application is made herein removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1888, and have continuously resided, and lived together in said Nation, since that time; that the said Charles H. Reinhardt lived with his first wife, Kinney Reinhardt, in the Cherokee Nation until her death; that he has continuously resided in said Nation since that time, and it is considered that the residence of the said Joseph, Charles, Ethel, Luella I. and Floyd Coker has been, since their birth, that of their parents.



SPECIAL AGENT FOR INDIAN RESERVES

SIGNED Samuel T. [illegible]  
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SIGNED T. B. Nease  
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SIGNED C. R. Breckinridge  
Commissioner

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, vis:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillipe       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCoy       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 22  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 45  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 564 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 796 |
| Ukie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 263 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 234 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Sadie Fivestiller   | 887 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 246 | John F. Carden      | 891 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 897 |

Max Pette 977  
 Belle Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Joseph N. Patterson 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Smith 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hart 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
 Olivia Benge 1276  
 Dollie Wilson 1278  
 Moses Bell 1279  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1290  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
 William M. Oliver 1333  
 Andrew J. Couch 1340  
 Lina Hyles 1347  
 Mary M. Miller 1350  
 Mary E. Taylor 1368  
 Polly Ann Benge 1369  
 Margaret Moton 1385  
 Minnie McKinney 1390  
 Nettie Seabolt 1418  
 Lawrence G. Faulkner 1433  
 Sarah A. Holt 1449  
 Jennette Polecat 1492  
 Ellen Seabolt 1508  
 Charles W. Nettles 1509  
 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creeden 1513  
 Odie Pideock 1517  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1529  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1530  
 Etta Hicks 1540  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1550

Millie Morton 1554  
 Andrew Walters 1573  
 John H. Holder 1610  
 Mary M. Burr 1612  
 Thomas E. Bonham 1644  
 Florence Headrick 1663  
 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Anne Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gert Gibson 1737  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Wilks E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dessler 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Mahsa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Geneva Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Benge 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2159  
 Rebecca J. Flying 2172  
 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
 Julia Coody 2215  
 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2251  
 Sarah Gritts 2256  
 John A. Madden 2261  
 Henry C. Pennel 2271  
 Matilda S. Cleland 2292  
 Dona A. Frasier 2312  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2320

Lafayette D. Kindred 2328  
 Pearl V. Sisson 2339  
 Nancy J. Sevier 2380  
 Mollie Hair 2385  
 Dora Sayers 2474  
 William T. Jones 2501  
 Sarah L. Martin 2502  
 William J. Shoemaker 2506  
 Maud Baldridge 2511  
 James L. Townsend 2513  
 George L. Morgan 2568  
 Andrew A. Brown 2575  
 Louis K. Fair 2623  
 James L. Mitchell 2644  
 Martha E. McNair 2659  
 Millard F. Eggleston 2668  
 Elisha M. Gray 2686  
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 Annie Mayes 2798  
 Belle Sixkiller 2809  
 James P. Riley 2825  
 William Broadbus 2854  
 William A. Martin 2865  
 Joseph Q. Buchanan 2888  
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 Etta M. Hill 2915  
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 Ira W. Wallen 2926  
 John B. Laurence 2959  
 Lula O. Hitchcock 2961  
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 Eliza O'Field 2977  
 Margaret Suagee 2993  
 Winfield S. Nance 3007  
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 Thomas S. Heady 3437  
 William M. Roseborough 3444  
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 Emma McAffrey 3543  
 William T. Huitt 3570  
 Myra F. Chouteau 3580  
 Phillip Donohoo 3581  
 Fred L. Kelley 3593  
 Annie Herod 3594  
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 Robert L. Madison 3761  
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 Edward Lutz 5816  
 John F. Woodworth 5829



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| William W. Young      | 5872 |
| Earley F. Ellis       | 5874 |
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| Sarah Cannon          | 5879 |
| Mannie Beck           | 5887 |
| Jack H. Merchant      | 5888 |
| John D. Merchant      | 5889 |
| Sarah E. Ghormley     | 5894 |
| Jerry Young           | 5906 |
| James H. Brickey      | 5916 |
| Mary Hicks            | 5919 |
| George W. Weems       | 5922 |
| Albert Crain          | 5923 |
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| Amanda C. Thompson    | 5972 |
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| Alexander West        | 6036 |
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| John T. Ham           | 6042 |
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| William A. Qualla     | 6138 |
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| Hugh T. Watkins       | 6163 |
| Nancy Keys            | 6172 |
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| Eli Parker            | 6189 |
| Sarah E. Shaw         | 6194 |
| Julia Keys            | 6211 |
| Boon J. Grey          | 6214 |
| John Grubb            | 6216 |
| William M. Costephens | 6230 |
| Jane Bean             | 6232 |
| Lillie I. Taylor      | 6236 |
| Abbie B. Adair        | 6239 |
| Mack C. Watkins       | 6246 |
| Robert W. Murray      | 6261 |
| John G. Petty         | 6269 |
| Lucinda Poorboy       | 6279 |
| Sarah Mayes           | 6286 |
| Henry W. Pycatt       | 6300 |
| Isaac A. Wilson       | 6308 |
| John T. Hall          | 6310 |
| Edward L. King        | 6315 |
| Katie Still           | 6325 |
| Emmer Carlile         | 6338 |
| Blrd Webster          | 6347 |
| Fannie Morris         | 6368 |
| Leonard Lee           | 6367 |
| James R. Miller       | 6403 |
| James Brackett        | 6370 |
| Nora Allen            | 6371 |
| John T. Washington    | 6373 |

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| James J. Snider        | 6375 |
| William H. Winget      | 6376 |
| Ida R. Wilkerson       | 6383 |
| George A. McBride      | 6385 |
| Matilda Cookson        | 6387 |
| William A. Fisk        | 6392 |
| William O. Ames        | 6394 |
| Thomas Wilkerson       | 6396 |
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| Edna Whitehead        | D 2814 | Emma G. Nelson      | D 3058 |
| Charley Nuckolls      | D 2815 | Alice Simco         | D 3060 |
| Etta M. Nidiffer      | D 2817 | George O. Wallace   | D 3069 |
| Louise Owens          | D 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D 3078 |
| William H. Patterson  | D 2820 | Ellen Drew          | D 3079 |



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|--------------------|---|------|-------------------|---|-----|
| Luc Fish           | D | 3081 | Della Baldrige    | R | 105 |
| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 707 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Malissa Fields    | R | 144 |
| Lelia C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Ella Anspach      | R | 341 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 362 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D | 3187 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Pharies     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R |     |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3173 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Dora Crane        | R | 628 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   |                   |   |     |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1890.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 8, 1908, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Entered at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

1910 January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS:  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM DIXON,  
THOMAS B. HENKLES,  
C. R. BOWENBIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

February 15, 1902.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Mr. Charles H. Richhardt,

Cedys Bluff, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

yourself and wife

You are hereby notified that the application of

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are farther notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with certificate of admission of your second wife to Cherokee citizenship.

Cherokee B-693  
Register.

Yours truly,

HENRY L. DAWES  
Acting Chairman.  
Commissioner in Charge.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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B-100, B-101,  
B-102 & B-103.

Madison, Indian Territory, March 12, 1902.

W. H. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1902, granting the application of James E. Oaker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Oaker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Oaker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Gracie Oaker for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, Lucile E. and Thelma Oaker, as citizens by blood; the application of Mrs. F. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles E. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the



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COPY.

Cherokee D-623.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1903.

Charles H. Reinhardt,

Goodye Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*James Bixby*

Chairman.

No. H-30.

Register.

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Cherokee  
D-636, D-639,  
D-659 & D-623.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

H. B. Lawson,  
Attorney for James M. Ocker, et al.,  
Nowata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of James M. Ocker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Ocker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary M. Ocker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Grate Ocker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Lucille I. and Floyd Ocker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada V. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles E. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tamie Bixby.  
Chairman.

Wm. J. J. J.  
Register.



Cherokee 10218

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Charles H. Reinhardt,

Coody's Bluff,

Indian Territory .

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Encl. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
10218

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Charles H. Richhardt,

Goody's Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
S et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

V. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Washoe, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 20, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Encl. 6-100  
LWS

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James M. Cohen

Trans. from 11038

Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Seminole, I. T., October 17, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Charles N. Monhardt for  
the enrollment of himself as a Cherokee by intermarriage with his wife  
as a Cherokee by blood: being sworn and examined by  
Commissioner Hadden, he testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Charles N. Monhardt.  
Q What is your age? A 30.  
Q What is your post office address? A Geedy's Bluff.  
Q What district do you live in? A Seewooscoowee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A No, sir, adopted.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A My children and my  
wife.  
Q Yourself? A Myself, yes.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Mary Monhardt.  
Q She a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Ocker.  
Q Did any certificate of marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q This is only the certificate of marriage you have got? A No,  
sir.  
Q Applicant presents a marriage license and a certificate of  
marriage duly authenticated, issued from the office of the Cherokee  
Nation, certifying that he was married to one Mrs. Kinsey Lambert, a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the laws of the Cherokee  
Nation, on the 2nd day of February, 1899.)  
Q What are the names of your children? A John Lambert, 11 years  
old.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Sarah Monhardt, 9  
years old.  
Q The next one? A Charles Monhardt, five years old.  
Q The name of the next one? A That is all.  
Q What is the name of your wife's father? A My present wife's  
father, James Ocker.  
Q What is her mother's name? A Bettie I think.  
Q Is she living? A Yes, sir.  
Q Her father living? A Yes, sir.  
Q I see that you married a Mrs. Kinsey Lambert? A That is my  
first wife.  
Q Where is your marriage certificate to your present wife? A This  
one.  
Q Applicant also presents a certificate of marriage certifying that  
he married on the 2nd day of February, 1899, Miss Mary A. Ocker,  
according to the laws of the United States.)  
Q Your present wife a white woman? A No, sir, she is a Cherokee.  
Q Your first wife was a white woman? A She was a Cherokee.  
Q Both your wives were Cherokees? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was your first wife's name? A Her maiden name was Kinsey  
Ocker.  
Q Where born? Where was her name.  
Q Was your first wife a slave or a Cherokee? A Cherokee.  
Q What is your second wife? A Cherokee.  
Q Did you live with your first wife until the date of her death?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q Who was the mother of John Lambert? A My first wife.  
Q of your child Sarah? A My first wife.  
Q Charles? A My first wife.  
Q Have you any children by your second wife? A No, sir.  
Q I understand both of your wives were Cherokees by blood?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q You married your wife according to the laws of the Cherokee  
Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q You married your second wife according to the laws of



Charles E. Richardson - 2.

The United States? A Yes, sir.

Q How did you know that? A Sir.

(Charles E. Richardson on last roll, page 281, No. 250, Cherokee Nation. Also Richardson on last roll, page 281, No. 250, Cherokee Nation. Also Richardson on last roll, page 281, No. 250, Cherokee Nation. Also Richardson on last roll, page 281, No. 250, Cherokee Nation.)

(The applicant presents a certified copy of an act of admission issued from the office of the Commissioner of Citizenship at Washington, Cherokee Nation, September 23, 1901, admitting that the James Oker was admitted to all the rights and privileges of citizenship by blood, said certificate being signed by William H. Hargrave and George W. Hargrave, Assistant Commissioners, and filed to by J. E. Hargrave, Chief of the Commission, and William F. Hargrave, Notary, Executive Secretary, under the great seal of the Cherokee Nation, said certificate being dated September 24, 1901.)

(Also Richardson on last roll, page 120, No. 254, Mary Ann Oker, Commissioner District. Also Richardson on last roll, page 240, No. 254, John L. Richardson, Commissioner District. Also Richardson on last roll, page 240, No. 254, Frank Richardson, Commissioner District. Also Richardson on last roll, page 240, No. 254, Charles Richardson, Commissioner District.)

Q You the father of these children? A All but the eldest one.

Q Who was the mother of the eldest one? A My wife, my first wife.

Q The last two, Sarah and Charles, then are named Richardson?

A Yes, sir.

Q And the eldest one is named Lambert? A Yes, sir.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A About 12 years I guess.

Q Where were you married the first time? A Down close to Alluwe.

Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q Your first wife died before you married your second wife?

A Yes, sir.

Q You lived in the Cherokee Nation until your first wife died?

A Yes, sir.

Q Your present wife is named Mary A. Oker? A Yes, sir.

Q What is her father's name? A James Oker.

Q What is her mother's name? A Bettie Oker.

Q When did your present wife remove to the Cherokee Nation? A It is on that paper.

Q This don't show when she moved here, it shows when her father was admitted. Did she move here when her father came? A Yes, sir.

Q When did he come? A He came off and on several different times.

Q When did he make his permanent residence here? A I don't just know.

Q Is her father living? A Yes, sir.

Q Where is he? A He is here in town I guess.

The name of Charles E. Richardson appears upon the census roll of 1900. He presents satisfactory proof of his marriage to one Minney Lambert, a Cherokee citizen by blood, and the name of said Minney Lambert is found upon the authenticated roll of 1890. He avers that John Lambert was the son of said Minney Lambert before her marriage to him, and that by said marriage he had two children, Sarah Richardson and Charles Richardson, whose names all appear upon the census roll of 1900, and they all being duly identified according to the page and number of the roll, said Charles E. Richardson will be duly listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage, and said John Lambert, Sarah Richardson and Charles Richardson will be duly listed for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood.

He avers that he was married in the year 1888 to one Mary A. Oker, and presents a certificate of admission more particularly described in the testimony, certifying that her father, James Oker, was admitted to Cherokee citizenship in the year 1881, but presents no

Charles W. Jones

Proof of the above is hereby made by the undersigned  
on this 1st day of June 1900  
that the above is a true and correct copy of the  
original as the same appears in the records of the  
County of [ ] State of [ ]

James G. Jones

and I certify to the truth of the above statement  
and the correctness of the copy of the original  
as the same appears in the records of the  
County of [ ] State of [ ]

Witness my hand and subscribed before me this 1st day of June 1900



Commissioner.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Cherokee Nation, I. T.  
Cooweescoowee District.

To Any Person Legally Authorized to Solemnize Marriage-Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage, between Mr. C. H. Rienhardt, a citizen of the United States and Mrs. Minnie Lambert, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the usual custom and Laws of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this License to me, for record, within thirty days from the celebration of such Marriage with a certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this the 2 day of Feby A.D. 1889.

J. E. Campbell, Dept.  
Clerk Cooweescoowee District.  
NATION

(SEAL)

CHEROKEE

Cooweescoowee District.

I, J. E. Campbell, a clk hereby certify that on the 2 day of February 1889 I joined in Marriage, Mr. C. H. Reinhardt a citizen of the United States and Mrs. Minnie Lambert a citizen of the Cherokee nation, agreeable to the authority given in the within License and the customs and laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Given under my hand this the 4 day of Feby A.D. 1889.

J. E. Campbell, Dept.  
Cooweescoowee Dist. C.N.

Recorded Feby 15, 1889 as provided by law.

Wm. V. Carey, Clk.  
Coo. Dist., C. N.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

United States of America, )  
Indian Territory, ) SS.  
Northern District. )

To Any Person Authorized by Law to Solemnize Marriage-Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between Mr. Charles H. Rienhardt of Coedys Bluff in the Indian Territory, aged 37 years, and Miss Mary A. Coker of Coedys Bluff in the Indian Territory, aged 25 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this License to the parties therein named.

Witness my hand and official seal at Vinita, Indian Territory this 24th day of February A.D., 1899.

(SEAL)

By J. C. Anderson, Deputy.

James A. Winston.  
Clerk of the U.S. Court.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

United States of America, )  
Indian Territory, ) SS.  
Northern District. )

I, J. E. Nick, a minister of the gospel do hereby certify that on the 20th day of feb. A.D. 1899 I did duly and according to law as commanded in the foregoing License solemnize the Rite and publish the Banns of Matrimony between the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 27th day of Feby, A.D. 1899.

My credentials are recorded in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court, Indian Territory, Northern District, Book 12 page 111.

J. E. Nick.  
A Minister of the Gospel

(See Next page)

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD

United States of America, }  
Indian Territory, } SS.  
Northern District. }

I, James A. Winston, Clerk of the United States Court in the Northern District, Indian Territory, do hereby certify that the instrument hereto attached was filed for record in my office the 22 day of May 1899 and duly recorded in Book H. Marriage Record Page 146.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at Muskogee in said Territory, this 22 day of May A.D. 1899.

Jas. A. Winston Clerk.

I the undersigned stenographer to the commission to the Five Civilized Tribes do hereby certify that the above and foregoing are true and correct copies of the originals offered in evidence in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Charles Rienhardt and Mary Rienhardt as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

May 12, 1902.

*M. S. Kaufman*



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Nowata I.T., October 18, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Crato Coker for the enrollment of himself and child as Cherokee citizens; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Brackinridge he testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name? A Crato Coker.  
Q How old are you? A 24 years old.  
Q What is your post-office? A Coffeyville, Kansas.  
Q Do you live in Coconino District? A Yes sir.  
Q Who do you want to put on the roll? Just yourself? A And my baby.  
Q You don't apply for your wife? A No sir.  
Q One child? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I don't know exactly, about 7 or 8 years.  
Q Your father was admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission wasn't he? A Yes sir. Why, dogged if I could tell you myself.  
Q But that's what you have heard? A Yes sir, I think so. The applicant presents an official copy of the records of the Cherokee Commission on citizenship, ~~showing that~~ showing that on March 17th 1882, James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission; this is accepted as official evidence of the facts stated.  
Q Now that James M. Coker is your father? A Yes sir.  
Q You came here when your father came? A Yes sir.  
Q And have lived here ever since? A Yes sir.  
Q And have lived here for seven or eight years? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your child? A Luella Ione. (Produces certificate)  
Q A year old? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A I have been married three years the 12th of last September.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage? A Yes sir. (Produces papers)  
Com'r: The applicant presents certificate showing that she was married to Miss Maggie Mortimer, by the Rev. C. C. Hann on the 12th of September 1897; this is filed herewith.  
Q How many times had you been married before you married this time? A I hadn't been married at all.  
Q And of course your wife was never married before? A No sir.  
Q Your wife has lived with you ever since you and she were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Your wife is a white woman, is she? A Yes sir.  
1896 roll page 130 #335 as Grayton Coker, Coconino District;

Com'r Brackinridge: The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself and one child; it is shown that his father was admitted to Cherokee citizenship in 1882, and the applicant states that he came with his father and the balance of the family seven or eight years ago, and that he has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since; he was a minor at the time of his father's admission, and at the time he came to the Cherokee Nation, being now 24 years of age; he is identified on the roll of 1896 as a native Cherokee; the Cherokee representative present has objected to the enrollment of all members of this family, upon the grounds of unusual and presumably unlawful delay in their availing themselves of the permission of assuming the rights of citizenship; for the further consideration of this point the applicant will now be placed upon a doubtful card as a Cherokee by blood, and the final decision of the Commission will be made known to him when it is rendered;

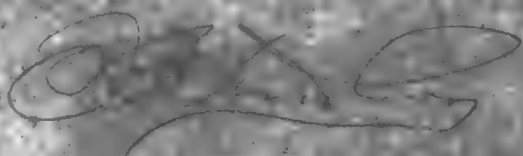
He swears by the marriage certificate filed herewith that he mar-



ried his wife in September 1900. He is a white man, about 35 years of age, and is a native of the United States. He is a member of the Grand Jury of the County of Cook, Illinois, and is a resident of Chicago, Illinois. He is a man of good character and is well known in the community. He is a man of good character and is well known in the community. He is a man of good character and is well known in the community.

M. H. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the United States, he has been in the possession of the testimony and records in the case of the Commission, and that he has a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes of the same.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October 1900.



Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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JAMES H. HARRIS

COOWEESCOOWEE.

Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

**- CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION. -**

334 *James M. Coker* Date *OCT 18 1900*  
Name *COOWEESCOOWEE* *Cordys Bluff, D.C.*  
District *Yes, admitted 1872* Year *1876* Page *130* No. *933*  
Citizen by blood *Yes, admitted 1872* Mother's citizenship  
Intermarried citizen *No*  
Married under what law *None* Date of marriage *1876*

*Mary E. Coker* Certificate *[Signature]*  
2 Wife's name *Mary E. Coker* Year *1870* Page *299* No. *222*  
District *COOWEESCOOWEE*  
Citizen by blood *No* Mother's citizenship  
Intermarried citizen *Yes*  
Married under what law *None* Date of marriage *1870*  
License Certificate

**Names of Children:**

|                       |       |      |      |     |     |
|-----------------------|-------|------|------|-----|-----|
| 3 <i>Joseph Coker</i> | Dist. | Year | Page | No. | Age |
| 4 <i>Charles</i>      | "     | "    | 130  | 939 | 11  |
| 5 <i>Ethel</i>        | "     | "    | 130  | 940 | 9   |
|                       | Dist. | Year | Page | No. | Age |
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|                       | Dist. | Year | Page | No. | Age |

2 *Ans 1896 Roll as Mary or May E. Coker*  
4 *" " " Charles Coker*

IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Luella Lome Coker*

as a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved **OCT '8 1900** 1900

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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**OCT 15 1900**

*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHIEF

*Card No 92639*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Luella Jane Coker, born on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct 1889  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: Crate Coker, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Maggie Jane Coker, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Coffeyville, Ks.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY  
Northern District.

I, Maggie Jane Coker, on oath state that I am 23  
years of age and a citizen, by adoption, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Crate Coker, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a female child was  
born to me on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct 1899; that said child has been  
named Luella Jane Coker, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Francis Gilbert  
Mary Handt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1900

my com exp 10/15/1904

Engene Lawman  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY  
Northern District.

I, William Hairs, a physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Maggie Coker, wife of Craton Coker,  
on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct, 1899; that there was born to her on  
said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Luella Jane Coker.

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Must be Two  
Witnesses.)

Francis Gilbert  
Mary Handt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1900

my commission expires 10/15/1904

Ben J. North  
NOTARY PUBLIC.



Department of the Interior,  
Bureau of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C., November 15, 1901.

In the presence of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, supplemental.  
to the oath of James M. Oker, being sworn testified as follows.

BY CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Q What is your name? A. James M. Oker.  
Q What is your place of birth? A. Goodies River.  
Q When was the date of your marriage to your present wife A. I can  
not say.  
Q Were you admitted to American citizenship after you were married?  
A. Yes, I was admitted when I was admitted.  
Q Were you ever re-married after your admission? A. No sir.

Chas. von Weise, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Com-  
missioner to the Five Civilized Tribes he has read in full all the  
proceedings in the above case and that the foregoing is a full,  
true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes therein.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th of November, 1901.

*Chas. von Weise*  
*McDermott*  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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CIRCUIT COURT.  
Sixth Monday after the First  
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COUNTY COURT.  
First Monday in January  
April, July and  
October.

PROBATE COURT.  
First Monday in February,  
May, August and  
November.

OFFICE  
OF

J. M. KEETER, Circuit Clerk, &

And Ex-Officio Recorder of Marion County.

Yellville, Ark.,

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State of Arkansas } ss  
County of Marion }

I, J. M. Keeter Clerk of the Circuit Court  
& Ex-Officio County Clerk, do hereby certify that  
a Certified Copy of a Marriage Certificate  
recorded in this Office in years 1870 or  
1871 cannot be obtained for the reason that  
the Records of this Office were destroyed by fire  
in the year 1887.

Given Under My Hand & Official Seal  
On this The 29<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1900.  
J. M. Keeter. Clerk & Recorder  
By R. L. Berry Deputy

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Chelsea Ind, Tex; Dec; 4th, 1900.

United States Of America.

Indian Territory. Northern District.

I R. K. Adair, A citizen of the Cherokee Nation , and of lawful age and on oath states that I, ~~am~~ acquainted with , James M. Coker, and have ben ~~e~~ for the past seven years, The said James M. Coker moved to the Cherokee Nation; in the Year of 1893. and located near my place six miles North of Chelsea I. T. I have known him from that time to the praesent and know that he has continuously lived within the Cherokee Nation from that time to the present, and duering the strip payment, in the year of 1894. Mr. Coker, was denied partisipatuion of the payment, of the strip money ; But when Cherokee Counsel met in November of the same year, 1894 ( R. K. Adair) was a member of Counsel , and introduced a bill before Counsel , ~~210000~~ P~~22~~ appropriatang money to Mr. Coker and his familey which was passed by the Counsel , and the money paid to Them; in the same year.

R. K. Adair.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 4th day of Dec. 1900.

David G. Galt

**Notary Public**

My Commission expires April 11th. 1903.





# Executive Department.

CHEROKEE NATION, I I

Tahlequah, March 17<sup>th</sup> 1882.

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Commission

On Citizenship

Tahlequah C.N. Sept 23 1881

Case 63 James M. Coker }

Lucy A. Dale } Petition for citizenship

vs.

Cherokee Nation

The above case continued by Plaintiff on

file January term 1882

The parties

Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 1881.

The testimony before the Commission of  
eligible witnesses show the claimants to be of Cherokee  
blood being descendants of the Walstaff family,  
well known Cherokees by blood.

The Commission therefore hereby admit the said

claimants, James M. Worley and Lucy A. Dale to  
all the rights, privileges and franchises of Cherokee  
citizenship by blood.

/ Signed Roach Young, President

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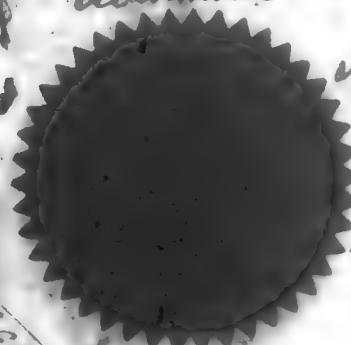
I hereby certify that  
the foregoing is a true and  
correct copy from the Record of the Proceedings  
and decisions of the Commission on citizenship  
of the Cherokee Nation now on file in this Office -  
Said Commission on Citizenship by the laws of the  
Cherokee Nation being empowered to hear and finally  
determine and decide claims for Cherokee citizenship.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my  
hand and the Seal of the Cherokee  
Nation this 1st day of March

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Executive Secretary  
Cherokee Nation



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 5, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the Application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children; in the matter of the application of Charles H. Reinhardt, (D-623) for the enrollment of himself and wife; Grate Coker, (D-639) for the enrollment of himself and child; and Ada P. Barr, (D-859) for the enrollment of herself, as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

E.B. Lawson, Nowata, I. T., attorney for applicants;  
W.V. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: James M. Coker was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 6th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, of Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation the case is taken up for final consideration this the 5th day of March, 1902.

D-623:

James H. Reinhardt was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and wife as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up by the Commission for final consideration at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 6th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, Nowata, I.T.

D-639:

The applicant, Grate Coker, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 6th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter; and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E.B. Lawson, Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

D-859:

The applicant, Ada P. Barr, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by her attorney, E.B. Lawson, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

BY MR. LAWSON: In the first place I desire to call attention to the fact that in the application of Reinhardt and Barr, it seems that the states that James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1881, and that in the case of Grate Coker, and James H. Coker, the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1881. I desire merely to call attention to this fact to have the matter corrected, and to show that the cor-



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tificate of admission of James M. Coker bears date of September 24th, 1891.

MARY ELIZABETH COKER, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY MR. LAWSON:

- Q State your name? A My full name is Mary Elizabeth Coker.
- Q Where do you live? A At the present time?
- Q Yes ma'am? A At Coody's Bluff, Cherokee Nation.
- Q Are you the wife of James M. Coker? A Yes sir.
- Q When were you married to James M. Coker? A In '71.
- Q Where were you married? A Arkansas.
- Q What county? A Marion County.
- Q You were married in Marion County in the State of Arkansas in 1871? A Yes sir.

BY MR. LAWSON: I desire to file the affidavit of the clerk of Marion County, stating that the marriage records of that county for 1870 and 1871 cannot be obtained, or a certificate cannot be shown of those marriage records, for the reason that the records were burned.

BY COMMISSIONER: Document referred to was received by the Commission on the 8th day of December, 1900, and has been made part of the record in the case of James M. Coker, et al.

- Q Have you been living with James M. Coker as his wife ever since you married in 1871? A Yes sir.

Mrs. Coker, do you know when your husband came to the Cherokee Nation, that is, removed here? A He moved here in 1893.

Q Who came with him at that time? A Why there was a man came in the wagon by the name of Scott and out with us by the name of Scott.

Q Did your family come at that time? A Yes sir.

Q Name the family? A Mary Ann Coker, Gratton Coker, Ida May Coker, Ada Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker and Ethel Coker and myself.

Q Since 1893 where have you and all of the family just mentioned by you been living? A We lived two years near Chelsea; then we moved to the place we are living on now, near Coody's Bluff.

Q I will ask you if you and all the family that you have just mentioned have lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1893? A Well have lived here all the time since that.

Q How many children were born to you before you came to the Cherokee Nation, name them? A Mary Ann Coker and Gratton Coker and Ida May Coker and Ada Coker and Joseph Coker and James Coker and Ethel Coker.

Q All born before you came here? A Yes sir.

Q How many of those daughters married? A I have got two married daughters now.

Q What are their names? A Ada F. Barr, she is now; and Mary Ann Reinhardt.

Q Is Mary Ann Reinhardt the wife of Charles H. Reinhardt? A Yes sir.

Q I will ask you Mrs. Coker if you know whether or not Mr. Coker and those children drew the Strip money in the year 1894? A Yes sir.

BY COMMISSIONER:

Q Were any of those children married prior to 1894? A No sir.

Q They were all single then? A Yes sir.

BY MR. LAWSON: They were denied the payment in 1894, and the Cherokee Council voted November of the same year, and the bill was introduced appropriating the money.

And pay roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined for all of applicants and their names not found thereon.

BY MR. LAWSON: I will state here that the reason I have not testified is that I was informed by the Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, at Tahlequah, that it was in the hands of the Survey Commission, and that he could not give

on the certificate; that was a mistake, and I will get that later on.

I believe that is all I care to introduce.

BY MR. HASTINGS: (Waives cross-examination.)

BY MR. LAWSON:

I have my briefs prepared, and I desire also to file a certified copy showing that this money was paid to these parties in 1894; and desire it to be made part of the records in all of these cases.

BY COMMISSION: The attorney for the applicant will be granted ten days in which to file a certified copy of the act referred to.

The attorney for the applicants files in the case of the application of Crate Coker, a brief; also a brief in the case of Ada P. Barr; also a brief in the case of Charles Reinhardt; and in the case of James H. Coker.

BY COMMISSION OF MR LAWSON: Do you, in behalf of the various applicants mentioned herein submit the case to the Commission? A Yes sir.

Q Do you submit, Mr. Hastings? A Yes sir.

BY COMMISSION: The attorney in behalf of the applicants and the attorney in behalf of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case; same is deemed completed, and will be reported to the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now of record in addition to the certified copy of the act of Council to be filed within ten days by the attorney for the applicants.

I, M.D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I accurately recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*M.D. Green*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL:-

That, there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money not otherwise appropriated - out of the Strip Funds - to pay each of the following persons (\$200.70) as their pro-rata share of said funds: and the Chief is hereby authorized to issue warrants for the same.

| No.           | Name                     | Age           | Sex               |
|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 1.            | Rosetta Hunt             | 18            | Female.           |
|               | # # # # #                |               |                   |
| 60            | James M. Coker           | 46            | Male              |
| 61            | Mary Ann Coker           | 19            | Female            |
| <del>62</del> | <del>Grayton Coker</del> | <del>17</del> | <del>Male</del>   |
| <del>63</del> | <del>Ida Coker</del>     | <del>13</del> | <del>Female</del> |
| 64            | Ada Coker                | 12            | Female            |
| 65            | Joseph Coker             | 9             | Male              |
| 66            | Charles Coker            | 7             | Male              |
| 67            | Ethel Coker              | 4             | Female.           |
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Passed the Senate Nov 20<sup>th</sup> 1894.

J. C. Starr,

Clk. of Senate

Reach Young,

President Pro Tem.

Concurred in by Council Nov 30<sup>th</sup> 1894, with the following amendments, strike out the name of,

1. Willie H. Bartee
2. Pauline Shannon
3. Daisy Shannon
4. Lucy Shannon
5. Fred Shannon
6. Willie H. Shannon
7. Rebecca Walden
8. Willie Walden
9. Willie West
10. Viola Walden
11. Robert Lee Walden
12. Julia Quinton
13. Elizabeth Quinton
14. Frank Quinton
15. Joel Quinton
16. James Quinton
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24 Lottie Brown  
25 Florence Brown  
26 Beulah Brown

J. H. Dick  
Clk of Council

V. Gray  
Speaker of Council Pro tem.

Concurred in by Senate Dec 1st 1894

G. W. Willey

Clk. of Senate

Approved Dec 5<sup>th</sup> 1894

H. V. Benge  
President of Senate pro tem

C. J. Harris  
Prin. Chief C. N.

,Executive Office,  
,Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, I.T.

I, B. W. Alberty, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy  
from of the record of Laws of the Cherokee Nation 1893-1896 which  
is now in my legal custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of this office  
this March 10th 1902.

---B. W. Alberty---

Assistant Executive Secretary  
Cherokee Nation.



## Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

**Mustagee, I. T. May, 8, 1902.**

IN the matter of the application of  
Grate Coker et al for enrollment as a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Onstroke D. 639.

## Brief of the Cherokee Nation.

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The testimony shows that the father of Grabe Coker, James M. Coker, was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation in September, 1881, but did not remove to the Cherokee Nation until 1893, or twelve years after he was readmitted to citizenship. The father of the applicant is enrolled on Dountful Card No. 2. 680, to which reference is made.

Respectfully submitted,

W W Hastings, Jr.  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

Before the Honorable Bureau Commission, sitting at Muskogee, I. T.

In the matter of the application for enrollment as a Citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Ada, F. Berry.

Applicants Brief.

Applicant would represent that she is the Daughter of James M. Coker who was admitted to Citizenship in September 1881 by the Cherokee Commission ; that at the time James M. Coker was admitted to Citizenship this applicant was but a year or so old.

Applicant would represent that she has been recognized as a Cherokee Indian Citizen ever since she can remember and has lived in the Cherokee Nation since she was 8 or 9 years old.

We contend that the Cherokee Nation is barred by the Statute of Limitation from disputing applicants right for enrollment as a Citizen of the Cherokee Nation .

The only contention urged against the enrollment of applicant is that applicant should have removed to the Cherokee Nation prior to 1883 but it must be born in mind that applicant was only 8 or 9 years of age when she did come to the Cherokee Nation and was then depended on her Father with whom she lived .

It must be also born in mind that there were no restriction placed on James M. Coker when he was admitted to Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation and there was no time stated in said admission when he should remove to the Cherokee Nation, but his admittance was unconditional .

*E. B. Berry*  
~~Attorney for the Applicant~~

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, I. T., May, 8, 1902.

In the matter of the application of  
Ada F. Barr for enrollment as a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Cherokee D. 859.

BRIEF ON THE PART OF THE CHEROKEE NATION.

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The applicant is a daughter of James M. Coker, listed for enrollment on Doubtful Card No. D. 638. James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in September, 1881 while he was a citizen and resident of the state of Arkansas, and removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1883, or twelve years after he was readmitted to citizenship. The applicant, herself, was born in the state of Arkansas, and moved to the Cherokee Nation with her father, and it would seem that her case was determined by that of her father, and reference is made thereto, the same being Cherokee D. 638.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. Hastings *gcs*  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

A. G. E.

Before the Honorable Dawes Commission, sitting at Muskogee, I. T.

In the matter of the application for enrollment as a Citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Charles H. Rienhardt, et al.

Applicants Brief.

Comes now Charles H. Rienhardt, and represents that he was married on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1899 to Miss Mary A. Coker; that prior to his said marriage to the said Mary A. Coker he had been married to Mrs. Kinney Lambert, who died before his marriage to his present wife.

There is no contention as to the enrollment of applicants Children by his first wife, and they were duly placed on the roll of Citizenship.

Mary A. Coker, wife of applicant, Charles H. Rienhardt, claims Citizenship as a Cherokee, under and through her Father James M. Coker, who was admitted to Citizenship in September 1881 by the Cherokee Commission, said Certificate being duly introduced and filed in this case.

The name of Mary Rienhardt appears on the 1884 roll as Mary Ann Coker

The only contention on the part of the Cherokee representatives is that the said James M. Coker, Father of applicant, Mary Rienhardt was admitted to Citizenship in 1881 and did not remove to the Cherokee Nation until 1893.

We do not see how the Cherokee Nation can successfully contend against the enrollment of this applicant as applicant, Mary Rienhardt was a very small girl at the time of the admission of her Father, James M. Coker to Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, and the act of the Commission in admitting her Father, James M. Coker was an admitting all his minor Children to Citizenship.

There was nor conditions or restriction placed on James M. Coker when he should remove to the Cherokee Nation and we contend that he nor any of his family lost any of their rights by not moving to the Cherokee Nation until 1893.

The applicant shows to this Commission that she has lived continuously lived in the Cherokee Nation for 7 or 8 years last past and has had her property interests here all that time and has drawn money as a Cherokee and we certainly believe that the Cherokee Nation is barred by the Statute of limitations, if nothing else from contesting the claims of applicant.

It must be born in mind that the applicant is only 26 years old now and was only about 17 years old when she came to the Cherokee Nation and it certainly should not be urged that she should have come to the Cherokee Nation any sooner as she was dependent on her Father for her support.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, I. T., May, 8, 1902.

In the matter of the application of  
Charles H. Rienhardt for the enroll-  
ment of himself and wife as citizens  
of the Cherokee Nation.

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Cherokee D. 638.

BRIEF ON THE PART OF THE CHEROKEE NATION.

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Charles H. Rienhardt has been twice married, and became a citizen of the Cherokee Nation after his marriage to his first wife; she died and in 1899 he married Mary Coker, the daughter of James M. Coker. The father of his last wife, James M. Coker, applied to the Commission for enrollment, and was placed upon Enrollment Card No. D. 638. The testimony shows that he was admitted while a citizen of the state of Arkansas to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation in 1881, but that he did not remove to the Cherokee Nation until 1893, or twelve years after he was admitted. Inasmuch as the wife of the present ~~wife~~ applicant will follow the status of the father, reference is made to his case, No. D. 638.

There is one other point however, to which the attention of the Commission is invited, and that is that, Charles H. Rienhardt was listed for enrollment upon a straight card. He applied to be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage, but that his first wife was dead, and if the Commission refuses to enroll his second wife, then clearly Charles H. Rienhardt is not entitled to be enrolled, because if his present wife is not a citizen he forfeits his right to be enrolled by his marriage to her in Section 636 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. H. Hastings*  
Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

This is to certify that I C.C. Hand did according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation join to Gether in wedlock Mr. Grate Baker and Miss Maggie Mortimer. My credentials is filed for Record in Book B on page 28, Muskogee, Ind. Ter. Witness my Hand and seal this twelve day of September A.D., 1897.

Ed. C.C. Hand.

Witness Frank Edwards

Mannie Mortimer.

Department of the Interior,

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, I.T., May 13, 1902.

I, the undersigned, a stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original offered in evidence in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Grate Baker, et.al. as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

*A. L. Hixson*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes:  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 1st, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Charles H. Rianhardt  
for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation and for the enrollment of his wife Mary Ann Rianhardt  
as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to D-623.

Appearances:

Applicant appears in person.  
Cherokee Nation by J. C. Starr.

CHARLES H. RIANHARDT, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. Charles H. Rianhardt.  
Q. What is your age at this time? A. About 43.  
Q. You say you are 43? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Mary Ann.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Coody's Bluff.  
Q. Are you the same Charles H. Rianhardt who made application  
to the Commission for enrollment as an intermarried citizen on  
October 17th, 1900? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. And whose age was given in as 28? A. I might have given  
it in that way; I might have given it wrong.  
Q. If your age was given in that way in 1900 it was a mistake?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Who made the application? A. I did.  
Q. It should have been 41 instead of 28? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Mary Ann.  
Q. Did you give her name in before as Mary A.? A. Mary Ann, I  
think.  
Q. Mary Ann is her name? You are sure of that, are you?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is your wife living at this time, Mr. Rianhardt?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is her age? A. About 27 or 8.  
Q. Is she a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were you and she married? A. About 3 years ago.  
Q. Were you ever married prior to your marriage to Mary Ann?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How many times? A. Once.  
Q. What was your first wife's name? A. Vera, was her right name.  
Q. Is she living or dead? A. She is dead.  
Q. Was she a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Were you married to her under a Cherokee license according to  
Cherokee law? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When did she die? A. About 1 year ago.  
Q. Did you and she live together from the time of your marriage  
up until the time of her death? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Was she ever married before you married her? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How many times had she been married? A. Once.  
Q. Was that husband of hers dead when you were married?  
A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You and her have never separated? A. No, sir.  
Q. After her death you married your wife Mary Ann? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. She is also a Cherokee citizen? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You never married any one but these two women? A. No, sir.



Q. Were you and Mary living here on the first of September, 1901? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A. About 16 years.

Q. All the time for the last 16 years? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long had your wife been in the Cherokee Nation before her death? A. I don't know, but I guess, or the biggest part of it.

Q. She was living here when she died in the nation? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are these two children, Sarah and John Lambert, your children by your first wife? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are they living? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You have got no children by your last wife? A. No, sir.

Q. What is its name? A. It ain't named yet. It is a little fellow.

Q. Do you know how long your wife Mary has lived in the Cherokee Nation? A. About 10 years--9 or 10 years.

Q. For the last 10 years all the time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Has she been admitted by the Cherokee authorities? A. Yes, sir. Well, she was admitted in '91 or '2. Her father.

Q. She was a minor when she was admitted, small? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then she came back to the Cherokee Nation about 10 years ago? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And has lived there ever since? A. Yes, sir. There is another kid there, John Lambert.

Q. That is your first wife's child by her first husband? A. Yes, sir.

Q. He is living? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have Sarah and Charles Kromhardt and John Lambert lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives? A. No, sir; John Lambert came here when he was about 6 months old.

Q. John Lambert has lived here since he was six months old? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The other children have lived here all their lives? A. Yes, sir.

James C. Carr, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported the above entitled case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of October, 1901.

Notary Public.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
Commissioned to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 7th, 1902.

In the matter of the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation; for the enrollment of his wife, Mary M. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Supplemental to #D-438.

Applicant appears in person.  
Cherokee Nation by J. C. Starr.

JAMES M. COKER, being duly sworn, testified as follows.  
Examination by the Commission.

- Q. State your name? A. James M. Coker.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Coody's Bluff, Cherokee Nation.  
Q. You are a Cherokee by blood, are you? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. How long have you been living in the Cherokee Nation?  
A. Since '93.  
Q. Were you admitted to citizenship? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When? A. In 1882 I believe it was.  
Q. When did you come to the Cherokee Nation first?  
A. With all my effects?  
Q. Yes, sir. A. In '93.  
Q. Been living here continuously since that time? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is your wife's name? A. Mary E.  
Q. Is she a white woman? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is she living? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Claims citizenship through you, does she? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is she your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are you her first husband? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Neither of you been married before? A. No, sir.  
Q. When were you married? A. 32 years--1870, I believe it was.  
Q. You were married in the states? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Has she been living with you in the Cherokee Nation ever since you came? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Living with you at this time? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Never been separated? A. No, sir.  
Q. How many children have you? A. Six living.  
Q. What are their names? A. The oldest one of Mary A., next oldest Grayton, Ada Y., Joseph, Charley and Ethel.  
Q. Are the three older children over 21? A. Two of them.  
Q. One of them I don't know. What does she have to be, 18?  
Q. Yes. A. She is over 18, she is married.  
Q. She is married, the oldest? A. Yes, sir; three married.  
Q. Three married, three at home.  
Q. Married at the time you were admitted? A. Yes, sir; two of them was--yes, three of them.  
Q. The three youngest are living with you and your wife in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Did you file the act of the Cherokee National Council admitting you to citizenship? A. The attorney did, I suppose.  
Q. You had an attorney? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Representing you when you made application? A. Oh, no.  
Q. When you made application two years ago? A. Oh, yes, he presented my citizenship papers.





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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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In the matter of the application of James M. Coker et al. for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of:

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| James M. Coker et al.       | Cherokee D-638, |
| Grate Coker et al.          | Cherokee D-639, |
| Ada F. Barr                 | Cherokee D-639, |
| Charles R. Reinhardt et al. | Cherokee D-623. |
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DECISION.

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The record in these several cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens:

On October 18, 1900, James M. Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary F. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, on November 21, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 7, 1902.

On October 18, 1900, Grate Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Luella I. Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, 1902. On March 6, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed with the Commission from which it appears that a second child, who has been named Floyd, was born to the said Grate Coker since the date of the original application.

On November 21, 1900, Ada F. Barr appeared before the Commission at Chelsea, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, 1902. On October 31, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for James William Barr, a child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

On October 17, 1900, Charles R. Reinhardt appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 1, 1902.

The records of the Cherokee Nation in possession of the Commission show that the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in said Nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on March 17, 1902.



The evidence further shows that the said Mary E. Coker was married to said James M. Coker in 1871. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman, married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker are the children of said James M. Coker and his wife, Mary E. Coker, and they, together with their parents, are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker is the son of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that he was a minor at the time of his father's admission to citizenship. He is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker was lawfully married on November 12, 1897, to Maggie Mortimer, a white woman. The children, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker, are the issue of that marriage, and they are identified by birth affidavits, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Ada F. Barr is the child of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that she was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. She is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Her child, James William Barr, is identified by a birth affidavit, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that Charles H. Reinhardt, a white man, was married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on February 14, 1899, to Kinney Lambert, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is now deceased.

Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495) provides for the enrollment of Cherokee citizens "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws".

Section 666 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (then) is as follows:

"Should any man or woman, a citizen of the United States, or of any foreign country, become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage, and be left a widow or widower by the decease of the Cherokee wife or husband, such surviving widow or widower shall continue to enjoy the rights of citizenship, unless he or she shall marry a white man or woman, or person, (as the case may be), having no rights of Cherokee citizenship by blood; in that case, all of his or her rights acquired under the provisions of this act shall cease."

It appears that Charles H. Reinhardt acquired citizenship by virtue of his marriage to his first wife, Kinney, and that, subsequent to her death, he married Mary Coker, a daughter of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, who was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. The said Charles H. Reinhardt and Mary Reinhardt are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence shows that the said James M. and Mary E. Coker and their children for whom application is made herein removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1893, and have continuously resided, and lived together in said Nation, since that time; that the said Charles H. Reinhardt lived with his first wife, Kinney Reinhardt, in the Cherokee Nation until her death; that he has continuously resided in said Nation since that time, and it is considered that the residence of the said Joseph, Charles, Ethel, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker has been, since their birth, that of their parents.



The evidence further shows that the said Mary E. Coker was married to said James M. Coker in 1871. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Vandy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman, married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker are the children of said James M. Coker and his wife, Mary E. Coker, and they, together with their parents, are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Crate Coker is the son of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that he was a minor at the time of his father's admission to citizenship. He is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Crate Coker was lawfully married on November 12, 1897, to Maggie Mortimer, a white woman. The children, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker, are the issue of that marriage, and they are identified by birth affidavits, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Ada F. Barr is the child of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that she was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. She is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Her child, James William Barr, is identified by a birth affidavit, made a part of this record.

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The evidence shows that the said James M. and Mary E. Coker and their children for whom application is made herein removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1893, and have continuously resided, and lived together in said Nation, since that time; that the said Charles H. Reinhardt lived with his first wife, Kinney Reinhardt, in the Cherokee Nation until her death; that he has continuously resided in said Nation since that time, and it is considered that the residences of the said Joseph, Charles, Ethel, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker has been, since their birth, that of their parents.

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It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that James M. Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker, Ethel Coker, Grate Coker, Lucilla I. Coker, Floyd Coker, Ada F. Barr, James William Barr and Mary Reinhardt should be enrolled as citizens by blood, and that Mary E. Coker and Charles E. Reinhardt should be enrolled as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 22, 1898, (30 Stat., 494), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
C. R. Dickinson.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903

Cherokee 10219.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
MUSKOGEE, I. T., January 2, 1907.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Mary E. Coker as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee  
Nation.

APPEARANCES:

Applicant represented by E. P. Lawson,  
Nowata, Indian Territory.

MARY E. COKER, being first duly sworn by Frances  
R. Lane, a Notary Public for the Western District, Indian Ter-  
ritory, testifies as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Mary E. Coker.  
Q How old are you? A 56 years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Coody Bluff, T. T.  
Q You claim to be an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Through whom do you claim to derive your right as an inter-  
married Cherokee? A J. M. Coker.  
Q When were you married to J. M. Coker? A Married in 1871.  
Q What time in 1871? A The 8th of October 1871.  
Q Had you ever been married prior to your marriage with Mr.  
Coker? A No sir.  
Q Had he ever been married prior to his marriage to you?  
A No sir.  
Q Where were you married? A In Arkansas.  
Q How long did you live in Arkansas after you were married?  
A I can't tell you.  
Q About how long? A Why, I guess about 15 or 16 years; some-  
where along there; I can't know how long I lived there.  
Q Have you and Mr. Coker lived together continuously in the  
Cherokee as husband and wife since you came there to live?  
A Yes sir.  
Q And you have lived together continuously as husband and wife  
since your marriage in 1871? A Yes sir.  
Q And are still living together? A Yes sir.  
Q Was your husband a citizen of the Cherokee nation at the time  
you married him? A Well, I can't tell you. He was there.  
Q When was he first admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee  
Nation? A I don't know; it was '85 or '86 I think, or some-  
where along there. I can't tell you. He was admitted to citi-  
zenship before he moved out here from Arkansas. He came out  
and enrolled, him and the children.  
Q Then they went back to Arkansas? A Yes sir.

Q And did he draw any money in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Who married you when you were married in Arkansas?

A A Justice of the Peace.

Q What was his name? A James Saffren.

Q Have you a certificate? A No, sir, it was burned.

By Mr. Lawson: I have a certificate here showing that the records were burned, and showing the whole transaction.

The Commissioner: Mr. Coker got a certificate, did he, showing that the records were burned in Arkansas?

A Yes, and sent them down here.

By Mr. Lawson: Here it is among the records. It is a certificate of the clerk showing that the records were burned, and showing that J. M. and Mary Coker were married in 1870 or 1871.

Reference is here made to the certified copy of J. M. Keeter, showing the marriage certificate of the applicant and her husband was burned. Reference is also made to the testimony of James M. Coker taken Oct. 18, 1900; also testimony of James M. Coker taken November 21, 1900 and supplemental testimony taken October 7, 1902.

Examination by Mr. Lawson:

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation?

A I came here in 1888.

Q Have you lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation since that time? A Yes sir.

Q What is your husband, Delaware or Cherokee?

A Cherokee.

The applicant is identified on the 1898 Cherokee Census Roll opposite No. 222. Her husband, through whom she claims identification as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation is identified on said roll opposite No. 983, and is also identified on the final roll of Cherokees by blood opposite No. 29204. Reference is also made to the testimony heretofore taken in support of applicant's right to enrollment at Nowata, Oct. 18, 1900, Chelsea, Nov. 21, 1900, Nowata, Oct. 17, 1900 and Muskogee, Oct. 1, 1902 and March 5, 1902.

Witness examined.

Frances R. Lane upon oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes she accurately reported the proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct transcription of her stenographic notes thereof.

*Frances R. Lane*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of January, 1907.

*Edward H. Morris*  
Notary Public.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
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Nation,

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ritory, testifies as follows:

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER:

- Q What is your name? A Mary E. Coker.  
Q How old are you? A 36 years old.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Coody Bluff, Tl. T.  
Q You claim to be an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Through whom do you claim to derive your right as an inter-  
married Cherokee? A J. M. Coker.  
Q When were you married to J. M. Coker? A Married in 1871.  
Q What time in 1871? A The 5th of October 1871.  
Q Had you ever been married prior to your marriage with Mr.  
Coker? A No sir.  
Q Had he ever been married prior to his marriage to you?  
A No sir.  
Q Where were you married? A In Arkansas.  
Q How long did you live in Arkansas after you were married?  
A I can't tell you.  
Q About how long? A Why, I guess about 15 or 16 years; some-  
where along there; I don't know how long I lived there.  
Q Have you and Mr. Coker lived together continuously in the  
Cherokee as husband and wife since you came there to live?  
A Yes sir.  
Q And you have lived together continuously as husband and wife  
since your marriage in 1871? A Yes sir.  
Q And are still living together? A Yes sir.  
Q Was your husband a citizen of the Cherokee nation at the time  
you married him? A Well, I can't tell you. He was there.  
Q When was he first admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee  
Nation? A I don't know; it was '82 or '83 I think, or some-  
where along there. I can't tell you. He was admitted to citi-  
zenship before he moved out here from Arkansas. He came out  
and enrolled, him and the children.  
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Examination by Mr. Lawson:

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation?

A I came here in 1893.

Q Have you lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation since that time? A Yes sir.

Q What is your husband, Delaware or Cherokee?

A Cherokee.

The applicant is identified on the 1895 Cherokee Census Roll opposite No. 222. Her husband, through whom she claims identification as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation is identified on said roll opposite No. 933, and is also identified on the final roll of Cherokees by blood opposite No. 29204. Reference is also made to the testimony heretofore taken in support of applicant's right to enrollment at Nowata, Oct. 18, 1900, Chelsea, Nov. 21, 1900, Nowata, Oct. 17, 1900 and Muskogee, Oct. 1, 1902 and March 5, 1902.

Witness examined.

Frances H. Lane upon oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes she accurately reported the proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

*Frances H. Lane*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1903.

*Edward Morris*  
Notary Public.

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Cherokee 10219.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
MARY E. COKER as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee  
Nation.

D E C I S I O N

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That at Nowata, Indian Territory, October 18, 1900 application was received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment of Mary E. Coker as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, November 21, 1900 and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 5, 1902 and October 7, 1902 and January 2, 1907. The records further show that on March 2, 1903 the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes rendered its decision herein granting said applicant the right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

THE EVIDENCE IN THIS CASE SHOWS: That the applicant herein, Mary E. Coker, is a white woman and neither claims nor possesses any right to enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation other than such right as she may have acquired by virtue of her marriage to one James Coker in the State of Arkansas, October 5, 1871; that said James M. Coker was not at the time of said marriage a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation and did not become a citizen of said Nation until his admission to citizenship therein by the duly constituted authorities of said Nation September 24, 1881; said applicant did not, therefore, marry a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. Neither the applicant herein, Mary E. Coker, nor her husband, the said James M. Coker, can be identified on the Cherokee authenticated tribal roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That the decision rendered by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, March 2, 1903, granting the application for the enrollment of Mary E. Coker as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, be rescinded, set aside and held for naught, and that in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States dated November 5, 1906 in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al. vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, the said applicant, Mary E. Coker, is not entitled, under the provisions of Section Twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 25, 1906 (34 Stats. 495), to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and her application for enrollment as such is accordingly denied.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory

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COMMISSIONERS:  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM BIXBY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRACKINRIDGE.

ALFRED L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 16, 1902.

URGES ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Mr. James M. Ocker,

Cedar Bluff, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and three

minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the sixth day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Cherokee D-428  
Register.

Acting Chairman

Commissioner in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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Madison, Indian Territory, March 22, 1900.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Waste, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1900, granting the application of James H. Guler for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Guler, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary H. Guler, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Grate Guler for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Nellie H. and Mary Guler, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada H. Burr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Burr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles H. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the



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appeals. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

James Bixby.

Chairman.

Rev. H. C. C.

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Cherokee  
1-633, 2-633,  
3-633 & 4-633.

McAlester, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

E. E. Lawson,

Attorney for James M. Coker, et al.,  
Nowata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Grate Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Luella I. and Elsie Coker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada F. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles K. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James Bixby,  
Chairman.

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Cherokee D-023.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

James H. Coker,

Goodye Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your three minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Mary H. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Wm. H. Hixby.  
Chairman.

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Cherokee  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 22, 1906.

Mary E. Coler,

Goodys Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

November 6, 1906, the United States Supreme Court held that white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens according to Cherokee law prior to November 1, 1895, are entitled to enrollment and allotments of land as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

You are advised that to properly determine your right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, it will be necessary for you to appear before the Commissioner for the purpose of giving testimony as to the date of your marriage and whether or not your husband, by reason of your marriage to whom you claim the right to enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was a recognized Cherokee citizen at the time of your marriage to him.

You are, therefore, directed to appear before the Commissioner at Muskogee, Indian Territory, at 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, January 2, 1907, and give testimony as above indicated.

Respectfully,

J. M. H.

Acting Commissioner.

Cherokee 10219

Muskagee, Indian Territory, February 6, 1907.

Mary E. Goker,

Coody's Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 6, 1907, rejecting the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Your attorney, E. B. Lawson, Nowata, Indian Territory, has heretofore been furnished with a copy of the record of proceedings had in the case, and there has this day been forwarded to him a copy of the Commissioner's decision.

The decision, together with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision. The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Wm. L. ...

Commissioner.

Wm. L. ...



Cherokee 10219

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

E. B. Lawson,

Nowata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed herewith copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 8, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision, together with the record of proceedings had in the case has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision. The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed herewith copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 8, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision, together with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Medicine, Indian Territory, February 8, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith the record of proceedings had in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary H. Ocker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, together with the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 8, 1907, denying said application.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Through the Commissioner  
of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON.

February 27, 1907.

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to invite your attention to the enclosed record of Commissioner Dinkley in the matter of the application for the enrollment of Mary E. Gohr as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Commissioner Dinkley found that the applicant is a white woman and neither claims nor possesses any right to enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation other than such right as she may have acquired by virtue of her marriage to one James H. Gohr in the State of Arkansas, October 8, 1891; that at that time James H. Gohr was not a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation and did not become a citizen until his admission on September 24, 1891; that therefore the applicant was not married in accordance with the laws of the Nation, and her name does not appear on any of the tribal rolls.

Applying the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of *Smith and Bird et al vs. the United States* to this case, the Commissioner held the applicant was not entitled to enrollment, and on February 8, 1907, rejected her.

It is recommended that his decision be approved.

Very respectfully,  
C. F. Johnson,  
Acting Commissioner.

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W.H.M.  
J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
D.C. 12600-12607.  
LRS. WASHINGTON.

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all 1907.

March 2, 1907.

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Committed over to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your decisions in the following Cherokee citizenship cases adverse to the applicants are hereby affirmed. Copies of Indian Office letters submitting your reports and recommending that the decisions be affirmed are enclosed:

| Title of Case:                      | Date of your<br>letter of transmittal. |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Reese Hardwick, et al. (freedmen),  | February 13, 1907.                     |
| Alexander M. Anderson,              | February 21, 1907.                     |
| William Patrick,                    | February 19, 1907.                     |
| Reena Arveta Hinson,                | February 12, 1907.                     |
| Reena Wesley Hight, (freedman),     | February 12, 1907.                     |
| James McDaniel,                     | February 2, 1907.                      |
| George V. Hill,                     | February 15, 1907.                     |
| Lydia M. Ward, et al. (freedmen),   | February 12, 1907.                     |
| Mary E. Galar,                      | February 8, 1907.                      |
| Charlotte M. Laughlin, et al.,      | February 21, 1907.                     |
| Jessie Lee Hight, et al.,           | February 12, 1907.                     |
| Joseph Henson,                      | February 14, 1907.                     |
| John Earl Redburn, et al.,          | February 15, 1907.                     |
| Minnie L. Paine, et al. (freedmen), | February 13, 1907.                     |
| Clark E. Curran,                    | February 19, 1907.                     |
| George H. Freeman (freedman),       | February 14, 1907.                     |



**Title of Case.**

**Date of your  
letter of transmittal.**

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| Mary J. Graybeard,                   | February 8, 1907.  |
| Sarah Stagg, et al.,                 | January 17, 1907.  |
| Alveto Flemming, et al. (freedmen),  | February 12, 1907. |
| Tyre Pinley (freedman),              | February 12, 1907. |
| Clarence Landrum, et al. (freedmen), | February 14, 1907. |
| Minnie E. Howell,                    | February 14, 1907. |
| D. H. Flannery,                      | February 2, 1907.  |
| Harsh J. Martin,                     | February 14, 1907. |
| Elizabeth Coleman,                   | February 8, 1907.  |
| Roxie Christine Nims,                | February 14, 1907. |
| Ella Hill (freedman),                | February 14, 1907. |
| Jane Langley,                        | February 6, 1907.  |
| Frances Elizabeth Forbes,            | February 12, 1907. |
| Isabelle J. Paris,                   | February 2, 1907.  |
| Clarence Hill, et al. (freedmen),    | February 12, 1907. |
| Mary Dean, et al. (freedmen),        | January 18, 1907.  |

A copy herewith and all the papers in the above mentioned cases have been sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

(signed) James H. Wilson,

Assistant Secretary.

22 enclosures, and  
79 enclosures to Ind. Off.,  
with copies herewith.

A. J. M.  
Feb 27.

Cherokee  
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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 21, 1907

Mary E. Coker,

Geodys Bluff, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 2, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior, March 2, 1907.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *Tams Bixby.*  
Commissioner.

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Cherokee  
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COPY

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 22, 1907.

E. B. Lawson,  
Attorney for Mary E. Coker,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 8, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Mary E. Coker, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior, March 2, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Bixby.*

Commissioner.

Encl. C-55  
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COPY

Cherokee V.  
N-874 et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 22, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated February 13, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Moses Wardick, et al., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior, March 2, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental Decision referred to.

Respectfully,

SIGNED *James Blxby.*  
Commissioner.

Encl. 3-22  
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Grate Coker

Trans. from D639

Cher 10220



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Nowata I.T., June 12, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Grate Coker for the enrollment of himself and child as citizens; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Brockbridge, he testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name? A Grate Coker.  
Q How old are you? A 24 years old.  
Q What is your post-office? A Coffeyville, Kansas.  
Q Do you live in Cowwescowwe District? A Yes sir.  
Q Who do you want to put on the roll? Just yourself? A And my baby.  
Q You don't apply for your wife? A No sir.  
Q One child? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I don't know exactly, about 7 or 8 years.  
Q Your father was admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission wasn't he? A Yes sir. Why, dogged if I could tell you myself.  
Q But that's what you have heard? A Yes sir, I think so.  
The applicant presents an official copy of the records of the Cherokee Commission on citizenship, ~~transmitted to the~~ showing that on March 17th 1892, James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission; this is accepted as official evidence of the facts stated.  
Q Now that James M. Coker is your father? A Yes sir.  
Q You came here when your father came? A Yes sir.  
Q And have lived here ever since? A Yes sir.  
Q And have lived here for seven or eight years? A Yes sir.  
Q Give me the name of your child? A Luella Ione. (Produces certificate)  
Q A year old? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A I have been married three years the 12th of last September.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage? A Yes sir. (Produces papers)  
Comm'r: The applicant presents certificate showing that she was married to Miss Lizzie Mortimer, by the Rev. O. S. Hann on the 12th of September 1897; this is filed herewith.  
Q How many times had you been married before you married this time? A I hadn't been married at all.  
Q And of course your wife was never married before? A No sir.  
Q Your wife has lived with you ever since you and she were married? A Yes sir.  
Q Your wife is a white woman, is she? A Yes sir.  
1896 roll page 130 1932 as Clayton Coker, Cowwescowwe District.

Comm'r Brockbridge: The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself and one child; it is shown that his father was admitted to Cherokee citizenship in 1892, and the applicant states that he came with his father and the balance of the family seven or eight years ago, and that he has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since; he was a minor at the time of his father's admission, and at the time he came to the Cherokee Nation, being now 24 years of age; he is identified on the roll of 1894 as a Native Cherokee; the Cherokee representative present had objected to the enrollment of all members of this family, upon the grounds of illegal and presumably unlawful delay in their availing themselves of the permission of admitting the right of citizenship; for the further consideration of this point the applicant will be placed upon a doubtful card as a Cherokee by blood, and the final decision of the Commission will be made known to him when it is rendered;  
He is a son of his marriage certificate filed herewith that he mar-

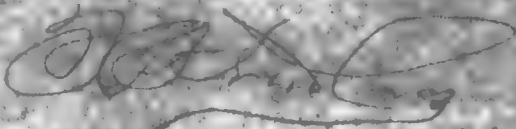
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M. D. Green, being first duly sworn, stated that as stenographer to  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is  
a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October



Commissioner



Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

Date **OCT 18 1900**

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1. Cir 1896 Roll as Crayton Coker
2. Affidavit to be supplied  
marriage ~~to be~~ and cert. attached

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Floyd Coker*

as a citizen of

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved MAR 3 1902 190

*C. R. Buckniger*  
Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Floyd Coker, born on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1901  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Grate Coker a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Maggie B. Coker a citizen of the United States  
Post-office Coffeyville, Kans.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY  
Northern District } \$00000

I, Maggie B. Coker, on oath state that I am 24<sup>th</sup>  
years of age and a citizen, \$000000000000, of the United States \$00000  
that I am the lawful wife of Grate Coker, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1901, that said child has been  
named Floyd Coker, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO MARK

(Here be Two Witnesses)

Maggie Coker.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1902.

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## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
State of Kansas,  
County of Montgomery District,

I, A. A. Kratz, a Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Maggie B. Coker, wife of Grate Coker  
on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1901; that there was born to her an  
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Floyd Coker.

WITNESSED TO MARK:

(Here be Two)

A. A. Kratz M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 1902

My com. ex. 98

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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES,  
TANS DIXIE,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BACKKIRKIDGE

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Mustaga, I. T. 3/1/1902

Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
one copy of the testimony in the matter of the application of  
Orate, Coker et. al. for enrollment as  
Freedmen of the Cherokee Nation.

*Witness:*

No. D 639

E. B. Lawman  
att'y for app.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 5, 1902.

Supplemental testimony and proceedings, in the matter of the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children; in the matter of the application of Charles H. Reinhardt, (D-635) for the enrollment of himself and wife; Grate Coker, (D-639) for the enrollment of himself and child; and Ada F. Barr, (D-859) for the enrollment of herself, as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

E. B. Lawson, Nowata, I. T., attorney for applicants;  
W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

By Commission: James M. Coker was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, appears by his attorney, E. B. Lawson, of Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation the case is taken up for final consideration this the 5th day of March, 1902.

D-823.

James H. Reinhardt was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and wife as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up by the Commission for final consideration at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E. B. Lawson, Nowata, I. T.

D-652:

The applicant, Grate Coker, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E. B. Lawson, Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

D-669:

The applicant, Ada F. Barr, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by her attorney, E. B. Lawson, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

By Mr. Lawson: In the first place I desire to call attention to the fact that in the application of Reinhardt and Barr, it seems that he states that James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1901, and that in the case of Grate Coker, and James M. Coker, the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1901. I desire merely to call attention to this fact to have the matter corrected, and to show that the per-



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Commission of James M. Coker bears date of September 1891.

Elizabeth Coker, being first duly sworn and being qualified testified as follows:

By Mr. Lawson:

Q State your name? A My full name is Mary Elizabeth Coker.

Q Where do you live? A At the present time.

Q Where? A At Goody's Bluff, Cherokee Nation.

Q Are you the wife of James M. Coker? A Yes sir.

Q When were you married to James M. Coker? A In '71.

Q Where were you married? A Arkansas.

Q What county? A Marion County.

Q You were married in Marion County in the State of Arkansas in

1871? A Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: I desire to file the affidavit of the clerk of Marion County, stating that the marriage records of that county for 1870 and 1871 cannot be obtained, or a certificate cannot be shown of those marriage records, for the reason that the records were burned.

By Commission: Document referred to was received by the Commission on the 8th day of December, 1900, and has been made part of the record in the case of James M. Coker, et al.

Q Have you been living with James M. Coker as his wife ever since you married in 1871? A Yes sir.

Q Mrs. Coker, do you know when your husband came to the Cherokee Nation, that is, removed here? A He moved here in 1893.

Q Who came with him at that time? A My there was a man come out with us by the name of Scott.

Q Did your family come at that time? A Yes sir.

Q Name the family? A Mary Ann Coker, Gratton Coker, Ida May Coker, Ada Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker and Ethel Coker and myself.

Q Since 1893 where have you and all of the family just mentioned by you been living? A We lived two years near Chelsea; then we moved to the place we are living on now, near Goody's Bluff.

Q I will ask you if you and all the family that you have just mentioned have lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1893? A We have lived here all the time since that.

Q Now what children were born to you before you came to the Cherokee Nation, name them? A Mary Ann Coker and Gratton Coker and Ida May Coker and Ada Coker and Joseph Coker and James Coker and Ethel Coker.

Q All born before you came here? A Yes sir.

Q Are any of these daughters married? A I have got three married daughters now.

Q What are their names? A Ada F. Rebb, who is now Ada Mary Ann Reinhardt.

Q Is Mary Ann Reinhardt the wife of Charles H. Reinhardt? A Yes sir.

Q I will ask you Mrs. Coker if you know whether or not Mr. Coker and these children drew the Strip money in the year 1894? A Yes sir.

By Commission:

Q Were any of these children married prior to 1894? A No sir.

Q They were all single then? A Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: They were denied the payment in 1894, and the Cherokee Council met in November of the same year, and the bill was introduced appropriating the money.

1894 pay roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined for all of applicants and their names not found thereon.

By Mr. Lawson: I will state here that the reason I have not that certificate was that I was informed by the Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, at Tahlequah, that it was in the hands of the Law Commission, and that he could not give

us the certificate; that was a mistake, and I will get that later on.  
I believe that is all I care to introduce.

By Mr. Hastings: ( Waiver cross-examination.)

By Mr. Lawson:

I have my briefs prepared, and I desire also to file a certified copy showing that this money was paid to these parties in 1894; and desire it to be made part of the records in all of these cases.

By Commission: The attorney for the applicant will be granted ten days in which to file a certified copy of the act referred to.

The attorney for the applicants files in the case of the application of Grate Ooker; a brief; also a brief in the case of Ada P. Barr; also a brief in the case of Charles Reinhardt; and in the case of James M. Ooker.

By Commission of Mr. Lawson: Do you, in behalf of the various applicants mentioned herein submit the case to the Commission? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you submit, Mr. Hastings? A Yes sir.

By Commission: The attorney in behalf of the applicants and the attorney in behalf of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case; same is deemed completed, and will be reported to the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now of record, in addition to the certified copy of the act of Council to be filed within ten days by the attorney for the applicants.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

M. D. Green.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he made the above copy and that the same is a true and complete transcript of the original manuscript.

*E. G. P. [Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of April, 1902.

*E. P. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

Cher. D. 639.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL

That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money not otherwise appropriated - out of the Strip Funds - to pay each of the following named persons (\$253.70) as their pro rata share of said fund and the Chief is hereby authorized to issue warrants for the same.

| No. | Name           | Age | Sex    |
|-----|----------------|-----|--------|
| 1   | Rosetta Hunt   | 18  | Female |
| 60  | James M. Coker | 46  | Male   |
| 61  | Mary Ann Coker | 19  | Female |
| 62  | Crayton Coker  | 17  | Male   |
| 63  | Ida Coker      | 13  | Female |
| 64  | Ada Coker      | 12  | Female |
| 65  | Joseph Coker   | 9   | Male   |
| 66  | Charles Coker  | 7   | Male   |
| 67  | Ethel Coker    | 4   | Female |

Passed the Senate Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1894.  
J. C. Starr,  
Clk. of Senate

Rosch Young,  
President Pro Tem.

Concurred in by Council Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> 1894, with the following amendments, strike out the name of

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Sallie M. Shannon  | 15 Joel Quinton   |
| 2 Pauline Shannon    | 16 Jennie Quinton |
| 3 Daisy Shannon      | 17 Lula Brown     |
| 4 Lucy Shannon       | 18 Lelia Brown    |
| 5 Floyd Shannon      | 19 John Brown     |
| 6 Sallie M. Shannon  | 20 Adnie Brown    |
| 7 Rebecca Waldon     | 21 Ida L. Brown   |
| 8 Belle West         | 22 Annie Brown    |
| 9 Hettie West        | 23 Willie Brown   |
| 10 Viola Waldon      | 24 Lottie Brown   |
| 11 Robert Lee Waldon | 25 Florence Brown |
| 12 Julia Quinton     | 26 Sarah Brown    |
| 13 Elisebeth Quinton |                   |
| 14 Frank Quinean     |                   |

J. H. Dick  
Clk of Council

V. Gray  
Speaker of Council Pro Tem.

Concurred in by Senate Dec 1st 1894

G. W. Willey  
Clk. of Senate

H. V. Bange  
President of Senate pro tem

Approved Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 1894

G. J. Harris, Vice Chief C.N.

Executive Office,

Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, I.T.

I, B.V. Albany, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy from the record of Laws of the Cherokee Nation 1894-1895 which is now in my legal custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of this office this

March 1898.  
(SEAL)

(Signed)

B. V. Albany  
Assistant Secretary: Weare, my  
Cherokee Nation.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as shown to  
to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes the above  
copy and that the same is a true and correct copy of the copy  
filed in B-638.

*[Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1903.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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Act



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of James M. Coker et al. for enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of:

|                             |                |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| James M. Coker et al.       | Cherokee D-638 |
| Grate Coker et al.          | " D-639        |
| Ada P. Barr                 | " D-659        |
| Charles H. Reinhardt et al. | " D-623        |

DECISION

The record in these several cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens:

On October 13, 1900, James M. Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, on November 21, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 1, 1902.

On October 13, 1900, Grate Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Luella I. Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory on March 5, 1902. On March 5, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed with the Commission from which it appears that a second child, who has been named Floyd, was born to the said Grate Coker since the date of the original application.

On November 21, 1900, Ada P. Barr appeared before the Commission at Chelsea, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, 1902. On October 31, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for James William Barr, a child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

On October 17, 1900, Charles H. Reinhardt appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 1, 1902.

The records of the Cherokee Nation in possession of the Commission show that the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in said Nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on March 17, 1902.

The evidence further shows that the said Mary E. Coker was married to said James M. Coker in 1871. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman, married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker are the children of said James M. Coker and his wife, Mary E. Coker, and they, together with their parents, are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker is the son of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that he was a minor at the time of his father's admission to citizenship. He is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker was lawfully married on November 12, 1897, to Maggie Mortimer, a white woman. The children, Luella L. and Floyd Coker, are the issue of that marriage, and they are identified by birth affidavits, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Add V. Barr is the child of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that she was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. She is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Her child, James William Barr, is identified by a birth affidavit, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that Charles E. Reinhardt, a white man, was married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on February 14, 1889, to Kinney Lambert, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is now deceased.

Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 23, 1898, (30 Stat., 495) provides for the enrollment of Cherokee citizens "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws."

Section 646 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (1892) is as follows:

"Should any man or woman, a citizen of the United States, or of any foreign country, become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage, and be left a widow or widower by the decease of the Cherokee wife or husband, such surviving widow or widower shall continue to enjoy the rights of citizenship, unless he or she shall marry a white man or woman, or person, (as the case may be), having no rights of Cherokee citizenship by blood; in that case, all of his or her rights acquired under the provisions of this act shall cease."

It appears that Charles E. Reinhardt acquired citizenship by virtue of his marriage to his first wife, Kinney, and that, subsequent to her death, he married Mary Coker, a daughter of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, who was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. The said Charles E. Reinhardt and Mary Reinhardt are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence shows that the said James M. and Mary E. Coker and their children, for whom application is made herein, removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1868, and have continuously resided, and lived together in said Nation, since that time; that the said Charles E. Reinhardt lived with his first wife, Kinney Reinhardt, in the Cherokee Nation until her death; that he has continuously resided in said Nation since that time, and it is considered that the residence of the said Joseph, Charles, Ethel, Luella L. and Floyd Coker has been, since their birth, that of their parents,

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that James M. Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker, Ethel Coker, Grate Coker, Lucella L. Coker, Mary Coker, Ada P. Barr, James William Barr and Mary Reinhardt should be enrolled as citizens by blood, and that Mary M. Coker and Charles M. Reinhardt should be enrolled as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 25, 1906, (34 Stat., 498), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

(signed) Tom Ditty  
Chairman.

(signed) I. B. Needles  
Commissioner.

(signed) G. E. Breckinridge  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this Mar -2 1907

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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COMMISSIONERS:

HENRY L. DAWES,  
TAMM DIXIE,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRICKENRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

February 15, 1902.

Mr. Ozate Coker,

Coffeyville, Kansas,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and one minor child

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the sixth day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Cherokee D-639  
Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman

Commissioner in Charge.



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Cherokee  
D-638, D-639,  
D-640 & D-623.

McKagoo, Indian Territory, March 14, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Gracie Coker for the enrollment of herself and her minor children, Lucille L. and Floyd Coker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada M. Burr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Burr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles E. Reichardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reichardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the

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applicants. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed,  
this decision will be considered final.

Jame Bixby  
Chairman

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Cherokee D-639.

Waskogen, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Crata Coker,

Corfeville, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your two minor children, Luella I. and Floyd Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tams Dancy*  
Chairman.

Enc. H-32.

Register.

Cherokee  
D-628, D-639,  
D-859 & D-643.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

E. B. Lawson,  
Attorney for James M. Coker, et al.,  
Nowata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Grate Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Luella I. and Floyd Coker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada F. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles E. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Enc. B-24.

Register.

James M. Coker  
Chairman

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William H. Watkins

Trans. from D740

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
CLARKSBURG, W. V., OCTOBER 29th, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF William H. Watkins for the enrollment of himself, wife and three children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and he being sworn and examined by Commissioner, E. R. Breckinridge, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A William H. Watkins.  
Q How old are you? A Thirty three.  
Q What is your profession? A Foyl.  
Q Do you live in Cooweescoowee District? A Yes sir.  
Q What do you want to have enrolled; yourself and family?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you a wife? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children? A Two.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A No sir.  
Q Is your wife a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Let me see your marriage license and certificate? No response.  
The applicant presents a Cherokee license and certificate; the license issued by the Clerk of Tahlequah District, and the certificate being in accordance therewith, showing that he was married on November 11th, 1894, to Miss Amanda B. Tucker, by the Reverend B. M. Leasing. They are filed herewith.  
Q Have you lived with your wife and in the Cherokee Nation ever since you married in 1894? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you ever married before? A No sir.  
Q Was your wife ever married before? A No sir.  
Q How old is your wife? A Twenty four.  
Q Give me the name of her father? A Marcus L. Tucker.  
Q Is he dead or alive? A Alive.  
Q Give me her mother's name? A Maody J.  
Q Is she dead or alive? A Alive.  
Q How long has your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation?  
A Ten years.  
Q Was she admitted to Cherokee citizenship? A Yes sir.  
Q Let me see the certificate of her admission? A Her father has it.  
Q Did your wife or family ever apply to the Dawes Commission for citizenship? A No sir.  
Q Did they apply to the Cherokee Council or Commission for citizenship? A They applied to the Court of Claims at Tahlequah in 1901.  
Q Give me the names of your children? A Myrtle R., age three years.  
Hazel V., born last June.  
(1896 Roll, Page 702, #1899, Mandy B. Watkins, Flint District)  
(1896 Roll, Page 716, #73, William H. Watkins, Flint District)

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself, his wife and two children. He is shown to have married his wife in accordance with Cherokee law in November, 1894. He is identified on the roll of 1896, and states that he has lived with his wife ever since he married her. The license and certificate are filed herewith.

He will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by intermarriage, but upon a doubtful card, to await evidence of his wife's admission to citizenship. His wife is identified on the 1896 Roll, as a native Cherokee. The applicant avers that she was admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission, or Court of Claims, as he calls it, some ten years ago; and that she has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since her admission. He further avers that neither he nor his wife were ever previously married. She will be listed as a Cherokee by blood, but upon a doubtful card, to await an official copy or certificate of her admission.

When certificates are furnished as to the births of the two children, whose names are mentioned in the testimony, they too will be listed for enrollment upon a doubtful card, as Cherokees by blood to await evidence of the admission of their mother to citizenship.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*Rasoon W. W. W.*

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 30th day of October, 1900.

*W. D. E. W.*

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

33 *William H. Watkins* Date *OCT 29 1900* 1900.  
 Name *William H. Watkins*  
 District *...* Year *1896* Page *716* No. *1172*  
 Citizen by blood *no* Mother's citizenship *Doubtful*  
 Intermarried citizen *yes*  
 Married under what law *Cherokee* Date of marriage *Nov. 11, 1894*  
 License *...* Certificate *...*  
 24 *Amanda Watkins*  
 Wife's name *Amanda Watkins*  
 District *...* Year *1896* Page *709* No. *1172*  
 Citizen by blood *yes* Mother's citizenship *Marcus L. Tucker*  
 Intermarried citizen *...* *Rhoda*  
 Married under what law *...* Date of marriage *...*  
 License *Filed OCT 29 1900* Certificate *Filed OCT 29 1900*

## Names of Children:

3 *Myrtle E. Watkins* Dist. *...* Year *...* Page *...* No. *...* Age *3*  
 4 *Harley* Dist. *...* Year *...* Page *...* No. *...* Age *4*  
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1 *Cur 846 Roll as William H. Watkins*  
 2 *Mandy E. Watkins*  
 3 and 4 *affidavits to be supplied*

*Evidence of admission of No. 2 to citizenship to be supplied*



SUPPLEMENTAL: B 740.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Cherokee, I.T., November 12, 1900.

In the matter of the application of William H. Watkins for the enrollment himself, wife and two children as Cherokee and (Applicant having been previously sworn)

Com'r Brockbridge: He now appears and presents a duly authenticated certificate of admission to citizenship of sundry persons under date of October 22 1899, and among them appears the name of Anada Elizabeth Tucker, aged at that time 11 years.

Q That is the name of your wife at that time is it? A Yes sir.

Com'r: This is recognized as official evidence of the admission of his wife, as stated.

Q You were sworn before weren't you? A Yes sir.

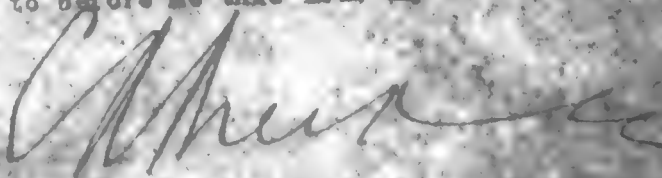
Q When did your wife come to the Cherokee Nation? A I don't know exactly, it was about 1890 I think, to the best of my knowledge.

Q Has she lived here ever since she came? A Yes sir.

Com'r: The certificate requires that persons admitted shall become bona fide citizens of the Cherokee Nation within one year from the time of admission, and this date of removal to the Cherokee Nation shall be required as a condition precedent to the delivery of the certificate of admission; the applicant's wife therefore is deemed by the possession of this certificate to have complied with the conditions stated; the document is returned to the applicant as it involves the rights of others.

M.D. Green, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of November 1900.



Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Authority given in the within License and the customs and laws of the Cherokee Nation

*Samuel L. Smith*

a citizen of the United States, and *Miss*  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable to the re-

Given under my hand on this the *11*

day of

*October*

A. D., 1884.

*Per W. H. Jennings*

*E. H. Jennings*  
*W. H. Jennings*  
hereby certify that on the *11* day of  
1884 I joined in Marriage. Mr. *W. H. Jennings*  
and Miss *W. H. Jennings*

# Marriage License.

CHEROKEE NATION, I. T.  
*John Lyman* District.

To Any Person Legally Authorized to Solemnize Marriage—Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony and to celebrate the rites and ceremonies of Marriage, between Mr. *William H. Arden*, a citizen of the United States and Miss *Alvanda Tucker*, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, according to the usual custom and laws of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this License to me, for record, within thirty days from the celebration of such Marriage, with a Certificate of the same appended thereto and signed by you.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office  
this the *11th* day of *February*

A. D. 189*4*

*John Lyman* District.

*E. A. Fleming* Minister of the *South*  
of the *Cherokee Nation*

hereby certify that on the *11* day of  
*November*, 1894 I joined in Marriage, Mr. *W. A. Watkins*

, a citizen of the United States, and *Maria*  
*Annada Tucker*, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, agreeable to the au-

thority given in the within License and the customs and laws of the Cherokee Nation

GIVEN under my hand on this the *11* day of

*November* A. D., 1894.

*Per E. A. Fleming*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Nyota & Matthews*  
as a citizen of the

*Cherokee*

Nation.

Approved *Oct 29* 1900

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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*[Signature]*

*Card No D 740*



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FREE COLORED TRACES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
Myrtle E. Watkins, born on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1897.  
Name of Father William Watkins, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother Amanda E. Watkins, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, ...

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Georgia, District.  
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I, Amanda E. Watkins, do oath state that I am 24 years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of William Watkins, who is a citizen, by Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Female child was born to me on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1897; that said child has been named Myrtle E. Watkins, and is now living.  
Amanda E. Watkins

(Signature to be made by Person)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

John M. Dwyer, Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Georgia, District.

I, Amanda L. Holman, Midwife, do oath state that I attended on Myrtle E. Watkins, wife of William Watkins, on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1897; that there was born to her an infant child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Myrtle E. Watkins.  
Amanda L. Holman

(Signature to be made by Person)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1906.

John M. Dwyer, Notary Public

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~~IN RE~~

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Harley V. Walker*  
as a citizen of the

*Cherokee* Nation.

Applied *Oct 29* 1900  
*Walker*  
Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
of Harley V. Watkins, born on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1900.  
(If applicant, name of child)  
Name of Father: William H. Watkins, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Amanda E. Watkins, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Payil  
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AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Cass County District.

I, Amanda E. Watkins, on oath state that I am 24  
years of age and a citizen, by Blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of William H. Watkins, who is a citizen, by  
Marriage, of the Cherokee Nation; that a Male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1900; that said child has been  
named Harley V. Watkins, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO ME:

Amanda E. Watkins

(Signature to be made by)  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1900.

Commissioner E. K. ... John M. Pay  
January 17<sup>th</sup> 1901 Payil 9.7. NOTARY PUBLIC

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.  
Cass County District.

I, Effie Pay, Midwife, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Amanda E. Watkins, wife of William H. Watkins,  
on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1900, that there was born to her an  
child, that said child is now living and is said to have been  
(male or female)  
named Harley V. Watkins.

WITNESSED TO ME:

Effie Pay

(Signature to be made by)  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1900.

John M. Pay  
Payil 9.7. NOTARY PUBLIC

Supl. C.D. #740.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 8, 1903.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of WILLIAM H. WATKINS, ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 18, 1903, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken into consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, Indian Territory, on the 8th day of March, 1903. Receipt has been acknowledged of Commission's letter.

Mr. J. C. Starr, Cherokee Representative, present.

Commission: There is offered in evidence a certificate from the Cherokee Commission on Citizenship showing that the applicant's wife, Amanda Elizabeth Tucker, age at that time, 11 years and admitted to citizenship on the 22d day of October, 1889, by the Cherokee Commission on Citizenship. It is filed herewith.

The applicant having this day, to-wit: the 8th day of March, 1903, been called and failed to respond either in person or by attorney, it is directed that the case be closed, and that the same be submitted to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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Witness my hand and seal, as hereby certify upon my official oath as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the the proceedings had in this case on the above date, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes.

*J. H. Johnson*  
Stenographer.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHIEF



# Certificate of Admission to Cherokee Citizenship.

OFFICE OF COMMISSION ON CITIZENSHIP,  
TAHLEQUAH, CHEROKEE NATION.

To All Whom it May Concern—GREETING:

This is to Certify, That the following named, to-wit: *M. L. Tucker age*  
*Thirty nine years & his daughter, Amanda Elizabeth*  
*Eleven years & Helen H. Six years & sons Saul Allen*  
*Adolphus Nine years & Edward Tucker Thirteen*  
did, pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the National Council of the Cherokee Nation, approved  
December 8th, 1886, entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a Commission to try, and determine,  
applications for Cherokee Citizenship," make such application to and before said "Commission" on the *1* day  
of *October* 188*7*; that the proof submitted by the above named *applicant*  
in support of *the* said application has been found, and is hereby declared and certified to be sufficient  
and satisfactory to the said Commission according to the requirements of Section Seventh of said Act of the  
National Council and of the amendment thereto, dated February 7th, 1887, and that by virtue of such finding  
of fact by the Commission, and in conformity with the Fourteenth Section of said Act, the above named  
persons (applicants for citizenship) are, from this the date of said finding and decision of the Commission as  
announced and recorded, re-admitted by the National Council, as provided in said Fourteenth Section, to the  
rights and privileges of Cherokee citizenship under Section 2, Article I. of the Constitution of the Cherokee  
Nation upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Act of December 8th, 1886, entitled "An Act Creating a  
Commission on Citizenship," to-wit:

"That all persons to whom Certificates of Citizenship shall be issued by the decree of the Commission  
created by this Act, shall be required as a condition precedent to the delivery of said certificates to return to,  
and permanently locate within the limits of the Cherokee Nation, and it shall be further the duty of all such  
persons to enroll their names, with the names of their families (if any such), at the date of their arrival within  
the limits of the Nation, in a book to be kept for that purpose in the office of the Principal Chief, and no  
Certificate of Citizenship issued by said Commission shall entitle an applicant for admission into the Nation  
for (not) a longer period than one year from its date, who shall fail to become a *bona fide* citizen within that  
period."

And this certificate of the said decision of the Commission and of re-admission by Council is made and  
furnished to the said persons accordingly.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name, as Chairman of  
the Commission, on this the *Twenty Second*

of *October* 188*7*

*W. L. Williams*  
Chairman Com. on Citizenship.

Attest:

*W. L. Williams*  
Chairman Com. on Citizenship.  
Approved and endorsed:

*Samuel C. Echols* J. B. Mayo  
J. B. Mayo  
June 1st 1890

Cherokee D 940.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Muskogee, I. T., October 17, 1902.

In the matter of the application of William H. Watkins as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Amanda E. Watkins, and his two minor children, Myrtle E. and Harley V. Watkins, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

WILLIAM H. WATKINS, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

- Q What is your name? A William H. Watkins.  
Q How old are you? A Thirty-five.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Poyil, Indian Territory.  
Q Are you a white man? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you claiming the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen by intermarriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Amanda.  
Q Any other name? A Amanda Elizabeth.  
Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is your wife an admitted citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q When was she admitted? A '98, I think, I won't be positive.  
Q '88? A '89, I think that's it.  
Q When did she come to the Cherokee Nation? A In the year '89.  
Q About a year after her admission? A I think so, but I won't be positive about it.  
Q Has she been living in the Cherokee Nation ever since 1890?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A November 11, '94.  
Q Were you married under a Cherokee marriage license? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is Amanda E. your first wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you her first husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you and your wife been living together ever since your marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q Living in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q You have had no home elsewhere? A Sir?  
Q You have not lived anywhere else except in the Cherokee Nation?  
A No, sir.  
Q How many children have you by your wife, Amanda? A Two.  
Q Are they both living? A Yes, sir.

Betta Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she recorded the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the foregoing application, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of November, 1902.

  
Notary Public.

Cherokee D-740.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of William H. Watkins for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Amanda E. Watkins, and his two minor children, Myrta E., and Harley V. Watkins, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record herein shows that on October 29, 1900, William H. Watkins appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of his wife, Amanda E., and his two minor children, Myrta E., and Harley V. Watkins, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Claremore, Indian Territory, on November 12, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 8, and October 17, 1902.

The evidence shows that Amanda E. Watkins, under her maiden name of Amanda Elizabeth Tucker, was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation by the duly constituted authorities of said nation, on October 22, 1889, and that she removed within the limits of the Cherokee Nation within one year from said date as required by the conditions of her admission. William H. Watkins, a white man, was married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on November 11, 1894, to the said Amanda E. Tucker, and the minor children herein are the issue of that marriage. William H. Watkins and his wife are identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, and their children are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that William H. Watkins and his wife, Amanda E., have been residing in the Cherokee Nation, and have lived together as husband and wife, from the time of their marriage up to and including September 1, 1902.


It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that William H. Watkins should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and that Amanda E. Watkins, Myrta E. Watkins and

Harley V. Watkins should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1896 (50 Stats., 481), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1903, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 794 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 807 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 809 |
| Sarah E. McCoy       | 21  | Timian Chancee      | 873 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 884 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 888 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largent  | 888 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 894 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 898 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Watson    | 893 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 100 | Janette Memon       | 898 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 879 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 798 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | Willard Gordon      | 798 |
| Ukie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 894 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martin M. Bruner    | 892 |
| Gertrude Palano      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 230 | Osie Fivokiller     | 827 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 245 | John F. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Benson   | 887 |



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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John M. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dasser    | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Brvant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Mahsa A. Maxwell    | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carhle         | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carhle      | 1967 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Gunn         | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1440 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jeanette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 | John Coady          | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingsdown    | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creeden          | 1513 | Sarah Gritta        | 2256 |
| Ohio Pideock         | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Silva A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pannel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1539 | Matilda N. Cleland  | 2303 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1550 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Nevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldrige         | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jennie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadbus      | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitecock      | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Holl L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Elija O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Winfield B. Nance     | 3007 | Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley    | 3010 | Lathan Lumbard         | 3891 |
| Mollie Daugherty      | 3039 | Micajah P. Haynes      | 3897 |
| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
| Alice A. Edwards      | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| Dorinda Adair         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William R. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3950 |
| Dora B. Cault         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| John M. Gallman       | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3999 |
| Martha E. Garrett     | 3162 | Both R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Artie E. Large        | 3164 | Wiley Hannas           | 4016 |
| Andrew A. Kelley      | 3191 | Martha M. Woods        | 4083 |
| Anna B. Ryno          | 3193 | Lizzie Gray            | 4117 |
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| David E. Jenkins      | 3212 | Annie E. Kenney        | 4165 |
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| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 8, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS.  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM BERRY.  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BROCKENRIDGE.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

February 18, 1902.

Mr. William H. Watkins,

Payil, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself, your wife and two minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the eighth day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with certificate of renunciation to Cherokee citizenship of Amanda E.

Cherokee D-740  
Register,

Yours truly,

Allison L. Aylesworth

Commissioner in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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Wickiawonga, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Wickiawonga, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1903, granting the application of William H. Watkins for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Amanda E., and his two minor children, Myrtle E. and Harley V. Watkins, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Jame Dixby.

Chairman.

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Cherokee D-740.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

William H. Watkins,

Poyil, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation, and for the enrollment of your wife, Amanda H. Watkins, and your two minor children, Myrtle H. and Harley V. Watkins, as citizens by blood of said Nation.

Respectfully,

*Tama Dickson*  
Chairman.

Enc. H-17.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

William H. Watkins,

Poyil, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recn. D.

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
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Washpee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

William H. Watkins,  
Foyil, Indian Territory.

Dear sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Cherokee  
1 et al.

Washoe, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

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V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Washoe, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Frank M. Rucker

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Claremore, I.T. November 9th, 1900.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF FRANK M. RUCKER FOR ENROLLMENT OF HIMSELF, HIS WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN AS CHEROKEE CITIZENS.

The said Frank M. Rucker, being sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Frank M. Rucker.  
Q What is your age? A Thirty-four years old.  
Q What is your post office address? A Claremore.  
Q What district do you live in? A Cooweescoowee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir;

Q By blood or intermarriage? A Intermarriage.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A My wife and three children and myself.

Q What is the name of your wife? A Mary Dora.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Taylor.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your children? A The oldest one's name is Earnest E.

Q How old is he? A He is twelve years old.  
Q The next child? A Nabel May.  
Q How old is he? A Ten.  
Q The next child? A Frank M. Jr.  
Q How old is he? A William James Rucker. Five years old.  
Q Is that all? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife's father? A Jim Taylor.  
Q Is he living? A Yes, sir. He came here from North Carolina in 1866 or 1867, and she was a minor at that time.

Q How old is your wife? A Thirty-four years old.  
THE COMMISSIONER: The applicant presents a certificate signed by D. W. Liberty, Executive Assistant Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, dated October 28th, 1900, certifying that Frank M. Rucker, a citizen of the United States, and Mary D. Taylor, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, were married on the 14th of September, 1884. He presents no marriage license nor certified copy of marriage license.

Q When did your wife come to the Cherokee Nation? A I think she came here in the spring of 1882.

1894 Roll, page 278, No. 3475, Dora Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.  
1896 Roll, page 239, No. 3243, Mary D. Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.  
1896 Roll, page 321, No. 336, Frank M. Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.

1896 Roll, page 330, No. 3344, Earnest Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.

1896 Roll, page 330, No. 3344, Nabel Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.

1896 Roll, page 330, No. 3344, Frank M. Rucker, Cooweescoowee District.

Q Are these children all alive and living with you at this time? A Yes, sir.

Q Have you any proof to offer as to the citizenship of your wife, as to whether she is a Cherokee citizen or not? A No, sir.

THE COMMISSIONER: The name of Frank M. Rucker appears upon the census roll of 1895. He avers that he was married to Mary D. Taylor, a Cherokee by blood, in the year 1884, and presents certificate to that effect, but presents no marriage license or proof that one was ever

issued.

The name of his wife, May D. Taylor, appears upon the census roll of 1866, as well as the names of his children, Earnest L., Mabel M. and Frank M. Jr. The name of his wife, who he avers to be a Cherokee citizen by blood, does not appear upon the authenticated roll of 1860. No proof is presented to this Commission at this time as to her citizenship. Satisfactory proof is made as to their residence. By reason of the want of proof as to the citizenship of his wife, and as to the legality of the marriage of himself to her, final judgment as to the enrollment of the said Frank M. Hunter, and his wife and children, will be suspended, and their names placed upon a doubtful card awaiting proof of citizenship as to his wife, and proof of legal marriage.

The applicant avers that one James Taylor is the father of his wife and that the name of James Taylor appears in the list of North Carolina Cherokees who removed to the Cherokee Nation on the 28th of October, 1838, by an act of the National Council approved December 3rd, 1838.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and other proceedings in this application for enrollment, and that the foregoing is a correct and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November 1890.

Commissioner.

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Revised and dated as before on 20th Nov. 1900.

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**HOW TO RECOVER**  
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 Citizen by blood No Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Intermarried citizen Yes  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage Countdown

Citizen by blood *Yes* Mother's citizenship *Yes*  
 Intermarried citizen *Yes* *1 to 8*

Intermarried citizen Yes  
Married under what law South Africa Date of marriage 1964

Married under what law California Date of marriage 12-25-77

**Certified**

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District COOWEESCOOWEE Year 1898 Page 239 No. 394

Citizen by blood *Yes* Mother's citizenship *Yes Taylor - L*

Interracial citizen *Yes*

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Married Sept 14 1884.

Frank M. Rucker, citizen of the, United States  
Taylor of The Cherokee Nation.

Cerimony performed Rev. Dr. L. M. Cravens.

M.C.

Executive Office Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, I.T.

I, B. W. Alberty, assistant Executive secretary of  
the Cherokee Nation do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true  
copy taken from the marriage record of Tahlequah District Cherokee  
Nation and all there is on said record concerning said marriage  
or marriage license; that said marriage record has been filed in  
this Office by law and is in my custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Cherokee Nation this the  
29th day of October 1900.

*B. W. Alberty*

Assistant Executive secretary  
Cherokee Nation.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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This is to Certify that I a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the Community of the rights of Marriage between Mr. Frank M. Knecker a citizen of the State

and Miss Mary D. Taylor of the Cherokee Nation on Sunday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884

J. M. Coarsened

and hereby certify that the foregoing marriage has been recorded by me in the Clerk's office of Tahlequah District Cherokee Nation Given under my hand and seal of office

Cherokee Nation  
in the Cherokee District.

Known all men by these pre-  
sents that I, Allen Rice is Clerk of  
said District by virtue of the authori-  
ty in me vested by law, do hereby  
grant a License to Frank M  
Rucker a Citizen of the United  
States to marry Miss May D Jay  
or a Cherokee, he having com-  
plied with the law Regulating  
intermarriages between Citizens  
of the U.S. and Cherokees—

Therefore

Any ordained Minister  
of the Gospel in regular standing  
Judge or Clerk of any of the  
Courts, are hereby authorized to  
perform the Marriage rites  
between Frank M Rucker and  
this License with your Certificate  
of Marriage for Record in the  
Office of this District— Given  
under my hand & Seal of Office  
This 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884

Allen Rice, Clerk  
J. H. M., and Sec



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JAN 17 1891

This is To Certify that is a ~~Member~~ <sup>Member</sup> of the Methodist Episcopal Church  
The Ceremony of the rights of Marriage being  
Mr Frank M. Rucker a Citizen of the United States  
and Miss Mary D. Taylor of the Cherokee Nation  
on Sunday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884  
J. M. Corvino

and by certify that the foregoing marriage  
has been recorded by me in the  
Clerks office of Tahlequah District  
Cherokee Nation Given under  
my hand and seal of office

This 16<sup>th</sup> Sept 1884 -

Allen Ross Clerk  
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Cherokee Nation  
Tahlequah District,

Know all men by these pre-  
sents that I, Allen Ross Clerk of  
said District, by virtue of the author-  
ity in me vested by law, do hereby  
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Miss May D Taylor, and return  
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of Marriage for Record in the  
Office of this District— Given  
under my hand & Seal of Office  
This 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1884

Allen Ross, Clerk  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
CLAREMORE, I.T., NOVEMBER 10th, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application of Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; said Rucker being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Frank M. Rucker.  
Q What is your age? A 34.  
Q What is your post office address? A Claremore.  
Q What district do you live in? A Coowasee.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q For whom do you apply for enrollment? A My wife and three children. I applied here yesterday and lacked a little evidence.  
Q What was the matter with you yesterday? A Did not know when my wife came here and did not know what she came here on.  
Q You have to prove citizenship and your marriage both?  
J. L. TAYLOR, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:  
Q What is your name? A J. L. Taylor.  
Q What is your age? A 38.  
Q What is your post office? A Pryor Creek.  
Q Do you know Mary D. Rucker? A Yes, sir, she is my sister.  
Q What do you know as to her citizenship? A We were all admitted under an act of the Cherokee Council and my sister never came here until January, 1883; being a miner back there, and I sent for her after I came here. I was on that 1880 roll and put her in the school here at Tahlequah, and being under the impression that we were all admitted at the same time, never thought of having her enrolled.  
Q Is your name on the roll of 1880? A Yes, sir. I enrolled at Pryor Creek.  
Q Mary D. Rucker is your sister? A Yes, sir.  
Q She came here about the same time you did? A No, sir, I came in July, 1881, and she came in 1883.  
Q Was her father living at that time? A Yes, sir.  
Q Her name is not on the list of North Carolina Cherokees? A No, sir, she being a miner then.  
Q She was your own sister? A Yes, sir. I was in Washington in '93 and got her subsistence for all of us.  
Q Did she have any other brothers and sisters who came at that time? A Brother William Taylor came at that time.  
Q He was an own brother of Mary also? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her age when she came here? A She must have been about 15, I do not remember exactly.  
Q Do you know anything about her being married to Mr. Rucker? A Yes, sir.  
Q What do you know about that? A I knew that he got his petition under for to be married under Cherokee law and under that he was married.  
Q Did you see his license? A I saw his petition.  
Q You did not see his license? A No, sir.  
Q Do you know whether he has been living with her ever since as her husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q Living with her now? A Yes, sir.

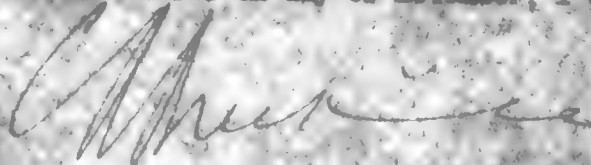
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Frank N. Rucker--2.

J. O. Benson, being first duly sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of November, 1900.



Commissioner.



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Frank K. Hooker--S.

J. O. Benson, being first duly sworn states that as a member of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of November, 1900.

Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY I. DAWES  
TAMM BIRBY,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES  
C. H. BRECKINRIDGE

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

October 21, 1901

Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes one  
copy of the testimony in the matter of the application of  
Frank M. Dickerson for enrollment as  
citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

George W. Parker, Clerk

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**IN RE**

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*John Marshall Rucker.*

as a citizen of

*Cherokee* Nation.

Approved, *January 6,* 1902

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation,  
of *John Marshall Rucker* born on the *13* day of *December*, 190*1*  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: *Frank M. Rucker*, a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.  
Name of Mother: *Elizabeth Rucker*, a citizen of the *Cherokee* Nation.  
Post-office: *Tennico*

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Cherokee* INDIAN TERRITORY

District.

I, *Elizabeth Rucker*, on oath state that I am *36*  
years of age and a citizen, by *blood* of the *Cherokee* Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of *Frank M. Rucker*, who is a citizen, by  
*marriage* of the *Cherokee* Nation, that a *Male* child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the *13* day of *December*, 190*1*; that said child has been  
named *John Marshall Rucker*, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MARK

(Must be Two)

Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *31* day of *December*, 190*1*.

*John H. Taylor Jr.*  
Notary Public.

*John H. Taylor Jr.*  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Cherokee* INDIAN TERRITORY

District.

I, *J. G. Rucker*, a Physician, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. *M. D. Rucker*, wife of *F. M. Rucker*,  
on the *13* day of *December*, 190*1*; that there was born to her an  
child, that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named *John Marshall Rucker*.

WITNESSES TO MARK

(Must be Two)

Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *31* day of *December*, 190*1*.

*John H. Taylor Jr.*  
Notary Public.

*John H. Taylor Jr.*  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
MUSKOGEE B. I. T., JANUARY 17th, 1901.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT OF JAMES TAYLOR AND ~~AND OTHERS~~ FRANK M. RUCKER, "D" #342 & "D" #772 respectively:  
James Taylor, being sworn and examined by Commissioner, C. R. Brankaridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name? A James Taylor.  
Q How old are you? A Seventy nine.  
Q What is your Postoffice? A Claremore.  
Q In what district do you live? A Coconino section.  
Q Do you know Frank M. Rucker? A Yes sir.  
Q Is his wife your daughter? A She is.  
Q What is her name? A Her name is Dora.  
Q Any other name besides Dora? A She was named after her grand mother, Susan Madora.  
Q Was she ever called May D.? A I do not know.  
Q Her full proper name is Susan Madora? A Yes sir.  
Q Here's a marriage license issued by the clerk of Tahlequah District, September 13th, 1884, authorizing marriage between Frank M. Rucker, a citizen of the United States, and May D. Taylor, a Cherokee, and the certificate shows that they were united in marriage on the 4th of September, 1884, by the Reverend L. M. Cravens? A Yes sir, he is dead now.  
Q Does this relate to the marriage between Mr. Rucker and your daughter? A Yes sir.  
Q This May D. Taylor is your daughter? A Yes sir.  
Q Was Frank Rucker ever married before he married your daughter? A I never heard of it.  
Q Was your daughter ever married before she married him? A No sir.  
Q Have they lived together ever since they were married in 1884? A Yes sir, they are living together now.  
Q Did you come from North Carolina? A Yes sir, but I am not on the North Carolina Rolls.  
Q Why not? A I was born and raised in Tennessee.  
Q Have you a certificate of your admission to citizenship? A No sir, I did not think I need and any? I came here in '82 and put our names on all.  
Q Was your name enrolled at Tahlequah? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any evidence of that fact? A Nothing more than the rolls.  
Q Where is the official copy of the roll? A I have nothing of the kind.  
Q You have no proof that your name is on that roll? A I can show that they was on that.  
Q Was your mother a Cherokee? A She was.  
Q What was your father? A David Taylor.  
Q What was he; Cherokee or white man? A White man.  
Q What was the name of your wife when you came here? A I did not have any wife.  
Q Your wife was dead? A Yes sir.  
Q And you just brought your children? A Yes sir, I have lived with them ever since.  
Q Was your wife a white woman or a Cherokee? A White woman.  
Q Were you ever married more than once? A No sir.  
Q Only married once? A Only once; yes sir.  
Q When were you married? A I was married in -- I think it was 1884.  
Q Who was it you married? A Adeline Manchester.  
Q Did you pay your way, or did the Cherokee Nation pay it? A I paid my own way; he and John.  
Q You came from Tennessee? A No sir, I came from North Carolina, but I was born and raised in Tennessee, but am not on the North Carolina rolls.  
Q You were classed as a North Carolina Cherokee, were you?



A Yes sir., but I am not on the North Carolina rolls.  
Q You are on it in spite of all you say: How do you know you are not on the North Carolina Roll? A I have got a roll: I know we were not put on it, under the act of '48, because we had been born and raised in Tennessee.  
Q You mean a roll that was kept in North Carolina, do you not?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Well, now; put on your glasses and follow me: Who is that James Taylor there, fifty eight years old? A What year was that?  
Q 1881? A That is myself I guess.  
Q This is the man that paid his own way? A Yes sir, I paid it.  
Q You think that is you? A Yes sir., and I paid for my two daughters coming.  
Q Why are not their names down here on this roll? A They were at school at the time I came in '80.  
Q Where were they at school when you came here? A One was at Henderson; the other at Ashville (Nashville?).  
Q Back in the old country? A Yes sir.  
Q How long was it before you brought them out here?  
A Dora was first: She came with my son John, and when the others time was out, she came with Mrs. Dage.  
Q They came later? A Yes sir.  
Q That is the reason their names were not put down at the time yours was? A Yes sir.  
Q When did you wife die? A She's been dead about eighteen years or nineteen.  
Q Where did she die? A She died in North Carolina.  
Q You never brought her out here? A No sir.  
Q Have you lived here ever since you came in 1881? A Only when I was away on business.  
Q Well, how much time were you away on business? A I have been away sometimes over a year: I have stayed four years at a time and two years at a time; I have had some litigations going on that I had to attend to.  
Q Did you always consider yourself a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? after you came here in 1881? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever vote back there in North Carolina or Tennessee?  
A Not since I came here: When I came here, I was made magistrate. I have never voted or registered since.  
Q Never voted or registered where? A In North Carolina.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage to your wife? A No sir.  
  
By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:  
Q Did you live with your wife until her death? A No sir.  
Q You separated from her? A Yes sir.  
Q How long before her death? A Well, it was some three or four years.  
Q Then you separated from her in 1878? A '78.  
Q You separated from her in 1873 then? A Yes sir; some time in seventy.  
Q Can you not be more accurate about it: About what year in 1870?  
A I can not tell you.  
Q You say some three or four years before her death, and she died in 1881 or 1882? A I came here in 1880.  
Q Was she dead when you came here? A Yes sir.  
Q And then you went back? A I went back as soon as we got the act passed through the legislature inviting the North Carolina people to come here.  
Q That was in December, 1880, was it? A Yes sir, on the 2nd of December, 1880.  
Q Well, when did you return here the next time under that act?  
A I went back and got two carloads of people: We had to make arrangement with some road to bring them here at twenty dollars a head. In '81: June 6th, '81, they left London, Tennessee and came here.  
Q Well, when did you arrive here yourself? A I came here directly afterwards: I was here when the act was passed.  
Q I mean when you came back the last time? That is what I am getting

at. Did you come here in '81? A Yes sir. I came here when they paid bread money; I received mine same as the others.

Q How long did you remain when you came in 1881? A Until '84.

Q And then you went where? A To Washington on business.

Q How long did you remain up there? A Until somewhere along in 1890.

Q About what time in 1890? A In the Fall of 1890; cold weather coming.

Q Have you been here in the Cherokee Nation ever since the Fall of 1890? A I stayed here until 1897.

Q Continuously? A Yes sir.

Q All the time from the fall of 1890 to 1897? A Yes sir. I believe I did go up to Washington, but I was not gone long.

Q Where did you live from 1890 now until 1897 in the Cherokee Nation? A I lived first with my husband's son, John, and Addie Mathews; occasionally with Laura and I stayed a good while with my brother at Coffeyville.

Q Did these children live with you or their mother after the separation? A Lived with me.

Q Always lived with you? A Yes sir.

Q When did Mrs. Rucker come to the Cherokee Nation? A John brought her just as soon as her term of school was out.

Q When was that? A I can not tell you exactly.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

Q How old was she then? A She was thirteen.

Q Did she come here when she was thirteen years old? A Yes sir.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q How long after you returned here in 1881 was it that Mrs. Rucker came here? A I do not know.

Q Was it two or three years? A Two or three years; yes sir.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

Q She was over thirteen years of age then when she came? A She was a little over, because they put her out of college when she was thirteen.

Q Has she been here ever since that time? A Yes sir, ever since; never been out of the Territory.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q John Taylor then came with his sister, Dean some two or three years after you came? A No, no and John came first and got the arrangement made.

Q He did not return after this law was passed until he came with your daughter, Mrs. Rucker? A No sir; he had been here before.

Q Well now when? A He had cut hay, quite a lot of hay in August; and they got this act passed inviting the Indians — the Indians they came in June, before June '81. He cut and sold cut hay and then went back again.

Q Sold your hay where? A Up there close to Tahlequah.

Q When did you sell it? A Cockburn; a good part of it.

Q What Cockburn? A I do not know.

Q What direction from Tahlequah did you cut hay? A West 1200 south west.

Q What time of the year did you cut it? A August.

Q Of what year? A '81.

Q That was before the law was passed? A Yes sir, and we came to get the law passed to get the invitation.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

Q This John you speak of; is he your son? A Yes sir, eldest son.

By Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q After he went back when you were out here the time you sold the

hay, the next time John came back was when he came with Mrs. Rucker?  
A Yes sir. That's his second trip.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

Q What year was it Mrs. Rucker came out here? A I can not say exactly.

Q About 1880 or 1884, was it not? A It must have been.

Q You said it was three or four years after you came? A Yes sir, she was going to school when I came! She was a minor and going to school.

Q Well, how long after you came before your daughter, who is now Mrs. Rucker, came out? A About three years.

Q And you mean about three years after 1881? A Yes sir.

Q Then John came here about 1884; came back? A This was his second trip.

Q Came back the second time before 1884? A No sir, third time. We were here first cutting hay.

Q In 1880? A Yes sir.

Q When did John go back again? A We cut and sold our hay and went back again.

Q John came with you in 1880 first and helped get that law passed? A Yes sir.

Q And then he went back again? A Yes sir.

Q Then after he went back after this first trip here, when did he come the second time? A Well, he came -- he came here in 1881.

Q How long did he stay? A He did not stay very long.

Q Did he stay a month? A Yes sir, he stayed a year.

Q And then he went back? A He went to Washington.

Q Where else did he go? A He went to Washington to settle up his accounts.

Q And when did he come back here? A He came back with Bern.

Q In 1884? A Yes sir, '85 or '84.

Q Has he been here ever since? A Yes sir, never been away.

Q Now, you left here in 1884 to go to Washington? A Yes sir.

Q And came back in 1885? A Yes sir.

Q Were you in Washington all that time? A Most of the time.

Q Where were you when not there? A I had some law suits back in North Carolina.

Q You were away six years? A No sir, not all the time. I was here in 1880.

Q You were here in 1880, and you left in 1884: Where were you during that six years? A I was in Washington most of the time.

Q Where-else? A In North Carolina in relation to my land matters.

Q So you were in Washington and North Carolina the whole time? A Yes sir.

Q What were you doing in Washington all the time that time?

A I had a power of attorney from these emigrants to come out here and collect the money due them from the Government.

Q And you were in Washington only for the purpose of so doing after that business? A Yes sir.

By Mr. V. V. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q You swore that you had lived in the Cherokee Nation from the fall of 1880 until 1887, all the time continuously? A No sir, I was out twice and back.

Q Where? A I went to North Carolina to see to my land suits.

Q When? A I went in 1881.

Q And when was the second time you went out, and where?

A I was back in '82.

Q Back in North Carolina in '82? A Back here.

Q You said you were out twice between 1880 and 1887: You have a second time?

A I went up to Washington.

Q How long did you remain there then? A I remained about a year.

Q Then you came back here in 1885? A Yes sir, I came back in

'94 and I remained until 1897.

Q Then from 1894 to 1897 you were here all the time? A Yes sir.

Com'r. C. R. Brockinridge:

Q And then where did you go? A To Washington.

Q In 1897? A Yes sir.

Q How long did you stay there?

A Not long: I got a round trip to the McKinley inauguration.

Q Just stayed there on a limited ticket? A Yes sir.

Q Can you not write back to North Carolina or Tennessee and get a copy of the marriage records showing the marriage between yourself and your wife, Adeline Manchester? A I do not know. The records have all been burned. Burned in time of the War.

Q Is there any one here that knows Mrs. Rusker was recognized as your child, and known as your child? A I do not know, except my own family relation.

Q Are any of them here?

Q I have a brother at Chelsea.

Q You never had her name put on the roll: Your name is on the roll; other people have their children's names on the roll, but you have not got your children's names on the roll?

A Who, Mrs. Rusker?

Q Yes sir? A Busyhead taken them as mine when I first came.

Q That is what I am trying to prove?

A If I need any other proof, I will furnish it.

Q I want you telling some one here who knows that Mrs. Rusker was your child? A Yes sir.

Q So as to show that she is entitled to the rights that you acquired back there in 1881? A Well.

Q Will you bring some one here to give evidence about that?

A Yes sir, my people; we all lived there together.

Q Will you bring one person here who will swear; that knows all about it? A I can bring several.

Q Who will you bring here now that knows; that know your wife, and know you and she were husband and wife, and that this woman is your daughter? Who can tell me that?

A My brother Tom.

Q Where is your brother Tom? A He lives up here on fourteen mile creek.

Q Can you bring him here?

A I do not think he is hardly able to come.

Q Well, who else can come? A Brother David; he lives up there at Chelsea.

Q Can you bring him? A I can, if necessary.

Q I want you to bring some one? A Well sir.

By Mr. V. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Were you ever married before you married the mother of Mrs. Rusker? A No sir.

Q You had some children before you married her? A Yes sir.

Q Did you testify before the citizenship court that you were the father of Mrs. Sage? A I do not know.

Q Did you not testify about her? A I do not know.

Q Will you swear that you did not? A I do not think I was called in as a witness.

Q Are you her (Mrs. Sage's) father? A Said to be: I raised her.

Q Do you recognize her as your child? A Yes sir.

Q Are you the father of a Mrs. Powell? A No sir; she was a child of Mrs. Bennett.

Q Mrs. Rusker's mother and Mrs. Sage's mother were not the same woman? A No sir.

Q Did you live with Mrs. Sage's mother as your wife?

A No sir.

Q Did you ever live with her as child? A No sir; this child was



born; it was laid to me: She said it was mine.  
Q She was a white woman? A No sir, she was part Indian.  
Q Cherokee? A That Blythe stood.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

Q How many children have you besides these born of your wife, Adline Manchester? A I have got eleven surviving children.  
Q How many have you got that are not the children of Adline Manchester? A There are five here by the Manchester woman.  
Q And then there are six that are not by the Manchester woman? A Yes sir.  
Q Are these children all by one woman? A No sir.  
Q Did you ever live as husband and wife with the mother of any of these six children who are not by your wife, Adline Manchester? A I did with one.  
Q You lived with her as the husband with one woman besides your wife? A Yes sir, but I married her.  
Q That is what I asked you a while ago, and you said no? A There is only three -- she died.  
Q Only three what? A Three children.  
Q These six children are by different mothers, to some extent at least? A Yes sir.  
Q Were the mothers of these children all dead when you married your wife, Adline Manchester? A Yes sir.  
Q Their mothers were all dead? A Yes sir.  
Q I want to establish now the lawful marriage with this woman, Adline Manchester, and prove that these children are her lawful children: What was the occasion of your separation from Adline Manchester? A Her conduct. She became dissipated.  
Q Dissipated? A Yes sir.  
Q What do you mean by dissipated? A Well, she went with the war pretty much, and she became so I would not live with her.  
Q Do you mean that she became ~~immoral~~ unfaithful? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you confident that these are your children by her? A They were all born before she ever became any such way.  
Q You bring some one here that can swear to your marriage to that woman, Adline Manchester, and to these children being recognized as your children by that woman? A I do not know about the marriage part, whether I can get any one or not.  
Q Is there any one who knows you were married to her? A I was married by old man Britten; he is dead.  
Q Is there no one living who knows she was your wife? A Yes sir, my brother David.

By Mr. V. V. Hastings, Cherokee Representative:

Q Which is your youngest child by your wife, Adline Manchester? A Addie Mathews.  
Q When was she born? A She was born -- I think it was '91.  
Q Is it not a fact that she was born some year or more after your separation from her mother, Adline Manchester? A No sir, she was born before any separation.  
Q When did Mrs. Mathews come to this country? A She came with Mrs. Page.  
Q When was that? A I do not know exactly.  
Q The last part of the 80's was it not? A Along in '80; maybe '84; when her time was out at school she came with Mrs. Page.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge:

The name of James Taylor, aged fifty eight years, appears on the roll of North Carolina Cherokee who paid transportation, which roll is in the possession of the Cherokee Representative present, and it is noted in said roll that his right is through his mother. The applicant claims that that is his name, enrolled at that time. The date of that enrollment is October 22nd, 1881.



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This testimony will be added as supplemental in the case of Frank H. Rucker et al, "D", #773.

(Marriage license and certificate, relating to the marriage of Frank H. Rucker and May D. Taylor, in 1894, showing that they were married in accordance with Cherokee law, is filed herewith.)

Q Did you ever apply to the Dawes Commission for admission in 1896? A In '97, I did.

Q You did not apply for admission in 1897? You applied for enrollment? (No response.)

Q You were not a party in an application made in 1896 to the Dawes Commission? A No sir.

Q You are not the James Taylor that is named in the case of Sarah Ann Gorham et al? A No sir.

Q Do you know the James Taylor? A No sir.

Q Who is William Taylor? A My son is named William.

Q But he is not related to the Gorham family? A No sir.

Q Do you know Ova Taylor? A No sir.

Q Do you know Meade Taylor? A No sir.

Q You do not know that family at all? A No sir, I never heard of them.

Com'r. C. R. Breckinridge: It appears from the testimony that this applicant was not a party in proceedings before the Dawes Commission for admission to citizenship. A copy of the foregoing testimony will be filed with his application, "D", #241.

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The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*R. R. Crum*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1901.

*J. B. [Signature]*

COMMISSIONER.

"D" #941.  
"D" #772.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
MUSKOGEE, I.T., JANUARY 22nd, 1901.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF James Tayler - "D" Card #941 -  
and Frank M. Rucker - "D" Card #772.  
David Tayler, being sworn and examined by Commissioner, T. B.  
Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A David Tayler.  
Q What is your age? A Seventy four.  
Q What is your Postoffice address? A Chelsea.  
Q Indian Territory? A Yes sir.

James Taylor, being sworn and examined, testified:

Q What do you want to prove by this man? A That Medora was born  
while me and my wife were living together as man and wife.

David Tayler recalled:

Q Do you know James Taylor? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know his wife? A Yes sir.  
Q What was her name? A Addie.  
Q Do you know Frank M. Rucker? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know his wife, May D.? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know when this May D. was born? A Along about '66.  
Q Well, were James Taylor and his wife living together at that  
time? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know whether they were married or not? A Yes sir, they  
were married.  
Q How far did you live from them? A About a quarter.  
Q About a quarter of a mile? A Yes sir.  
Q And while they were living together, this child, May D. Rucker  
was born? A Yes sir.

By Mr. J. L. Baugh, Cherokee Representative:

Q How long did they live together after the birth of this child?  
A I do not recollect.  
Q About how long? A Some five or six years.  
Q Do you know about how many children were born to them after the  
birth of this child? A About three I think.  
Q What three? A Hiran and Addie.  
Q Were he and his wife living together when this child, Addie was  
born? A They were in Washington.  
Q Do you know of your own knowledge that they were living together  
as man and wife then? A I can not say: They were in Washington.  
Q And that child was born while they were living there?  
A Yes sir.  
Q About how long has Mr. James Taylor lived in the Cherokee Nation?  
A I can not tell you - backwards and forwards - he had law suits  
he had to attend to.  
Q Has he ever made the Cherokee Nation his permanent home?  
A I think he stays with his boys up here.  
Q About how long at a time does he stay with his boys?  
A About a year at a time, and he would have to go and attend to law  
suits.  
Q Where was he living in the summer of 1899? A I do not recollect.  
Q Was he living in the Cherokee Nation? A I can not say: I do not  
recollect.

Com'r. T. B. Needles:

Q What relation are you to James Taylor? A He is a brother-in-  
law.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*R. R. L. ...*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1901.

*[Signature]*

COMMISSIONER.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 7, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of  
Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as  
Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Luman F. Parker, Jr., of Hatchings, Parker and West,  
Vinita, I. T., attorneys for the applicants;  
W.W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant and his attorneys were notified  
by registered letter February 17, 1902, that their application  
of Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself, wife and  
children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up  
for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in  
Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 7th day of March, 1902; re-  
ceipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, both  
by the applicant and by his attorneys; and the applicant this  
day, to-wit: the 7th day of March, 1902, appears by his  
attorneys.

BY MR. PARKER: I desire to call attention to the fact that the  
father of Dora Rucker appears as one of the North Carolina  
Cherokees who removed here under the act of October 22, 1881,  
and also two of her brothers, James L. and William on same  
roll.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant's father appears on said roll  
as No. 20, aged at that time 58 years.

BY COMMISSION: The attorneys for the applicant and the  
representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the  
case; same is ordered closed and reported to the Commission for  
final decision, based upon the evidence now of record.

The Cherokee Nation will be given ten days in which to  
file with the Commission a certified copy of the act of the  
Council under which the North Carolina Cherokees of 1881 came.

The attorneys for the applicant request and will be granted  
20 days in which to file briefs in the case, one copy with the  
Commission and one copy with the representative of the Cherokee  
Nation.

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I, H.D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*H.D. Green*



File with case C. D. # 777

Supl.-C.D.#745.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 21, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the enrollment of  
JOHN M. TAYLOR, ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; in-  
troduced on part of the Applicants:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 18, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 18th day of March, 1902. On said date the applicant appeared in person and by his Attorneys, Hutchings, Parker & West, Vinita, Indian Territory, and by agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation present, the case was continued until the 21st day of March, 1902. On this day, to-wit: the 21st day of March, 1902, the applicant appears in person and by his Attorneys.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

Commission: The Attorney for the applicant requests that the testimony had this day in the matter of the above application be filed with and made part of the record in the following cases: James Taylor, which was closed on the 13th day of March, 1902, No. D. 941; David J. Mathews, et al., closed March 7, 1902, No. D. 697, and Frank M. Rucker, et al., closed March 17, 1902, No. D. 772.

W. J. HOLLEY, being duly sworn, testified as follows on part of applicants:

BY MR. PARKER:

Q State your name and residence? A I live in Tahlequah district, that is my home; I am at Wagoner at present; my name is W. J. Holley.

Q What is your age? A 60 years old.

Q Where were you born? A Born in North Carolina.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Ever since 1867.

Q What official positions if any have you held in the Cherokee Nation during your life?

Mr. Hastings: I submit that is entirely irrelevant.

Q What official positions have you held? A Why I was census taker there twice in Flint district.

Q Were you acquainted with James Taylor? A Yes, sir.

Q What has been his principal occupation or business during the time you have known him? A Which Jim Taylor?

Q I mean old man Jim? A He has been most of his time since I can recollect in Washington, tending to business of the Nation.

Q Representative of the Nation, of the North Carolina Cherokees?

Yes, sir.

Q Where has he been representing them? A At Washington.

Q Were you ever a member of the Convention that appointed him or gave him authority to represent the North Carolina Cherokees?

A Yes, sir; I suppose I was.

Q I wish you would examine that paper and see if that is a copy of the proceedings had at the convention and in what capacity you participated in that proceeding (paper shown witness and examined by him)? A Yes, sir, but I don't know anything about it.

Mr. Hastings: I submit that is a matter that is entirely irrelevant and it cuts no figure whatever with this case; it makes no difference how many North Carolina people he represented, it does not tend to show that he is entitled to citizenship here in any wise.

Mr. Parker: In that connection Attorney for the applicant desires to state that it is for the purpose of showing that ~~James Taylor~~ was doing while residing in Washington, and thereby accounting for his absence from the Cherokee Nation.

Witness: That is the date of the proceedings.

Q In what capacity did you participate in that proceeding?

A I was president of that gathering.

Q What did that gathering do? A It gave Jim Taylor authority to look after the interests of the Cherokees of North Carolina in Washington.

Q What year was that? A 1894.

Mr. Parker: We desire to offer this copy of the proceedings had on that day.

Mr. Hastings: Well, the Cherokee Nation objects to it, first because it is a matter entirely irrelevant, and second because it is not certified to and is only a typewritten copy and no signatures thereto.

Commission: The document will be filed, and the attorney for the applicant is requested to furnish the Commission with a certified copy of the same.

Q Do you know whether or not previous to that time James Taylor had been authorized to represent the Emigrant or North Carolina Cherokees, or had acted in that capacity? A No, sir, I don't know that he was; always my understanding is that he was not work for them; I don't know what authority, and don't know whether it was done by convention or anything about that.

Mr. Parker: We desire to now offer in evidence a certified copy of the proceedings of the Convention held at Tahlequah on the 3d and 4th day of October, 1894, approving and confirming the actions of the Delegates, James Taylor, and conferring upon him additional powers as their representative.

Mr. Hastings: The representatives of the Cherokee Nation object to the filing of this document because it is not a certified copy of the record, and it does not purport to be, and because the same is irrelevant and immaterial.

Q Where were you in 1890, Mr. McKay? A I was in the Cherokee Nation.

Q Please state briefly your recollection of what happened in 1890 and look with reference to the emigration of the North Carolina Cherokees to this country? A Well, there was an act passed the Council in 1890, sometime in December, that there were two delegates sent back to North Carolina to invite the North Carolina Cherokees to the Cherokee Nation.

Q Was there a matter of record there? A Yes, sir.

Q How did these delegates? A I didn't go with them; I

Q Did you see the applicant, John M. Taylor, Jr. If so, where?

A Yes, sir; I saw him to be in Cherokee County, North Carolina, where those delegates had assembled with a crowd of Cherokees.

Q Was he among them? A Yes, sir.

Q What did that delegation do at that time? A They just extended the invitation to them to come to this country.

Q Pursuant to that invitation did people from that county and neighborhood come to the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q When did you next see John M. Taylor, Jr? A I don't recollect exactly but I think best of my memory serves me; it was in '81.

Q Whereabouts was he? A In Tahlequah.

Q In this country, Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, after I left there.

Q At what time did the North Carolina Cherokees who had accepted that invitation remove to the Cherokee Nation? A Some of them came that summer and in the fall.

Q It was that fall that you saw John M. Taylor here?

A I think it was.

Q To the best of your knowledge where has John M. Taylor resided since that time? A I could not tell you; I have seen him often; I have seen him at Tahlequah, in Coowascoochee. I have heard of him often.

Q In this country? A Yes, sir, I don't know whereabouts he lived.

Q Were the North Carolina Cherokees who came in response to that invitation required to register at Tahlequah and to be enrolled, to your knowledge? A I could not tell you anything about it.

Q Did you so understand at that time? A I don't recollect anything about whether they were required to enroll or not; I know there was some that did enroll.

Q Was anything said about whether they would have to enroll or not?

A I never heard anything about it; there was some that enrolled that fall, some of the Powell children.

Q If they were required to enroll in response to that invitation, you didn't know it at that time? A No, sir.

Q You were in Cherokee country, North Carolina when the invitation was extended? A Yes, sir.

Q And was here when they came? A Yes, sir.

Q According to your information where has James Taylor, the old man, made his, considered his home; where is his home considered to be since the North Carolina Cherokees came west? A I have seen him several times since and he always told me he lived in Coowascoochee with his 2 children.

MR. HASTINGS:

Q The North Carolina Cherokees did come and enroll, didn't they, Mr. McKay, when they came here, to the Executive office? A Some of them did.

Q Well, do you know of any outside of these that didn't?

A No, I don't know that I do.

Q You don't know of any? A No, I don't.

Q As a matter of fact they all came there and were enrolled and were paid some money by an Act of the National Council? A Yes, sir.

Mr. Hastings: The Cherokee Nation offers in evidence a certified copy of the Act of National Council approved December 15, 1881, the same being an act of appropriation for the relief of the North Carolina Cherokees lately removed to the Cherokee Nation.

Commissioner: The document will be filed and made part of the record in this case.



Mr. Parker: Attorneys for the applicant desire to object to the introduction of the Act of December 15, 1891, for the reason that the same provides for the payment of certain sum of money to persons whose names appear upon the roll, and has nothing whatever to do with persons who might have settled in the Cherokee Nation in response to the Act of December 3, 1880, and whose names were not upon that roll.

Mr. Hastings: The Cherokee Nation offers this certified copy of this Act in evidence for the purpose of showing that all the persons who came to the Cherokee Nation under the Act of December 3, 1880, aggregated 168 persons and were enrolled in the Executive office of the Cherokee Nation, and the name of the applicant does not appear thereon.

Commission: The document will be filed and made part of the record.

The Attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted 20 days in which to file a brief in this case.

The Attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation submit the case. The same is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. O. Boston, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had this day in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Boston*

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 21, 1902.

In the matter of the application of FRANK M. HUCKER, for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and his wife MARY D. HUCKER, and his children, EARNEST E., MAYBEL E., FRANK M., JR., and JOHN MARSHALL HUCKER, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation:

FRANK M. HUCKER, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Frank M. Hucker.  
Q What is your post office? A Claremore.  
Q What is your age? A Thirty six.  
Q Are you the same Frank M. Hucker that made application for enrollment as an intermarried citizen in November, 1900?  
A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A May Dora.  
Q Is your wife living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to your wife May Dora? A In 1884.  
Q Were you ever married prior to your marriage to this wife?  
A No sir.  
Q Was she ever married prior to her marriage to you?  
A No sir.  
Q Have you and your wife May Dora lived together since your marriage up to the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q Never been separated? A No sir.  
Q Were you and she living together as husband and wife on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time since your marriage in 1884 up to the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q Has your wife lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1884 all the time up to the present time? A Yes sir.  
Q Are these children, Earnest E., Maybel E., Frank M., Jr., and John Marshall, your children by your wife May Dora? A Yes sir.  
Q Are these children living at this time? A Yes sir.  
Q Have they lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives?  
A Yes sir.

H. C. Bagwell, on oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this November 25, 1902.

B. C. Jones  
Notary Public



File with case C. D. #772

Supl.-C.D.#745.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 21, 1902.

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W. J. McKEY, being duly sworn, testified as follows on part of applicants:

BY MR. PARKER:

Q State your name and residence? A I live in Tahlequah district, that is my home; I am at Vagener at present; my name is W. J. McKey.

Q What is your age? A 60 years old.

Q Where were you born? A Born in North Carolina.

Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Ever since 1867.

Q What official positions if any have you held in the Cherokee Nation during your life?

Mr. Hastings: I submit that is entirely irrelevant.

Q What official positions have you held? A Why I was census taker there twice in Flint district.

Q Were you acquainted with James Taylor? A Yes, sir.

Q What has been his principal occupation or business during the time you have known him? A Which Jim Taylor?

Q I mean old man Jim? A He has been most of his time since I can remember in Washington, tending to business of the Nation.

Q Representative of the Nation, of the North Carolina Cherokee? A Yes, sir.

Q Where has he been representing them? A At Washington.

Q Were you ever a member of the Convention that appointed him or gave him authority to represent the North Carolina Cherokee?

Q Yes, sir; I suppose I was.

Q I wish you would examine that paper and see if that is a copy of the proceedings held at the convention and in what capacity you participated in that proceeding (paper shown witness and examined by him)? A Yes, sir, but I don't know anything about it.

Mr. Hastings: I submit that is a matter that is entirely irrelevant and it cuts no figure whatever with this case; it makes no difference how many North Carolina people he represented, it does not tend to show that he is entitled to citizenship here in any wise.

Mr. Parker: In that connection Attorney for the applicant desires to state that it is for the purpose of showing what he was doing while residing in Washington, and thereby accounting for his absence from the Cherokee Nation.

Witness: That is the date of the proceedings.

Q In what capacity did you participate in that proceeding?

A I was president of that gathering.

Q What did that gathering do? A It gave Jim Taylor authority to look after the interests of the Cherokees of North Carolina in Washington.

Q What year was that? A 1894.

Mr. Parker: We desire to offer this copy of the proceedings had on that day.

Mr. Hastings: Well, the Cherokee Nation objects to it, first because it is a matter entirely irrelevant, and second because it is not certified to and is only a typewritten copy and no signatures thereto.

Commission: The document will be filed, and the attorney for the applicant is requested to furnish the Commission with a certified copy of the same.

Q Do you know whether or not previous to that time James Taylor had been authorized to represent the Emigrant or North Carolina Cherokees, or had acted in that capacity? A No, sir, I don't know that he was; always my understanding is that he was at work for them; I don't know what authority, and don't know whether it was done by convention or anything about that.

Mr. Parker: We desire to now offer in evidence a certified copy of the proceedings of the Convention held at Talequah on the 3d and 4th day of October, 1894, approving and confirming the actions of the Delegate, James Taylor, and conferring upon him additional powers as their representative.

Mr. Hastings: The representatives of the Cherokee Nation object to the filing of this document because it is not a certified copy of the record, and it does not purport to be, and because the same is irrelevant and immaterial.

Q Where were you in 1890, Mr. McKey? A I was in the Cherokee Nation.

Q Please state briefly your recollection of what happened in 1890 and 1891 with reference to the emigration of the North Carolina Cherokees to this country? A Well, there was an Act passed by the Council in 1890, sometime in December, that there were two delegations sent back to North Carolina to invite the North Carolina Cherokees to the Cherokee Nation.

Q That Act was a matter of record there? A Yes, sir.

Q Did you go with those delegates? A I didn't go with them, I was there.

Q Did you see the applicant, John K. Taylor, Jr., if so, where?

A Yes, sir; I saw him there in Cherokee County, North Carolina where those delegates had assembled with a crowd of Cherokees.

Q Was he among them? A Yes, sir.

Q What did that delegation do at that time? A They just extended the invitation to them to come to this country.

Q Pursuant to that invitation did people from that county and neighborhood come to the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q When did you next see John K. Taylor, Jr? A I don't recollect exactly but I think best of my memory serves me, it was in '81.

Q Whereabouts was he? A In Tahlequah.

Q In this country, Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, after I left there.

Q At what time did the North Carolina Cherokees who had accepted that invitation remove to the Cherokee Nation? A Some of them came that summer and in the fall.

Q It was that fall that you saw John K. Taylor here?

A I think it was.

Q To the best of your knowledge where has John K. Taylor resided since that time? A I could not tell you; I have seen him often.

I have seen him at Tahlequah, in Coowescoowee. I have heard of him often.

Q In this country? A Yes, sir, I don't know whereabouts he lived.

Q Were the North Carolina Cherokees who came in response to that invitation required to register at Tahlequah and to be enrolled, to your knowledge? A I could not tell you anything about it.

Q Did you so understand at that time? A I don't recollect anything about whether they were required to enroll or not; I know there was some that did enroll.

Q Was anything said about whether they would have to enroll or not?

A I never heard anything about it; there was some that enrolled that fall, some of the Powell children.

Q If they were required to enroll in response to that invitation you didn't know it at that time? A No, sir.

Q You were in Cherokee country, North Carolina when the invitation was extended? A Yes, sir.

Q And was here when they came? A Yes, sir.

Q According to your information where has James Taylor, the old man, made his, considered his home; where is his home considered to be since the North Carolina Cherokees came west? A I have seen him several times since and he always told me he lived in Coowescoowee with his children.

Q The North Carolina Cherokees did come and enroll, didn't they, Mr. Moley, when they came here, to the Executive office? A Some of them did.

Q Well, do you know of any outside of those that signed?

A No, I don't know that I do.

Q You don't know of any? A No, I don't.

Q As a matter of fact they all came there and were enrolled and were paid some money by an act of the National Council? A Yes, sir.

Mr. Hastings: The Cherokee Nation offers in evidence a certified copy of the Act of National Council approved December 1<sup>st</sup>, 1881, the same being an act of appropriation for the support of the North Carolina Cherokees lately removed to the Cherokee Nation.

Continued: The document is filed and made part of the record in the case.

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Mr. Parker: Attorneys for the applicant desire to object to the introduction of the Act of December 15, 1861, for the reason that the same provides for the payment of certain sum of money to persons whose names appear upon the roll, and has nothing whatever to do with persons who might have settled in the Cherokee Nation in response to the Act of December 8, 1860, and whose names were not upon that roll.

Mr. Hastings: The Cherokee Nation offers this certified copy of this Act in evidence for the purpose of showing that all the persons who came to the Cherokee Nation under the Act of December 3, 1860, aggregated 168 persons and were enrolled in the Executive office of the Cherokee Nation, and the name of the applicant does not appear thereon.

Commission: The document will be filed and made part of the record.

The Attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted 20 days in which to file a brief in this case.

The Attorney for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation submit the same. The case is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

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I, J. G. Hensen, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had this day in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. G. Hensen*



No. Cherokee - D 772.

Supplemental memorandum for Applicant.

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The evidence in D-941 taken January 17, 1901, shows that the mother of May Dora died in 1881, hence the inference that she remained with her mother until 1883 falls to the ground. With the death of her mother every single member of the Taylor family was to be found in the Cherokee Nation in 1881 except May Dora, aged fourteen and her little sister, Addie. The proof shows that May Dora was in school finishing when she was sixteen, two years after her father and brothers had removed to the Cherokee Nation and made their home she came to them, the only home she had on earth and on reaching here, as further evidence of her citizenship, she was admitted as a student in the Female Seminary at Tahlequah, maintained by the Cherokee Nation for the benefit of its citizens and into which none but citizens' children are admitted. It also appears from the testimony that her father, James, carried her



removal money under the act of December 3, 1880, showing that her company was pursuant to said invitation and in accordance with the purpose of the family and the understanding of the government.

It further appears by the testimony in D-941 and in this case that her father was a ~~man~~ prominent among his people and in those years recognized as their representative at Washington on many occasions and was instrumental in securing the passage ~~of the invitation~~ to the destitute North Carolina Cherokees of whom he was one, embodied in the act of December 2, 1880, and that he with those of his family who were able to go, led the emigrants so invited to their new home. That he and his entire family accepted the invitation to remove west, except his wife (A white woman from whom he was separated and who died that year) the boys and their brothers came, May Bora, aged fourteen, and Addie, aged nine, little girls, were left in school.

Much stress is laid upon the <sup>fact</sup> that May Dorn name does not appear upon the list of <sup>168</sup> ~~1881~~, persons to relief the necessities of whom the Cherokee Nation appropriated a sum of money on December 16, 1881.

As a legal proposition there is nothing in the act of December 3, 1880, requiring the North Carolina Cherokees to enroll or register upon coming to the Nation. It was a mere voluntary act, but they having ~~failed~~ <sup>failed</sup> to do so they were none the less Cherokees and still entitled to recognition and all rights as such, if in fact they came here under that invitation within the time required by law. True, most of those who came first would register, but there was nothing in the act requiring it and it was done in ~~and~~ order to secure their removal money and a participation in such relief appropriations as the one referred to; it was necessary in paying out this money to have some list, but the list itself gave no element of their citizenship-it was simply a pay roll or list. Being on that list proves one fact, *prima facie*, viz: that the persons named had at that time accepted the invitation of the Cherokee Nation. Applicant's father and brother, James,

are named because they were here at the time the list was made, and drew their money.

However, the questions as to whether a person was a North Carolina Cherokee in 1880 and did in fact accept the invitation to come west are both ones of fact that may be shown by any competent testimony, and this list was only one of the means of showing those facts, certainly not the only one because not made so by any law of the Cherokee Nation or of the United States.

Suppose for instance a child had come in 1880 with its parents and for some cause was <sup>now</sup> omitted from that list, would it be any the less a North Carolina Cherokee who had come in response to an invitation of December 3? Certainly not. All it would have lost would be its pro rata share for the relief of those whose names appear on that list, and how much stronger would it be as in this case when the Cherokee Nation by its every branch and department has recognized both May Dora as a Cherokee citizen by blood and her husband as an intermarried citizen. She having attended the school exclusively for Cherokee girls at the capitol of the nation subsequent to her removal; her husband before entering into a marriage contract with her, being required by the authorities to secure a petition, duly signed by a certain number of citizens; transfer<sup>d</sup> and permitted him to hold lands in the Cherokee Nation as a citizen, enrolled May Dora, her husband and all their children in 1894, 1896 and distributed to them their pro rata share of the funds paid to citizens of the Cherokee Nation since 1883.

Referring to section 22 of the Curtis act, it has been shown by undisputable testimony that <sup>May Dora Ruelin</sup> ~~May Dora Ruelin~~ was a North Carolina Cherokee and that the family of which she was one came to the Cherokee Nation in 1881 while she was yet a minor, in response to the invitation in the act of December 3, 1880, and were duly admitted to citizenship and that she still in her minority in 1883 made permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation and has at all times since been enrolled and recognized by the tribal authorities

as a Cherokee citizen by blood.

A word with reference to the act of the Dawes Commission in 1896, concerning the case of James Taylor, her father; through some misunderstanding or apprehension, James Taylor, ~~in~~ <sup>an</sup> application to the Commission in 1900, was rejected for the reason that he had abandoned the Nation. This decision was ~~based~~ <sup>based</sup> upon the report of the act of the Commission in 1896. But upon a further consideration of the case, he was placed upon the doubtful card and his case is now before the Commission for consideration, however, that may be, it can have no effect upon the citizenship of May Dora, for since 1884 she has had a home of her own, without interruption since 1863 been a permanent resident of the Cherokee Nation and no act of her father's or brother's or sister's amounting to an abandonment within the meaning of the law, could in any manner effect her, when as a matter of fact her father had never abandoned the Cherokee Nation and is still a citizen and resident thereof.

From any standpoint we can not see how the Cherokee Nation can seriously question the right of Frank H. Rucker, wife and family to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. They have lived here nearly ~~thirty~~ <sup>thirty</sup> years and not until a brief in this case was filed, was their citizenship ever questioned and then upon the flimsy pretext that this little girl instead of being in school should have made the trip across the country with her father and brothers.

Her home followed them and she too, followed them while still in her minority.

Respectfully submitted,

*Arthur P. Rucker*

Attorneys for Applicant.

Frank Ruesler  
of family  
Cherokee 8772

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
JUN 10 1900

 OFFICE OF THE  
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

In the matter of the application of Frank M. Rucker for the Enrollment of himself, his wife and three minor children.

The status of this case is as follows:

The applicant's wife was born in North Carolina in 1866 and was the daughter of James Taylor and Addie Taylor. She was fourteen years of age at the time her father, James Taylor, and other members of the family accepted the invitation extended to North Carolina Cherokees to remove to the Cherokee Nation. This was in the fall of 1880. She was at that time in school in Nashville having been admitted therein because of her Cherokee blood. Her father and two brothers were duly recognized and their names appear in the list of North Carolina Cherokees, who removed to the Cherokee Nation under the provisions of the act of the Cherokee Council approved December 3, 1880, her father's name, to-wit: James Taylor, being No. 20 on the list.

In the winter of 1882 her brother, James L. Taylor, returned to North Carolina and took the applicant from school and brought her, she still being a minor, to the Cherokee Nation, and she has ever since that date been a resident of the Cherokee Nation.

On the 14th day of September she was duly married to Frank M. Rucker, the applicant herein; as a result of this marriage three children, Ernest, Mable and Frank, were born, all of whom are now living with their parents in the Cherokee Nation; that all of said parties have resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation since said marriage, have made valuable improvements upon the public domain and have been recognized by the Cherokee Nation whenever occasion for recognition of a citizen has presented itself. They are upon all the rolls



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made subsequent to said date and the subsistence or removal money allowed by the government to the North Carolina Cherokees was given to the brother of the applicant's wife for her.

These applicants were placed upon doubtful cards for two reasons; first, for want of proof as to citizenship of Mrs. Rucker, and second, validity of her marriage to Frank M. Rucker.

As to the first proposition a review of the facts it seems to us dispenses with the necessity of any argument.

Under Section 22, the Commission is required to enroll two classes of citizens, viz: all persons whose names are found on the 1880 Roll and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon, and second, "All persons who have been enrolled by the tribal authorities who have heretofore made permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation, whose parents by reason of their Cherokee blood have been lawfully admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities and who were minors when their parents were so admitted."

This case comes squarely within the later class. James Taylor, by reason of his Cherokee blood was lawfully admitted to citizenship as a North Carolina Cherokee in 1881 by the tribal authorities of the Cherokee Nation and his daughter, May D., wife of the applicant here, was a minor when her father was so admitted and has heretofore made permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation, and was duly enrolled by the tribal authorities in 1894 and 1896. This clearly disposes of that question.

On the question of marriage, the applicant presented a certificate signed by D. W. Alberty, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, dated October 28, 1900, certifying from the record that Frank M. Rucker, a citizen of the United States, was married on September 14, 1894, to

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May D. Taylor, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

By both the 1894 and the 1896 Roll it appears that Dora and May Dora, as she was called, registered under the name of Dora and May Dora Rucker; by the testimony of her brother, James L. Taylor, it appears that the family recognized the marriage as legal and that Frank M. Rucker procured a petition as required by the Cherokee Law at that time in order to marry a Cherokee and that ever since September 14, 1884, Rucker has lived with his sister, May Dora, as husband and wife.

By the evidence of her father, James Taylor, it appears that he recognized the marriage between his daughter and Frank M. Rucker, that they are living together as man and wife.

The same is shown by the evidence of David Taylor, her uncle, and with the evidence of James Taylor taken on January 17, 1901, was filed a marriage license issued by the Clerk of Tablequah District on September 13, 1884, authorizing the marriage between Frank M. Rucker, a citizen of the United States, and May D. Rucker, a Cherokee, and the certificate shows that they were united in marriage on the 14 day of September 1884.

This we submit conclusively meets both of the objections suggested by the Honorable Commission who heard the original application.

Respectfully submitted.

*Henry C. Rucker*

Attys for Applicants

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Application for removal  
made as directed by  
J. M. Rucker and  
family

Brief on behalf of  
Applicants

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
June 2nd 1902.

No. Cherokee D 772.

In the matter of the application of Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee nation by intermarriage and for his wife and children as citizens by blood.

Brief on part of the Cherokee nation.

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Frank M. Rucker applies for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage; he was married on September 14th 1884, his wife is Mary Dora Rucker nee Taylor, who claims to be a daughter of James Taylor. She is thirty-four years of age and came to the Cherokee nation in 1885. The testimony in this case shows that her mother and father were separated and that she remained in North Carolina in 1885, and she was never readmitted to citizenship upon her coming to the Cherokee nation. She claims through and under an act of the national council of the Cherokee nation inviting the North Carolina Cherokees of date December 3, 1880, but she did not come under that invitation and did not arrive in the Cherokee Nation until January 1885. Her name is not upon the roll of those who came under the invitation, as are the names of all persons including men, women and children who came in 1881 and were enrolled as citizens. We contend that the applicant must have come under that act and must have been ~~then~~ enrolled and recognized to have come under that act in order now to be listed for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The act of December 24, 1881 making an appropriation for a certain amount of money to be paid to those people was ordered filed in this case. This act in relation to the North Carolina Cherokees makes an appropriation for a certain amount of money to be paid those people whose names

appear as members of this band upon the rolls now on file in the executive Department of this Nation."

The fact that there is a roll containing a list of the 168 names on file in the executive Department of the Cherokee Nation and the fact that this act so recites and shows that those who came under the invitation of December 3rd 1860 were required to enroll upon their reaching the Cherokee Nation and inasmuch as the applicant did not enroll and inasmuch as she has never been readmitted to citizenship subsequent to that time the Cherokee Nation contends that under the law she, her husband and children are not entitled to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. W. Hastings*

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

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Frank M. Bucker et al.

Brief on part of the  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, May D. Rucker, and his four minor children, Earnest L., Mabel M., Frank M., Jr., and John Marshal Rucker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N

The record in this case shows that on November 9, 1900, Frank M. Rucker appeared before the Commission at Claremore, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, May D. Rucker, and his three minor children, Earnest L., Mabel M., and Frank M. Rucker, Jr., as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Claremore, Indian Territory, on November 10, 1900, at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on January 17, 1901, on January 22, 1901, and on March 7, and October 21, 1902. The testimony taken in the matter of the application for the enrollment of John M. Taylor, et al., Cherokee D, case #745, on March 21, 1902, is made a part of the record in this case. Another child, John Marshal Rucker, is identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record and he is now embraced in this decision.

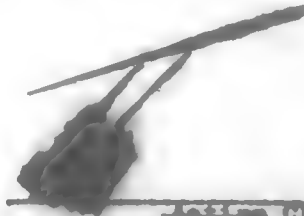
The evidence shows that Frank M. Rucker, a white man, was lawfully married under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on September 14, 1884, to May D. Taylor, a Cherokee by blood who came to the Cherokee Nation from North Carolina pursuant to an invitation extended to the North Carolina Cherokees by the authorities of the Cherokee Nation under an Act of the National Council of the Cherokee Nation, approved December 3, 1880. The name of May D. Rucker is not found upon the list of the North Carolina Cherokees who so removed to the Cherokee Nation and she did not come with the main body who so removed but remained at school until January, 1883, when she joined the other North Carolina Cherokees in the Cherokee Nation, she at that time being a minor. The name of her father, James Taylor, is found on the list of North Carolina Cherokees. Upon an examination of the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation in the possession of this Com-

mission the name of May D. Rucker is found on the Cherokee Pay roll of 1886, on the Cherokee Census roll of 1890, on the Cherokee Pay roll of 1890, on the Cherokee Strip payment roll of 1894, and on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. The name of her husband, Frank M. Rucker, is found on the Cherokee Census roll of 1890, and on the Cherokee Census roll of 1896. Each of the children of May D. Rucker and her husband, Frank M. Rucker, are identified on the above mentioned rolls made during his or her lifetime. The child, John Marshal Rucker, is too young to be upon any roll and proper proof of his birth, on December 13, 1901, has been furnished this Commission.

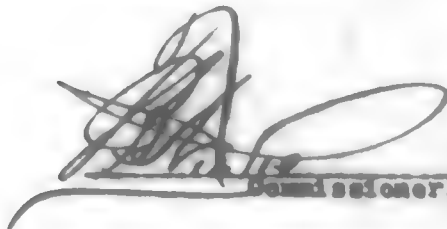
The evidence further shows that Frank M. Rucker and his wife, May D. Rucker, have resided in the Cherokee Nation since 1883 and have lived together since that time up to and including September 1, 1902. The residence of the children is considered to be that of their parents.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Frank M. Rucker should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage, and that May D. Rucker, Earnest L. Rucker, Mabel M. Rucker, Frank M. Rucker, Jr., and John Marshal Rucker, should be enrolled as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

THIS MAR-2-1903

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAVIS  
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THOMAS B. NEEDLES  
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SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 17, 1902.

Mr. Frank M. Rucker,

Claremore, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of **yourself, your wife and four minor children**

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the seventh day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Copy to  
Copy to Hutchings, West & partner,  
Muskogee, I.T.

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Commissioner in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Cherokee D-172

Waskages, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

V. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Waskages, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 3, 1903, granting the application of Frank M. Bucker for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, May D., and his four minor children, Earnest L., Nabel M., Frank M., Jr., and John Marshal Bucker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman.

Enc. H-1000

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Cherokee D-772.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 25, 1903.

Hutchings, West & Parker,

Attorneys for Frank M. Rucker, et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Frank M. Rucker for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, May D. Rucker, and his four minor children, Earnest L., Mabel M., Frank M. Jr., and John Marshal Rucker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

JAMES L. LIND

Chairman.

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Cherokee D-772.

Mahegoe, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Frank M. Becker,

Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your wife, May D. Becker, and your four minor children, Earnest L., Mabel M., Frank M., Jr., and John Marshall Becker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*James P. P. P.*

Chairman.

Enc. B-15.

Register.

Cherokee 10222

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Frank M. Bucher,

Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Commissioner.

Cherokee  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Frank M. Bucker,

Claremore, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10,  
1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen  
by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the  
Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

MM

Commissioner



Cherokee  
S et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

V. V. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Ada F. Barr

Trans. from D859

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Chelapa, I. T. November, 21st, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Ada F. Barr for the enrollment of herself as Cherokee citizen. She being sworn before the Commission testified as follows.

- Q What is your name? A. Ada F. Barr.
- Q How old are you? A. 28.
- Q What is your post office address? A. Ruby, I. T.
- Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.
- Q What degree of Cherokee blood do you claim? A. 1/8.
- Q Do you make application for the enrollment of anyone besides yourself? A. No sir.
- Q How long have you actually resided in the Cherokee Nation? A. 7 or 8 years.
- Q Have you been outside of the Cherokee Nation within the past three years for any purpose? A. Yes sir.
- Q How long? A. Two weeks.
- Q For the purpose of visiting? A. Yes sir.
- Q What is your father's name? A. James M. Ocker.
- Q Is your father still living? A. Yes sir.
- Q Is he a Cherokee? A. Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of your mother? A. Mary E.
- Q Is she living? A. Yes sir.
- Q Is she a Cherokee? A. No sir.
- Q Are you married? A. Yes sir.
- Q What is your husband's name? A. Tom.
- Q Is he living? A. Yes sir.
- Q How old is he? A. 19.
- Q Is he a Cherokee or white man? A. White.
- Q When were you married to him? A. October, 28th, last October.
- Q Were you or your father ever admitted to Cherokee citizenship by an act of the Cherokee National Council? A. Yes sir, my father was.
- Q Have you any evidence of that fact? A. Yes sir.
- The applicant presents ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ a certified copy of an act of the Cherokee Commission on citizenship signed by V. P. Boudinet, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, certifying that on the 24th day of September, 1891, Jas. M. Ocker was admitted to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. The original certificate was signed by Branch Young, president and by William Harnage Commissioner and J. B. Hayes Clerk of the Commission.
- Q Is your father the identical Jas. M. Ocker who is mentioned in this certificate of admission to citizenship? A. Yes sir.
- Q Where were you born? A. In the State of Arkansas.
- Q Did you reside there continuously until 7 or 8 years ago? A. Yes sir.
- Q Do you own property in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.
- Q How long have you owned it here? A. Not more than four years myself.
- Q Were you alive at the time your father was admitted to citizenship? A. No sir—yes sir I was too, I just forgot.
- Q Who is Lucy A. Hale whose name appears on this certificate? A. My father's sister.
- Q Give me the exact date of your removal to the Cherokee Nation.
- A It was in 1893.
- Q Did you draw strip money from the Cherokee Nation in 1894? A. Yes sir.
- Q How much money did you draw? A. Just the same that the others drew, don't remember just how much, have forgotten.
- Q How long had you been here before you drew strip money in 1894? A. We came here in April 1893, and my father drew the strip money in 1894.
- Q Your father drew your strip money for you did he? A. Yes sir, but I was here then.

BY CHEROKEE REPRESENTATIVE STAND-

- Q Have you lived here continuously since 1893? A. Yes sir.

Ada F. Bann 2.

Q Where did you live before that time? A. In Arkansas.  
Q Do you know the exact date that you came to the Cherokee Nation?  
A. Yes sir. A. No sir I have forgotten.  
Q You are sure that it was in 1885? A. Yes sir I am sure of that.

JAMES M. COKER called and sworn as a witness and testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A. James M. Coker.  
Q What is your age? A. 54.  
Q What is your present office address? A. Goodies Bluff.  
Q How long have you been an actual resident of the Cherokee Nation?  
A. Since 1885.  
Q Are you acquainted with the applicant here? A. Yes sir, she is my daughter.  
Q Where was she born? A. In Arkansas.  
Q When were you married to her mother? A. 30 years ago.  
Q Have you lived with her continuously since then? A. Yes sir.  
Q Are you living with her now? A. Yes sir.  
Q Have you any evidence of your marriage to her? A. When I was married the law of Arkansas didn't required a license.

BY MR. STARR.

Q You were married to her before you were admitted? A. Yes sir.  
Q Were you ever married again? A. No sir.

1886 roll, page 134, No 237, Ada Coker, Geewocobowee N. C.

BY MR. STARR.

Comes now the representative of the Cherokee Nation and protests against the enrollment of this applicant for the reason that it is shown in her own testimony that she has lived in the State of Arkansas from the time of her father's admission until 1885.

By the Commission:

The applicant applies for the enrollment of herself as a Cherokee by blood. She presents satisfactory evidence as to her father's admission to Cherokee citizenship on the 11th day of September, 1885. She states that she came to the Cherokee Nation in the year 1885. She also avers that she drew entry money in 1884. She has lived in the Cherokee Nation continuously since 1885. She is included in the census roll of 1885 as a native Cherokee. For the reason that the representatives of the Cherokee Nation have not yet voted upon the enrollment of the applicant for the reason that she did not come to the Cherokee Nation until 15 years after her father's admission to Cherokee citizenship, she will be placed on a doubtful card, and when the final judgment of the Commission is rendered she will be notified in writing.

Chas. van Voise being sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the proceedings in the above cause and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes therein.

*Chas van Voise*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th of November, 1904.



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Wife's name Ada Barr

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 6, 1903.

Supplemental testimony and proceedings, in the matter of the application of James M. Coker for the enrollment of himself, wife and children; in the matter of the application of Charles H. Reinhardt, (D-633) for the enrollment of himself and wife; Orate Coker, (D-638) for the enrollment of himself and child; and Ada F. Barr, (D-659) for the enrollment of herself, as Cherokee citizens.

Apparatuses:

E. B. Lawson, Nowata, I. T., attorney for applicants;  
W. V. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

By Commission: James M. Coker was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, appears by his attorney, E. B. Lawson, of Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation the case is taken up for final consideration this the 5th day of March, 1902.

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D-638.

The applicant, Orate Coker, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 5th day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter; and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by his attorney, E. B. Lawson, Nowata, Indian Territory, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

D-659.

The applicant, Ada F. Barr, was notified by registered letter February 15th, 1902, that her application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 1st day of March, 1902; receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant this day, to-wit: the 5th day of March, 1902, appears by her attorney, E. B. Lawson, and by agreement the case is taken up for final consideration.

By Mr. Lawson: In the third place I desire to call attention to the fact that in the application of Reinhardt and Barr, it seems that he stated that James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1891, and that in the case of Orate Coker and James M. Coker, the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in 1891. I desire to call attention to this fact to show the matter corrected, and to show that the en-

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admission of James M. Coker being date of September 1881.

Mary Elizabeth Coker, being first duly sworn, and being examined testified as follows:

By Mr. Lawson:

Q. State your name? A. My full name is Mary Elizabeth Coker.

Q. Where do you live? A. At the present time.

Q. Where are you? A. At Goody's Bluff, Cherokee Nation.

Q. Are you the wife of James M. Coker? A. Yes sir.

Q. When were you married to James M. Coker? A. In '71.

Q. Where were you married? A. Arkansas.

Q. What county? A. Marion County.

Q. You were married in Marion County in the State of Arkansas in

1871. A. Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: I desire to file the affidavit of the clerk of Marion County, stating that the marriage records of that county for 1870 and 1871 cannot be obtained, or a certificate cannot be shown of those marriage records, for the reason that the records were burned.

By Mr. Lawson: Document referred to was received by the Commission on the 8th day of December, 1900, and has been made part of the record in the case of James M. Coker, et al.

Q. Have you been living with James M. Coker as his wife ever since you married in 1871? A. Yes sir.

Q. Mrs. Coker, do you know when your husband came to the Cherokee Nation, that is, removed here? A. He moved here in 1893.

Q. Who came with him at that time? A. Why, there was a man come out with us by the name of Scott.

Q. Did your family come at that time? A. Yes sir.

Q. What the family? A. Mary Ann Coker, Gratton Coker, Ida May Coker, Ada Coker, Joseph Coker, Charles Coker and Ethel Coker and myself.

Q. Since 1893 where have you and all of the family just mentioned by you been living? A. We lived two years near Chelassa, then we moved to the place we are living on now, near Goody's Bluff.

Q. I will ask you if you and all the family that you have just mentioned have lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1893? A. We have lived here all the time since that.

Q. Now your children were born to you before you came to the Cherokee Nation, was that? A. Mary Ann Coker and Gratton Coker and Ida May Coker and Ada Coker and Joseph Coker and Ethel Coker.

Q. All born before you came here? A. Yes sir.

Q. How many of those daughters married? A. I have got two married now.

Q. What their names? A. Ada F. Barr, who is now, and Mary Ann Reinhardt.

Q. Is Mary Ann Reinhardt the wife of Charles H. Reinhardt? A. Yes sir.

Q. I will ask you Mrs. Coker if you know whether or not Mr. Coker and these children lost the Strip money in the year 1894? A. Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson:

Q. Were any of these children married prior to 1894? A. No sir.

Q. They were all single then? A. Yes sir.

By Mr. Lawson: They were denied the pay on in 1894, and the Cherokee Council met in November of the same year, and the bill was introduced appropriating the money.

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as the certificate, that was a mistake, and I will get that later on.

I believe that is all I care to introduce.

By Mr. Hastings: ( Waives cross-examination. )

By Mr. Lawson:

I have my briefs prepared, and I desire also to file a certified copy showing that this money was paid to these parties in 1894; and desire it to be made part of the records in all of these cases.

By Commission: The attorney for the applicant will be granted ten days in which to file a certified copy of the act referred to.

The attorney for the applicants filed in the case of the application of Orest Coker, a bachelor; also a brief in the case of Ada F. Burr; also a brief in the case of Charles Reinhardt; and in the case of James M. Coker.

By Commission of Mr. Lawson: Do you, in behalf of the various applicants mentioned herein submit the case to the Commission? A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you submit, Mr. Hastings? A. Yes sir.

By Commission: The attorney in behalf of the applicants and the attorney in behalf of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case; same is deemed completed, and will be reported to the Commission for final decision, based upon the evidence now on record in addition to the certified copy of the act of Council to be filed within ten days by the attorney for the applicants.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereon.

M. D. Green.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, deposes that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he made the above copy and that the same is a true and complete transcript of the original manuscript.

*[Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of April, 1901.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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| 63  | Ida Coker      | 13  |        |
| 64  | Ida Coker      | 12  |        |
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| 66  | Charles Coker  | 7   |        |
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Rochester Young, President Pro Tem

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| 3  | Daisy Shannon     | 17 | Edna Brown    |
| 4  | Larry Shannon     | 10 | David Brown   |
| 5  | Floyd Shannon     | 12 | John Brown    |
| 6  | Salie M. Barker   | 18 | Anna Brown    |
| 7  | Rebecca Weldon    | 21 | Ida Brown     |
| 8  | Belle West        | 20 | Anna Brown    |
| 9  | Hattie West       | 8  | John Brown    |
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G. W. Wiley, Clerk of Senate  
H. V. Bunge, President of Senate pro tem  
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G. J. Bunge, Prin. Clerk C.S.

Executive Office,

Charles Nelson, Tallahassee, F.T.

I, S.W. Alberty, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy from the records of laws of the Executive Office and is now in my legal custody.

Given under my hand and the seal of this office this March 10th 1885.  
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the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and the  
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Spec. J. D. Smith is hereby notified that the same is  
of the 14th day of April, 1902.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
Special Agent in Charge

*IN RE*

Application for Enrollment of  
INFANT CHILD

*James Wm Barr*

as a citizen of  
CHEROKEE NATION.

Approved

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*L. H. Brantley*  
Commissioner

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
 of James William Barr, born on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Feb.  
 (here insert name of child)  
 Name of Father: Thomas Barr, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
 Name of Mother: Ada F. Barr, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation  
 Post-office, Ruby, IT.

AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, Ada F. Barr, on oath state that I am 22  
 years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
 that I am the lawful wife of Thomas Barr, who is a citizen, by  
 adoption, of the Cherokee Nation, that a male child was  
 born to me on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1902; that said child has been  
 named James William Barr, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:  
 Must be two  
 Witnesses. { W. T. Forbess  
 W. H. Embury

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June 1902

Corn by Oct 18-1902 J. B. Johnson  
 NOTARY PUBLIC.

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
 INDIAN TERRITORY,  
 NORTHERN DISTRICT.

I, R. D. Allen, Physician, on oath state that I  
 attended on Mrs. Ada F. Barr, wife of Thomas Barr  
 on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Feb., 1902; that there was born to her on  
 said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
 named James William Barr.

WITNESSES TO MAKE:  
 (Must be two  
 Witnesses.) { W. P. Stuartwood  
 L. H. Shuck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of June 1902

Corn by Oct 18-1902 J. B. Johnson  
 NOTARY PUBLIC.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of James M. Coker et al. for  
enrollment as Cherokee citizens, consolidating the applications of:

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| James M. Coker et al.       | Cherokee D-622. |
| Grate Coker et al.          | Cherokee D-622. |
| Ada F. Barr                 | Cherokee D-622. |
| Charles M. Reinhardt et al. | Cherokee D-622. |

DECISION.

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The record in these several cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following named persons as Cherokee citizens:

On October 18, 1900, James M. Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary M. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Chelsea, Indian Territory, on November 21, 1900, and at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 7, 1902.

On October 18, 1900, Grate Coker appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Leta I. Coker, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, 1902. On March 6, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed with the Commission from which it appears that a second child, who has been named Floyd, was born to the said Grate Coker since the date of the original application.

On November 21, 1900, Ada F. Barr appeared before the Commission at Chelsea, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, 1902. On October 21, 1902, a birth affidavit was filed for James William Barr, a child of the applicant, born since the date of the original application.

On October 17, 1900, Charles M. Reinhardt appeared before the Commission at Nowata, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 5, and October 1, 1902.

The records of the Cherokee Nation in possession of the Commission show that the said James M. Coker was admitted to citizenship in said Nation by the duly constituted authorities thereof on March 17, 1902.

The evidence further shows that the said Mary E. Coker was married to said James M. Coker in 1871. The Cherokee Supreme Court, in the cases of Cherokee Nation vs. Nancy Rogers and Melissa Dawson vs. W. A. Dawson, held that a white woman, married to a Cherokee Indian at the time of his admission to citizenship, acquires thereby the rights of Cherokee citizenship. Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker are the children of said James M. Coker and his wife, Mary E. Coker, and they, together with their parents, are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker is the son of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that he was a minor at the time of his father's admission to citizenship. He is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said Grate Coker was lawfully married on November 12, 1897, to Maggie Mortimer, a white woman. The children, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker, are the issue of that marriage, and they are identified by birth affidavits, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Ada F. Barr is the child of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, and that she was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. She is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Her child, James William Barr, is identified by a birth affidavit, made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that Charles E. Reinhardt, a white man, was married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on February 14, 1889, to Kinney Lambert, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who is now deceased.

Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1906, (34 Stat., 498) provides for the enrollment of Cherokee citizens "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws".

Section 606 of the Compiled Laws of the Cherokee Nation (1902) is as follows:

"Should any man or woman, a citizen of the United States, or of any foreign country, become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by intermarriage, and be left a widow or widower by the decease of the Cherokee wife or husband, such surviving widow or widower shall continue to enjoy the rights of citizenship, unless he or she shall marry a white man or woman, or person, (as the case may be), having no rights of Cherokee citizenship by blood; in that case, all of his or her rights acquired under the provisions of this act shall cease."

It appears that Charles E. Reinhardt acquired citizenship by virtue of his marriage to his first wife, Kinney, and that, subsequent to her death, he married Mary Coker, a daughter of the said James M. and Mary E. Coker, who was a minor at the date of her father's admission to citizenship. The said Charles E. Reinhardt and Mary Reinhardt are identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896.

The evidence shows that the said James M. and Mary E. Coker and their children for whom application is made herein removed to the Cherokee Nation in 1888, and have continuously resided, and lived together in said Nation, since that time; that the said Charles E. Reinhardt lived with his first wife, Kinney Reinhardt, in the Cherokee Nation until her death; that he has continuously resided in said Nation since that time, and it is considered that the residence of the said Joseph, Charles, Ethel, Lucella I. and Floyd Coker has been, since their birth, that of their parents.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that James H. Baker, James Baker, Charles Baker, and Lewis I. Baker, and also the same Baker family name and family should be considered as one family and that the R. Baker and Charles Baker should be considered as one family of the Baker family, as mentioned in the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1874, (30 Stat., 400), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSIONER TO THE STATE CHIEF OF BUREAU

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Acting Chairman.

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Commissioner.

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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 10, 1902.

Mrs. Ada F. Barr,

Idah, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the 11 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

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Register.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Charles  
Baker & Son.

Mustang, Indian Territory, March 12, 1901.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Winita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901, granting the application of James H. Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Coker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary H. Coker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Groton Coker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Louella L. and Floyd Coker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada F. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles K. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the



COPY.

Cherokee Nation.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Ada F. Barr,

Ruby, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James Birby.  
Chairman.

Enc. H-33.

Register.

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Cherokee  
D-638, D-639,  
D-640 & D-641.

Mustogee, Indian Territory, March 26, 1908.

E. J. Lawson,

Attorney for James M. Goker, et al.,

Nowata, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908, granting the application of James M. Goker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Joseph, Charles and Ethel Goker, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary E. Goker, as a citizen by intermarriage; the application of Grate Goker for the enrollment of himself and his minor children, Lucille I. and Floyd Goker, as citizens by blood; the application of Ada W. Barr for the enrollment of herself and minor child, James William Barr, as citizens by blood; and the application of Charles H. Reinhardt for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of his wife, Mary Reinhardt, as a citizen by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*James E. Doby*

Enc. E-94.

Registrar.

Chairman.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
United States Indian Service  
Five Civilized Tribes  
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

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This is to certify that I am the officer having the custody of the records pertaining to the enrollment of the members of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Cherokee, Creek, and Seminole tribes of Indians, and the disposition of the lands of said tribes, and that the following papers, attached hereto, are true and correct copies of that portion of the enrollment record on file in this office in connection with the application of \_\_\_\_\_

James William Barr

Roll No. 29220, for enrollment as a Citizen of the Cherokee Nation, so far as same relates to the age of said citizen.

Census Card #10223, Doubtful Card #859, Birth Affidavit and a Copy of Approved Roll No. 29220.

VICTOR M. LOCKE, JR., Superintendent.

W. H. McGill, CLERK

IN CHARGE Cherokee RECORDS

DATE 2/24/23 1923

RESIDENCE Cherokee DISTRICT

POST OFFICE Reddy

# Cherokee Nation Cherokee Roll.

(Not including Deceased, Removed, or Freedmen.)

CARD NO.

FIELD NO.

| NAME   | AGE       | SEX      | BLOOD      | TRIBAL ENROLLMENT |                 |             | TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OF PARENTS |             |                      |                |                 |
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|  |           |          |            | No.               | District        | Year        | Name of Father               | Year        | District             | Name of Mother | Year            |
| <u>Eda F.</u>  | <u>21</u> | <u>F</u> | <u>1/2</u> | <u>997</u>        | <u>Cherokee</u> | <u>1900</u> | <u>Joe M. Baker</u>          | <u>1900</u> | <u>Mary E. Baker</u> | <u>1900</u>    | <u>Cherokee</u> |
| <u>Thomas Paul</u>   | <u>21</u> | <u>M</u> | <u>1/2</u> |                   |                 |             | <u>Thomas Paul</u>           |             | <u>Ma</u>            |                |                 |
| <p><u>We are 1896 Roll as Eda Baker</u><br/> <u>Not Birth affidavit approved October 31, 1902</u></p>                      |           |          |            |                   |                 |             |                              |             |                      |                |                 |
| <p><u>On Cherokee Card No.</u><br/> <u>4568 November 21, 1900;</u><br/> <u>On this card March</u><br/> <u>20, 1903</u></p> |           |          |            |                   |                 |             |                              |             |                      |                |                 |
| <p><u>Witnessed by E. J. ...</u></p>   |           |          |            |                   |                 |             |                              |             |                      |                |                 |

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Roll.

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Cherokee Roll, Indians By Blood.

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Henry C. Reed

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COMMISSIONER

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

IN MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HENRY CLAY REED, for an order of admission to the United States, and for a writ of habeas corpus, and for a writ of certiorari, C. N. No. 10,000, 1900.

Q. What is your full name? A. Henry Clay Reed.  
Q. Where were you born? A. Tarry, Mo.  
Q. What is your place of birth? A. Cataldo.  
Q. Where do you live in Coconino County District? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Did you want to enroll your wife and child? A. Yes sir. My family was enrolled.  
Q. Was your wife a white man? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Did they not apply for you? A. We were not living together.  
Q. Do you have a certificate of your marriage? A. Not present.  
Q. What is your wife's full name? A. Lizzie Reed.  
Q. When did you marry her? A. The 11th of May, 1893.  
Q. How old is she? A. Twenty-three I believe.  
Q. Has she ever married except to you? A. No sir.  
Q. Give me the name of her father? A. Scott.  
Q. Full name? A. John Scott.  
Q. Is he dead? A. No sir.  
Q. Give me the name of her mother? A. Jennie.  
Q. Is she dead? A. No sir.  
Q. Was your wife born in the Coconino Nation? A. Yes sir.  
Q. How long did you and your wife live together? A. Five years, lacking from April of being five years.  
Q. When you lived together until very lately? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Have you ever got a divorce from her? A. No sir.  
Q. Did she leave you, or did you leave her?  
A. I am on you would call it a leaving.  
Q. When did you leave? A. I went to work on Grand River.  
Q. Did you leave your wife? A. She was not living right.  
Q. You left your wife last April? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Did you leave the children with her? A. Yes sir.  
Q. Why did you leave the children with her if she was not living right? Do you think she is a fit woman to bring them up?  
A. Yes sir.  
Q. Did you ever apply for a divorce? A. No sir. I wanted to take them if I could.  
Q. You have never applied for the custody of the children?  
A. No sir.  
Q. You did not try to take them with you when? A. No sir.  
Q. Is that all you have to say? (No response)  
Q. Is she living on the place where you used to live?  
A. No sir, she is living in Tarry, Mo. District.  
Q. What was the name of the place? A. Tarry, Mo. District.  
Q. You have taken a general statement that you were not living right?  
A. She was not living right to get the children living as a family.  
If you want any other proof, I can prove it.

(1893 Roll, Page 222, also, Henry Reed, Coconino District)

The applicant claims to have married his wife, Lizzie Reed, in accordance with Coconino law, on May 11th, 1893. She has already been married, in Case No. 10,000.

Her application is filed with the roll of 1893. He does not produce a Coconino license and certificate at this time. He is required to produce the same.

It also appears from the testimony, and from that given by his wife, that they separated in the present year. The testimony is sufficient to show that the applicant is not living with his wife, and the application will

now be placed on a Doubtful Card, and the further evidence and  
the further consideration of the Commission of this case.

The Cherokee Representative, J. L. Baugh: The Commission is advised  
that the testimony of the applicant and his wife  
is correct, and under Article 467, Civilized Laws of the Cherokee  
Nation for 1892, that he is not entitled to enrollment.

The undersigned, being sworn, states that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the  
testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a  
true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1900.

COMMISSIONER.

32 Henry C. Reed Cata Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 District Gringlake Year 1902 Page 827  
 Citizen by blood No Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Intermarried citizen Yes  
 Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage May 12, 1902  
 License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife's name Onub  
 District Gringlake No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_  
 Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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# Marriage License.

CHEROKEE NATION.

TO ANY PERSON LEGALLY AUTHORIZED-GREETING.

You are hereby authorized to join in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony, and ceremonies of marriage between Mr H. J. Hunt of the United States, and Miss L. J. Smith of the Cherokee Nation, and you are required to return this License to me for record within three days of the celebration of such marriage, with a certificate of the said solemnization and signed by you.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 6 day of

July 1891

J. V. Smith

Clerk Wm. J. Smith District

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Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, L. T., March 11, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of HENRY C. REED  
as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 19, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902, and that on said date he might appear before the Commission either in person or by attorney when an opportunity would be given him to introduce any additional testimony affecting his application. Receipt has been acknowledged of Commission's letter.

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative: Comes now the representative of the Cherokee Nation and moves for a continuance of the above case until the 19th day of March, in order to give get a witness and prove that the said applicant, Henry C. Reed, abandoned his wife, and will state in this connection that they have had subpoenas issued for witnesses in this case but as yet have been unable to get them.

Commission: The request of the Cherokee Nation will be complied with, and case continued until the 19th day of March, 1902.

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I, J. O. Reeson, do hereby certify upon my official oath as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes that I correctly recorded the proceedings this day had in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Reeson*



Expt. - C.D.#361.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T. March 24, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the enrollment of  
HENRY C. REED as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation:

The applicant in this case was notified by Registered Letter February 19, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 11th day of March, 1902. On said date the applicant appeared by his Agent and by agreement the case was continued until the 19th day of March, 1902. On said date the case was again continued by agreement until the 24th day of March, 1902. The same being this day, to-wit: the 24th day of March, 1902, called, the applicant appears by his Agent, I. P. Bledsoe:

Mr. W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative, present.

HENRY CLAY REED, the applicant, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

MR. BLEDSOE:

- Q What is your name? A Henry Clay Reed.  
Q How old are you, Mr. Reed? A 34.  
Q Where do you live, Mr. Reed? A Up close to Catala.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you married, Mr. Reed? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife's name? A Lizzie.  
Q What was her name before you married her? A Scott.  
Q Was she a Cherokee citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any children by that marriage? A Three.  
Q What are their names, Mr. Reed? A John Riley, Sam and Annie Francis, the last one was sent down a few days ago.  
Q Are these children all living now? A Yes, sir.  
Q You and your wife and these children all living together?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
MR. HASTINGS:  
Q When did you commence living with your wife again?  
A In February, in last February a year ago.  
Q You weren't living together when this application was first made? A We was separated.  
Q But you have been living together since the last February was a year ago? A Yes, sir.  
Q Living together now? A Yes, sir.

- MR. BLEDSOE:  
Q The cause of this separation was simply a little family trouble?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q How long was your wife off from you? A About nine or ten months.

Commissioner: The agent for the applicant and representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case. The same is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, J. O. Rosson do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly received the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

J. O. Rosson

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and proceeded in this case, and that the stenographic  
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I. J. O. Board of hereby certify that the stenographic notes to the

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 22, 1903.

In the matter of the application of HENRY C. REED, for the  
enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the  
Cherokee Nation:

HENRY C. REED, being duly sworn and examined by the  
Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Henry C. Reed.  
Q How old are you? A Thirty four.  
Q What is your post office address? A Cathlee.  
Q Are you a white man? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you claiming the right to be enrolled as a Cherokee citizen  
by intermarriage? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your wife? A Lissie.  
Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has your wife Lissie been living in the Cherokee  
Nation? A All her life.  
Q When were you married to her? A In May, 1898.  
Q Were you married to her under a Cherokee marriage license?  
A Yes sir.  
Q At that time? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you file with this Commission a copy of your marriage license  
and certificate? A Yes sir.  
Q When? A In March.  
Q Last March? A Yes sir, I was here the 24th of March,  
and got a receipt from the Dawes Commission.  
Q You testified before the Commission last March? A Yes sir.  
Q And you filed your marriage license and certificate at that  
time? A Yes sir, and they were sent here.  
Q Now is Lissie Reed your first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you her first husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Neither of you ever married before? A No sir.  
Q Have you and your wife Lissie been living together ever since  
your marriage? A We were separated a while, about eight  
months.  
Q When was that? A Well, it's been two years ago. We  
have got a baby since.  
Q Have you been living together for the past two years?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You made it all up? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you living together now? A Yes sir.  
Q What was the trouble between you? A Family troubles and  
jealousies.  
Q Was she jealous? A I was.  
Q Have you made your home in the Cherokee Nation, you and your  
wife, ever since you were married? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children have you? A Three.  
Q How old is the youngest one? A Eight months.  
Q These three children are living, are they? A Yes sir.  
Q Has the youngest one been enrolled? A Yes sir.

Examined by J. C. Starr:

- Q Where are you living now? A Up in Coconawee, in  
Cathlee.  
Q Is your wife up there with you now? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has she been there? A We moved there last February.  
Q Has she been there with you ever since? A Yes sir.



- Q Where did you live before that? A Goingsville, Ark.  
Q How long have you separated?  
A Since that time.  
Q When did you last see each other?  
A I don't know the date, it's been about two years ago, more than two years ago.  
Q You were separated about two years ago for eight months, and then went to live together again? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived together continuously since that time?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Never been separated? A No sir.

E. C. Bagwell, on oath states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he has duly received the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this December 2, 1902.

*B. C. Jones*  
Notary Public.



Department of the Interior  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Vinita, Indian Territory, January 30th, 1903.

In the matter of the application of Henry  
C. Reed for the enrollment of himself as  
a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee  
Nation.

Supplemental to  
Cherokee D-861.

Appearances:

Applicant appears in person.  
Cherokee Nation by J. C. Starr.

Henry C. Reed, being duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission.

- Q. What is your name? A. Henry C. Reed.  
Q. How old are you? A. About 35.  
Q. What is your post office? A. Catale.  
Q. You are a white man? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You are claiming the right to be enrolled as a citizen  
by virtue of intermarriage? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. What is the name of the wife through whom you claim  
citizenship? A. Lizzie.  
Q. What was her name before you married her? A. Scott.  
Q. Is she a Cherokee? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When were you married to her? A. May 12th, '95.  
Q. Did you file your marriage license and certificate with  
the Commission? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. When? A. 24th of March, I believe it was.  
Q. When, last March? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Is Lizzie your first wife? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Are you her first husband? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Have you and your wife Lizzie lived together ever since  
you were married? A. All but a little while. We were parted  
a while.  
Q. When was that? A. I reckon it was '98.  
Q. You lived together from '95 to '98? A. Yes, sir.  
We were parted about 10 months.  
Q. What was the cause of the separation? A. Family trouble.  
Q. What is very likely but what was the trouble? A. Well,  
jealousness.  
Q. Were you jealous of her? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Was she jealous of you? A. I don't know whether she  
was or not.  
Q. Who did the leaving? A. I did.  
Q. That was in 1898? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You lived apart ten months? A. Yes, sir; about ten  
months.  
Q. When did you commence living together again, the fall of  
that year or the next year? A. In the spring, February.  
Q. Spring of 1899? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. Have it up again, did you? A. Yes, sir.  
Q. You didn't get a divorce in the meantime? A. No, sir.  
Q. Have you been living together since then? A. Yes, sir.

Q. There has been no more family trouble? A. Yes, sir.  
 Q. Were you living together on the first day of September? A. Yes, sir.  
 Q. How long has your wife been living in the Cherokee Nation?  
 A. All her life.  
 Q. How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation?  
 A. Why, 10 or 11 years.  
 Q. You have lived in the Cherokee Nation continuously since you married your wife Lissie in 1895? A. Yes, sir.  
 Q. Never had a home anywhere else? A. No, sir.

**Examination by Mr. Starr.**

Q. Was there any divorce suit brought in this case?  
 A. Not put through, there wasn't.  
 Q. Was a suit brought? A. Yes, sir.  
 Q. Who brought it? A. I did.  
 Q. What court? Was it in the United States court?  
 A. I think so.  
 Q. Was the suit afterwards dismissed? A. I dropped it.  
 Q. Withdrew it? A. Yes, sir.  
 Q. Who did? A. The lawyer, I reckon.  
 Q. That was after you made up your mind to go back to her?  
 A. Yes, sir.

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

Q. Did you tell your lawyer to dismiss it? A. Yes, sir.

James O. Carr on oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported the above described case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1903.

*James O. Carr*  
 Notary Public

Did you feel your husband so dissatisfied? V. Yes, sir.

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V. Yes, sir.  
Q. That was after you made up your mind to go back to her?  
Q. Who did? V. The Judge, I reckon.  
Q. Matthew did? V. Yes, sir.  
Q. Was the wife afterwards dissatisfied? V. I grabbed it.  
V. I think so.  
Q. What could? Was it in the United States court?  
Q. Who brought it? V. I did.  
Q. Was it sent through? V. Yes, sir.  
Q. Not sent through? Where was it?  
Q. Was there any divorce sent through in this case?

Examination of V. Yes, sir.

Q. Never had a home anywhere else? V. No, sir.  
Q. How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation continuously since  
V. About 10 or 11 years.  
Q. How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation?  
V. All her life.  
Q. How long has your wife been living in the Nation?  
September V. Yes, sir.  
Q. Well, your husband, Joseph, did not live in the Nation?

Cherokee D-861.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Henry Clay Reed as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in this case shows that on November 21, 1900, Henry Clay Reed appeared before the Commission at Chelsea, Indian Territory, and made application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 24, 1902, and again on October 22, 1902.

The evidence shows that Henry Clay Reed was lawfully married under authority of a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on May 12, 1895, to one Lizzie Scott, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The evidence further shows that about five years after his said marriage he and his wife separated, and about eight months thereafter they again resumed the marriage relation. It further appears that said Henry Clay Reed has lived with his said wife in the Cherokee Nation, with the exception of eight months hereinbefore shown, continuously from his marriage to her, up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Henry Clay Reed should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1906 (34 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903

# Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

## DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Hanson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulaie Ann Smith      | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 832 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 842 |
| Hugh Willis          | 230 | Sadie Fivekiller    | 857 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 245 | John E. Carden      | 861 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 867 |



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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Millie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 993  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1029 | Mary M. Burr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas E. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Lucy Eva Simmons     | 1073 | Florence Headrick   | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Daisy B. Brewer     | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Hair        | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Gent Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lillie M. Dassler   | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Bryant C. Redington | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Fannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1365 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenhunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2127 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2150 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2172 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1506 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 | Sarah Gritts        | 2256 |
| Odie Pidecock        | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Stas A. Saterfield   | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2302 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1549 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2320 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3296 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldridge        | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Huitt       | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadus       | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3793 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Eliza O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
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| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
| Alice A. Edwards      | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| Dorinda Adair         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William B. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3960 |
| Dora B. Caulk         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| James M. Gallman      | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3990 |
| Martha E. Garrett     | 3162 | Beth R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Artie E. Large        | 3164 | Wiley Hanna            | 4016 |
| Andrew A. Kelley      | 3191 | Martha M. Woods        | 4068 |
| Anna B. Ryno          | 3193 | Lizzie Gray            | 4117 |
| Eliac Henderson       | 3196 | Nancy C. Carey         | 4131 |
| David E. Jenkins      | 3212 | Annie E. Keeney        | 4165 |
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THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1890.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al. vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 26, 1906 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 19, 1907.

COMMISSIONER  
HENRY L. [unclear]  
TAMM BIRD  
THOMAS B. [unclear]  
C. R. [unclear]

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 10, 1902.

Mr. Henry C. Reed,

Catale, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of your name

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

the 11 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with your Cherokee marriage license and certificate.

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Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

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commitment' but any Representative will be required to testify before the committee regarding the intention to introduce legislation.

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Cherokee D-221

Hastings, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Henry Clay Reed for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Tams Bixby.  
Chairman.

Enc. L-221



Mustagee, Indian Territory, March 12, 1903.

I. P. Bledsoe,

Agent for Henry O. Reed,

Chouteau, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Henry O. Reed for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Wm. R. R.

Enc. N-12.

Register.

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Cherokee Nation

Waskogee, Indian Territory, March 22, 1903.

Henry C. Reed,

Catalis, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James P. Dixby,  
Chairman.

Enc. N-11.

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Cherokee 10224

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Henry C. Reed,

Catoe, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Henry C. Reed,  
Catale, Indian Territory.

Dear sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,  
Attorney for Cherokee Nation,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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DEEDFUL, as to Jesse Sanders:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES;  
TAHLEQUAH, I.T., DECEMBER 14th, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Elisabeth Sanders for the enrollment of herself and step-child, JESSE SANDERS, as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; said Sanders being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Elisabeth Sanders.  
Q What is your age? A 29.  
Q What is your post office address? A Westville.  
Q What district do you live in? A Going Snake.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By blood.  
Q Who do you want to enroll, anybody besides yourself? A I wanted to enroll my step son if I could.  
Q What is his name? A Jesse Sanders.  
Q Are you married? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A His name is Watt Sanders.  
Q Is he living? A No, sir.  
Q How old is Jesse Sanders? A 12 years old.  
Q What was his father's name? A Watt Sanders.  
Q What was his mother's name? A Mary Hubbard.  
Q Was she a white person or indian by blood? A White person.  
Q Was Watt Sanders an indian? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was your name before you married? A Foreman.  
Q How many times were you married? A No, sir, just once.  
Q What was your father's name? A Elias Foreman.  
Q Is he living? A Yes, sir.  
Q 1880 Roll; page 431, #674, Lizzie Foreman, Going Snake.  
Q Four years ago your name was Sanders was not it? A Yes, sir.  
Q 1886 Roll; page 788, #1920, Elisabeth Sanders, Going Snake.  
Q 1886 Roll; page 788, #1823, Jesse Sanders, Going Snake.  
Q 1880 Roll; page 471, #1520, Walter Sanders, Going Snake.  
Q By W. W. Hastings, Cherokee Representative: He (Watt Sanders) had been married three times? A Yes, sir.  
Q By Commissioner Needles: Have you any proof of marriage between Walter Sanders and Mary Sanders? A No, sir.  
Q By W. W. Hastings: Did he ever marry? A No, sir.  
Q She never lived with him? A No, sir.  
Q Never recognized her as his wife? A I do not know, I think they lived together a while.

LIZZIE SANDERS Being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Lizzie Sanders.  
Q What is your age? A 30 years old.  
Q What is your post office? A Haystackville.  
Q Do you know Mary Sanders, the mother of Jesse Sanders? A Yes, sir, I know her.  
Q Is she your sister? A She is my half sister.  
Q Do you know whether her and Walter Sanders were ever married or not? A No, sir.  
Q Never were married? A No, sir.  
Q Did they live together as man and wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q For how long? A I could not be for certain how long, four or five years.  
Q Was she a white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was she ever married before? A No, sir.  
Q Was she ever married since? A Yes, sir.

Elizabeth Sanders:--2.

Q Who did she marry? A A fellow by the name of Alex Sans.  
Q Is she living now? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was Jesse Sanders born while they were living together? A Afterwards.  
Q Did Walter Sanders acknowledge him as his child? A Yes, sir, he lived with him up to his death.  
Q By W. W. Hastings: Now, how long had he been living with her until Watt died? A Since 1898.

Com'r Needles:--The name of Elizabeth Sanders appears upon the authenticated roll of 1880 by her maiden name, Elizabeth Foreman, and on the census roll of 1896 as Elizabeth Sanders, she having since married one Watt Sanders, now deceased. She is duly identified according to the page and number of the rolls as a Cherokee citizen by blood and makes satisfactory proof as to her residence, and she will be duly listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by blood.

She applies for the enrollment of Jesse Sanders, whom she avers is the child of her husband, Walter Sanders, by one Mary Hubbard. The testimony shows that the said Walter Sanders, who was a Cherokee by blood, was never married to Mary Hubbard, who was a white woman, the mother of Jesse Sanders. Other facts as to the marriage, set forth in the testimony, consequently the application for the enrollment of said Jesse Sanders as a Cherokee citizen by blood, will be suspended and his name will be placed upon a doubtful card, awaiting any further evidence that may be presented as to the marriage of said Mary Hubbard and Walter Sanders.

J. O. Roosen, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he accurately recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of December, 1900.

*M. H. H.*

Commissioner.



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Child's name Paula

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Ground to have him born out of wedlock  
Further evidence of common law,  
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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes  
Muskogee, I. T., March, 13, 1903.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of  
Klisa Sanders for the enrollment of her step-son, Jesse Sanders, as a  
citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 22,  
1903, that her application for the enrollment of her step-son,  
Jesse Sanders, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, was being taken  
up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in  
Muskogee, I. T., on the 13th day of March, 1903, and that on said  
day she might appear before the Commission, either in person or by  
attorney, when an opportunity would be given her to introduce any  
additional testimony affecting her application. The applicant  
having this day, to-wit: the 13th day of March, 1903, failed to  
appear and failing to respond, it is deemed that her case is completed and  
she will be reported to the Commission for final decision based  
upon the evidence now of record.

I, Wm. Hutchinson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, I correctly recorded the  
proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and com-  
plete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Wm. Hutchinson

Dr. D-972.

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Tahlequah, I. T., October 27, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application for the enrollment of JESSE SANDERS as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

ELIZABETH SANDERS, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Elizabeth Sanders.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty.  
Q What is your post office address? A Ventville.  
Q Are you a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you been listed for enrollment as such? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you the Elizabeth Sanders who appeared before the Commission December 14, 1900, and made application for the enrollment of your stepchild, Jesse Sanders? A Yes sir.  
Q Is Jesse Sanders living? A Yes sir.  
Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir. His mother was a white woman.  
Q What is the name of Jesse Sanders' mother? A I don't know what her name had been. She was a Hubbard, Mary Hubbard, might be Mary Sanders.  
Q Is Mary Hubbard living? A No sir.  
Q How long has she been dead? A I don't know how long she has been dead, about five or six years, though, I guess.  
Q What is the name of the father of Jesse Sanders? A Watt Sanders.  
Q Is he living? A No sir.  
Q How long has he been dead? A It will be two years in November.  
Q Were Mary Hubbard and Watt Sanders married? A No sir, I don't think they were.  
Q Do you know whether they lived together as husband and wife or not?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long? A Could not tell you that. They lived together a good while, I know. He brought her home, and kept her at his home.  
Q Have you heard about how long they lived together, whether it was a short time, or a considerable length of time? A No sir, but her sister is here, she might know.  
Q Mary Hubbard's sister? A Yes sir. I don't know exactly how long it was. Never did ask him how long they lived together.  
Q Which died first, Watt Sanders or Mary Hubbard? A Mary Hubbard died first.  
Q About how old is this child, Jesse Sanders? A Will be fourteen years old next June, I think. No, he is fourteen years old now.  
Q Did Watt Sanders recognize this child, Jesse Sanders, as his child?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Did Watt Sanders live with his father? A Yes sir, he brought her home and kept her until his death. He is still there.  
Q Did Mary Hubbard and Watt Sanders live together until the time of his death? A Yes sir.  
Q They separated? A Yes sir.  
Q After they separated, who kept this child? A She kept him until she gave him to me.  
Q Until she died? A Yes sir. She gave him to Watt Sanders before she died.  
Q You married Watt Sanders after Mary Hubbard died? A No sir.  
Q Before she died? A Yes sir.  
Q Watt Sanders always recognized that child as his, did he? A Yes.  
Q How long had Watt Sanders resided in the Cherokee Nation? A He lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time, I guess.



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Q Born and raised in the Cherokee Nation and lived here all his life?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Did you know of him being out of the Cherokee Nation at all?  
A No sir.  
Q How long did your husband reside in the Cherokee Nation?  
A Until he died, but I don't know what year they came to the United States.  
Q Where did you live here in the Cherokee Nation?  
A In the town of Cherokee.  
Q Did you ever live with him in the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes.  
Q How long did you live with him?  
A Until he died.  
Q How long did you live with him?  
A He died in 1904.  
Q How long did it last since you and him were married?  
A We were married in 1884.  
Q How long has ten years since you married him? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you and he live together continuously until the time of his death? A Yes sir.  
Q Is this child, Jesse Sanders, in your custody now? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has he been in your family? A Ever since born.  
Q Has he continued to reside with you in the Cherokee Nation since that time? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you been outside the Cherokee Nation for any purpose within the last five years? A No sir.  
Q Were you born and raised in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Resided here all your life? A Yes sir.

PLACARD, GEORGE, being first duly sworn, and deposed, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Elizabeth J. Sanders.  
Q How old are you? A About thirty-three.  
Q What is your post office address? A Westville.  
Q You are a white woman, are you? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you have any husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Is she related to you? A She was my half sister.  
Q She is dead? A Yes sir.  
Q Were she and Wat Sanders married? A No sir.  
Q Did they live together as husband and wife? A Yes sir.  
Q How long? A I don't know for certain how long they lived together.  
Q Was it a short time or a considerable length of time?  
A It was about five or six months, I reckon, may be not hardly so long.  
Q Then they separated? A Yes sir.  
Q How many children did they have? A Only one.  
Q They were never lawfully married? A No sir.  
Q She lived at his house, did she? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they recognized in the community as husband and wife?  
A Yes sir, she was living right with him.  
Q They were separated when this child Jesse was born? A Yes sir, they were separated then.  
Q How long after they were separated, do you know? A About two or three months, I reckon. They had been separated long.  
Q Is this child, Jesse Sanders, recognized as May Hubbard's child by Wat Sanders? A Yes sir.  
Q Has he always recognized it as his child? A Yes sir, he did.  
Q The child is living with him? A Yes sir.  
Q Did May Hubbard always contend that that was Wat Sanders' child?  
A Yes sir, she did.  
Q Has she ever married before she lived with Wat Sanders? A No sir.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Jesse Sanders as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

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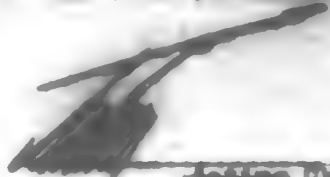
The record herein shows that on December 14, 1900, Elizabeth Sanders appeared before the Commission at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of her step-child, Jesse Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on October 27, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Jesse Sanders is the minor child of Mary Hubbard, a white woman, and Walter Sanders, a Cherokee who is identified on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880, and the said Jesse Sanders is therefore the descendant of said Walter Sanders, born since the preparation of that roll. Jesse Sanders is identified on the Strip payment roll of 1894 and the Cherokee Census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that said Jesse Sanders has lived in the Cherokee Nation all his life, and that he resided therein with his father up until the death of said Walter Sanders in 1900.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Jesse Sanders should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
Commissioner.

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this WAR-2 1903

IN RE  
THE DEATH OF  
*John Sanders*  
A CHIEF OF THE  
*Cherokee* Nation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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*J. S. Wright,*  
Commissioner.

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*Sanders*

Department of the Interior,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the death of Jesse Sanders <sup>Case (10225)</sup>  
(Here insert name of deceased) Roll 29221  
a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, who formerly resided at or near  
Proctor Ind. Ter., and died on the 8 day of  
February, 1908  
(Here insert name of post office)

AFFIDAVIT OF RELATIVE

I, Jennie Sanders, on oath state that I am 18  
years of age and a citizen, by U.S. States Nation;  
that my postoffice address is Proctor Ind. Ter.; that I am  
wife of Jesse Sanders  
(State relationship: as the father; an uncle; a cousin, etc.) (Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
and that said Jesse Sanders died on the 8 day of  
February, 1908.  
WITNESSES TO MARK: Jennie Sanders,  
Edward L. Fink  
(Sign in Two)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1908

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT OF ACQUAINTANCE

I, \_\_\_\_\_, on oath state that I am  
years of age, and a citizen by \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
that my postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_, Ind. Ter.;  
(Here insert name of postoffice)  
that I was personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)  
who was a citizen, by \_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_ Nation;  
and that said \_\_\_\_\_ died on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Here insert name of deceased)

WITNESSES TO MARK:

(Sign in Two)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1908

Notary Public.



COMMISSIONERS,  
HARRY L. DAVIS,  
TAMM DIXIE,  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,  
C. R. BRIDGEMAN.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 26, 1902.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sanders,  
Westville, Indian Territory,

Madam:-

You are hereby notified that the application of **Jesse Sanders**

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 13 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Cherokee B-972  
Regd. Off.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH W. HARRIS  
Acting Commissioner  
Commissioner in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
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*[Handwritten signature]*

Cherokee D. Day

Muskogee, Ind. Ter., June 7, 1902.

Elizabeth Sanders,

Westville, Ind. Ter.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for the enrollment of Jesse Sanders as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are advised that it is necessary, for the proper consideration of this case, if you submit to this Commission additional testimony showing the place of birth and residence of the said Jesse Sanders.

This testimony must be furnished on or before the 23 day of June, 1902.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register.

Cherokee D 972.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 11, 1902.

John O. Rossen,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

On December 14, 1900, Elizabeth Sanders appeared before the Commission and made application for the enrollment of her step-child, Jesse Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Said Jesse Sanders had been listed for enrollment on Cherokee roll part, field No. D 972, and is the child of Watt Sanders, a Cherokee, and Mary Sanders, a squaw.

Applicant stated that her postoffice address was Westville, Indian Territory, but letters addressed to her at that place have

been returned to the Commission undelivered. You are desired to procure, if possible, evidence as to the residence of Elizabeth Sanders on June 25, 1902, and prior thereto.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

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Cherokee D-072

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Elizabeth Sanders for the enrollment of her step-child, Jesse Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to file with the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James Dixey,  
Chairman.

Enc. D-522



Cherokee D-578

Waskagee, Indian Territory, March 23, 1903.

Elizabeth Sanders,

Westville, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your step-child, Jesse Sanders, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

T. W. L. L. L.  
Chairman.

Enc. H-21.

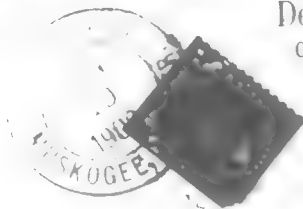
Department of the Interior.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

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*Elizabeth W. ...*

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John A. Timberlake

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
MUSKOGEE, I.T., JANUARY 11th, 1901.

In the matter of the application of John A. Timberlake for the enrollment of himself, wife and child as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; said Timberlake being sworn and examined by Commissioner Breckinridge, testified as follows:

Q Give me your full name? A John A. Timberlake.  
Q How old are you? A I am 41 years old.  
Q What is your post-office? A Muskogee.  
Q In what district do you live? A Canadian, I am living here in Muskogee now.  
Q Canadian is what you claim as your home? A Yes, sir.  
Q Who is it you want to have enrolled, just yourself or a family?  
A Family.  
Q Have you a wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q How many children have you? A One.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is your wife, white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you claimed that as your home all your life? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you lived there all your life except wince you have been living here in Muskogee? A No, sir. I lived out of the country about 14 years.  
Q Where have you lived? A Out in the West, in the Panhandle of Texas, Wyoming and Colorado.  
Q What were you doing out there? A Running cattle? A I come here in 1894.  
Q Were you a single man all that time? A Yes, sir.  
Q You did not make your home anywhere while you were outside?  
A No, sir.  
Q Did you vote out there? A No, sir.  
Q You did not exercise the right of citizenship in any of those countries? A No, sir, I claimed my citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. I would have voted in Texas once if they would let me.  
Q Why would you have voted? A I just took a notion I wanted to vote.  
Q How long did you stay down there in Texas? A I was there two years.  
Q Were you in the cattle business or farming down there? A I worked on the railroad section.  
Q Did you not have a family living any of that time? A Yes, sir, I came here in 1894 and married and came back.  
Q And then went down in Texas and was doing railroad work?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q You married here in 1894, and your wife was in Texas and you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where did you keep house down there? A I kept house in the town of Fort Worth.  
Q How long did you live there? A I lived there about two years.  
Q Did you not live there long?  
A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you take any of your home property down there?  
A No, sir.  
Q Have any to take? A No, sir.  
Q Did you come back to Muskogee in 1894?  
A Yes, sir.  
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A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you come back to Muskogee in 1894?  
A Yes, sir.

John A. Timberlake--2.

Q Have you got your family here with you? A Yes, sir.  
Q Keeping house here? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you vote over here? A No; I expect to vote next Spring if I am living.  
Q On the Creek Nation? A Yes, sir, in the City election.  
Q Do you expect to vote here and vote over in Canadian district too? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do both? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do they allow you to vote where ever you please? A I do not know. The Canadian district is the only place I ever did vote.  
Q And you tried to vote in Texas and you expect to vote here? A (No response.)  
Q Are you keeping house here? A Yes, sir. They let these other Cherokees vote here in the City election, I guess they will let me.  
Q What interests have you in Canadian district? A Nothing only what every other Cherokee by blood has.  
Q That is you claim as a citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q No claim no interests over there? A No, sir, I had a little place; I sold it a while back.  
Q How long did you own that? A About a year.  
Q Is that the only improved property you ever had there? A Yes, sir, except what belonged to us children. XXXX  
Q What property did you have an interest XXXX in there as a member of your family? A Just a little place.  
Q The old home place? A No, I was born right out here at Boose Neck Bend, on what is known as the Nicholson place.  
Q You had an interest in that as one of the heirs of your father? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you family part with that? A About 23 years ago, I guess, I was just a little fellow at the time.  
Q And then you were not interested in any other property until you acquired this property that you sold a few months ago? A No, sir.  
Q Give me the name of your wife? A Laura.  
Q How old is she? A 25 years old, I think now.  
Q Give me the name of your father? A Richard.  
Q Is he dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q Give me the name of your mother? A Kate, she was a Cheak.  
Q Is she dead? A Yes, sir.  
Q When did you marry your wife? A '94, June 7th.  
Q Were you ever married except to her? A No, sir.  
Q Was she ever married except to you? A No, sir.  
Q Has she lived with you ever since you and she were married? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you a certificate of your marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q Your wife has a "B" in her name? A Yes, sir.  
Q She was a Box when you married her? A Yes, sir.  
Q Cert:--The applicant presents a certificate of marriage that he and his wife were united in marriage on June 7th, 1894, by the Rev. William P. Pitkin. This is filed herewith.  
Q Give me the name of your child? A Florence E.  
Q How old is that child? A She will be six years old the 1st of May.  
Q Did your wife put down any more B's? A Yes, sir.  
Q B's, page 51, 52, 53, John Timberlake, Canadian.  
1893 B's, page 74, 75, 76, John Timberlake, Canadian.  
1896 B's, page 98, 99, 100, John Timberlake, Canadian.  
1898 B's, page 73, 74, 75, Florence Timberlake, Canadian.  
Q This child is living now is she? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where was this child born? A She was born in Texas.



John A. Timberlake--3.

Com'r Beechambridge:--The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself, his wife and one child. He states that he is a native of the Cherokee and has lived in the Cherokee all his life, except for 14 years prior to 1894, when, as a single man, he was employed about cattle in different sections of the country outside of the Indian Territory. He married in 1894 and within the same year went to the State of Texas where he took his wife and engaged in railroad work and remained there for about two years, when he returned to the Cherokee Nation in 1896, and lived there until February of the past year when he moved with his family to Muskogee, in the Creek Nation, where he has since lived, and is engaged in business. He will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood on a doubtful card for the further consideration of the matter of his residence and citizenship as set forth in the testimony. His wife is shown to have married him in 1894. Neither was previously married. She is a white woman. They have lived together ever since their marriage and she will now be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by adoption, on a doubtful card to await the decision of the rights of her husband. The child, Florence Timberlake, is duly identified on the roll of 1896. She is living and will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood on a doubtful card to await the decision relating to the rights of her father.

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J. G. Rosson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*J. G. Rosson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1901.

*A. H. H. H.*

Commissioner.

Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

## CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

Name John A. Timberlake Date JAN 11 1901 1900.  
District Canadian Year 1880 Page 51 No. 1394

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's name Laura B. Timberlake

District Canadian Year 1896 Page 95 No. 325

Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen yes

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

### Names of Children:

Florence A. Timberlake Dist. Canadian Year 1896 Page 74 No. 2068 Age 6

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" 3 " 1896 " Florence

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 15, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of John A. Timberlake for the enrollment of himself, wife and child as Cherokee citizens.

Appearances:

Applicant present in person;  
W.V. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 27th, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as wife and child as Cherokee citizens would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, Indian Territory on the 15th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter and the applicant this day to-wit: the 15th day of March, 1902, appears in person.

JOHN A. TIMBERLAKE, being first duly sworn and being examined testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A J.A. Timberlake.  
Q How old are you? A 42 now.  
Q What is your post-office address? A Muskogee.  
Q You have heretofore applied for yourself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Is there any statement you desire to make relative to your application and that of your wife and child? A No.  
Q Do you submit the case to the Commission for final decision? A Yes sir.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant and the representative of the Cherokee Nation present submit the case and same is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, W.B. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*W.B. Green*



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In the matter of the application of John A. Timberlake for the citizenship of himself and wife, Laura B. Timberlake, as citizens by blood, and for the citizenship of the same by blood and by marriage, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation; he being born and examined by the Commission, is detailed as follows:

- Q What is your name? A John A. Timberlake.
- Q What is your postoffice address? A Muskogee.
- Q What is your age? A Forty-two.
- Q Are you an applicant for enrollment as a citizen by blood in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.
- Q What is your wife's name? A Laura B.; she is a white woman.
- Q Is she an applicant for enrollment as an intermarried citizen? A Yes sir.
- Q When were you married to your wife, Laura B.? A In June 7, 1895.
- Q Have you filed your marriage license and certificate? A Yes sir, the Dancer Commission has that.
- Q Were you ever married before you married this woman? A No sir.
- Q Was she ever married before you married this woman? A No sir.
- Q Was she ever married before her marriage to you? A No sir.
- Q Have you and she lived together ever since your marriage up until the present time? A Yes sir.
- Q Never separated? A No sir.
- Q Living together on the first day of September, 1902, as husband and wife? A Yes sir, all the time.
- Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A I was born in the Cherokee Nation.
- Q Lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time until you came to Muskogee? A Not all the time. When I was a young fellow I went to Texas and ran cattle.
- Q When did you go to Texas? A In '80.
- Q When did you come back to the Cherokee Nation? A I came back in February, '95. I was gone about fifteen years.
- Q You never were readmitted after you came back were you? A No sir, I didn't make any application on that matter. I talked with Judge Jumper, he said you are not looked on as one that forfeited your rights.
- Q Have you lived in the Indian Territory since '95 up until the present time? A All except one year I went to Texas and then came back.
- Q Did you take your wife with you when you went to Texas? A Yes sir, we lived there.
- Q When did you go to Texas the last time? A In the winter of '96.
- Q How long were you gone? A Came back in the time of '96, at the time they burned the Cherokee Roll.
- Q Were you in Muskogee in the Indian Territory since '96 you came back? A Yes sir.
- Q Where was this child born? A In Texas.
- Q And she came back with you in '95 and was with you? A Yes.
- Q Has she been here all the time since? A Yes sir.
- Q Is your child now in the Indian Territory? A Yes sir.
- Q When you left home and went away to Texas, did you go to Texas for the purpose of making land your own? A Not exactly, no. I couldn't say I did. I went to work.
- Q What kind of work were you doing? A I was doing mining work on the Railroad, and I was doing some other work.
- Q All the time you were in Texas that last trip you worked on a mine? A Yes sir.



Q-John A. Timberlake et al.

Q You and your wife both, and child? A Yes sir. I was born in the same place close to where I was born at the same time and I moved to town.

Q And you move to town? A Close to three years since I moved to town.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly reported the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. P. Heuberg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1902.

*B. J. Jones*  
Notary Public.

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-----CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE-----

This is to certify that I have this day joined in Holy Matrimony, John A. Timberlake of Canadian District, Cherokee Nation, and Miss Laura B. Box of Canadian District, Cherokee Nation, according to the laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Witnesses:

Wm. P. Pipkin, M.C.

Geo. W. Williams  
W. B. Dykes.

Dated June 7, 1894.

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I, the undersigned, a stenographer of the Commission to The Five Civilized Tribes, do hereby certify on my official oath that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an original copy on file in the Office of the Commission.

Mabel T. Maxwell

Cherokee D-1030.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of John A. Timberlake for enrollment of himself and his daughter, Florence M. Timberlake, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for enrollment of his wife, Laura B. Timberlake, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on January 11, 1901, John A. Timberlake appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made personal application for enrollment of himself and his daughter, Florence M. Timberlake, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and for enrollment of his wife, Laura B. Timberlake, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 15, and October 28, 1902.

The evidence shows that the applicant, John A. Timberlake, is a Cherokee by blood; that he is identified on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation and on the 1896 census roll; that on June 7, 1894, he was lawfully joined in marriage with Laura B. Box; that his wife, Laura B., and his daughter, Florence M. Timberlake, are also identified on the 1896 census roll.

The evidence further shows that John A. Timberlake has lived in the Cherokee Nation continuously since 1896, and that his said wife, Laura B. Timberlake, has lived with him in said nation since that time. The minor child, Florence M. Timberlake, has resided continuously since birth with her said parents.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the applicant, John A. Timberlake, and his daughter, Florence M. Timberlake, should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and that Laura B. Timberlake should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 25, 1896 (30 stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
JOHN A. TIMBERLAKE.

Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1902.

## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henson         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Origsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 66  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 633 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Jenette Manner      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Ulie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Sarah M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Brumer    | 833 |
| Gertrude Palene      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 843 |
| Hugh Willis          | 239 | Sadie Fivekiller    | 867 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 285 | William H. Burrow   | 967 |



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 Bettie Mitchell 985  
 John J. Harrison 993  
 Jasper N. Bateman 1029  
 Susan Ballard 1065  
 Lucy Eva Simmons 1073  
 Ellen Thornton 1089  
 Sarah E. Hair 1090  
 Norman S. Drake 1092  
 Susan Hogg 1094  
 David L. Scott 1099  
 James C. Taylor 1111  
 Roxie Shepard 1128  
 Robert G. Elgin 1136  
 William Hall 1137  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1141  
 Maggie J. Keys 1149  
 Joseph M. Correll 1177  
 Jane Ratley 1225  
 George E. Norton 1234  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1247  
 Charles M. Trammel 1264  
 Flora Carlile 1265  
 William H. Norrid 1275  
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 Rosa E. Fargo 1299  
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 Lena Sittingdown 1511  
 Tim Creeden 1513  
 Odie Pideock 1517  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1520  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1530  
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 Andrew Walters 1573  
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 Mary M. Burr 1612  
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 Daisy B. Brewer 1709  
 Annie Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gent Gibson 1727  
 Amos Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Willis E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarborough 1798  
 Lillie M. Dassler 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
 Malisa A. Maxwell 1808  
 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Genevieve Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Benge 1828  
 John H. Welty 1847  
 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2049  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
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 Rebecca J. Flying 2172  
 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
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 Tennie Horn D 2992  
 Eveline Hall D 2993  
 John E. Leftwich D 2995  
 Mattie Henson D 2994  
 John D. Colvard D 2995  
 Charles W. Phillips D 2999  
 Sarah Shanks D 3000  
 Nettie Young D 3000  
 Jerry P. Ables D 3045  
 Almedie Ross D 3063  
 John S. J. Fowler D 3065  
 Leann Hood D 3066  
 James D. Jackson D 3067  
 Emma G. Nelson D 3068  
 Alice Simco D 3069  
 George O. Wallace D 3080  
 Fannie Clay D 3076  
 Ellen Drew D 3079

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| Lue Fish           | D | 3081 | Della Baldrige    | R | 105 |
| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 107 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Malissa Fields    | R | 144 |
| Lelia C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Ella Anspach      | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Mizer  | R | 286 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 362 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D | 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Phariss     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 445 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 603 |
| Grace Outhrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 613 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 635 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rebecca McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 26, 1898 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

11th January 10, 1907.

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DISCLOSE TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED NATIONS  
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MEMBERS,  
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THOMAS L. ...  
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ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

February 27,

1907.

FOR ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Mr. John A. Timberlake,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

yourself, your wife and

You are hereby notified that the application of  
~~one minor child~~

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 15 day of March, 1908.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Com. No. 1030  
Reg. 1030

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge

COPY.

Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of John A. Timberlake for the enrollment of himself and his daughter, Florence E. Timberlake, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of his wife, Laura E. Timberlake, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

Chairman

Enc. 1-21



Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 2, 1903.

John A. Timberlake,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself and your minor child, Florence B. Timberlake, as citizens by blood, and for the enrollment of your wife, Laura B. Timberlake, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

James Dickson.

Commissioner.

Enc. N-13.

Register.

Cherokee 10000

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Laura B. Timberlake, Indian

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_  
B.

Commissioner.

Cherokee  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 24, 1907.

Laura R. Timberlake,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner

Cherokee  
9 et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Enc. C-100

Cher 10227

Rufus B. Cobb

Trans. from D1031



DOUBTFUL, as to Applicant:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
MUSKOGEE, I.T., JANUARY 11th, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Rufus B. Cobb for the enrollment of himself, wife and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; said Cobb being sworn and examined by Commissioner Brookbridge, testified as follows:

- Q Give me your full name? A Bent Cobb is the way I sign my name; R. B. is my full name.
- Q What is the R. for? A Rufus.
- Q How old are you? A I am 51.
- Q What is your post office? A Muskogee.
- Q In what district in the Cherokee Nation do you live? A I live in Muskogee now, temporarily, my home is in Canadian.
- Q You claim Canadian as your home? A I claim Cooveescoowee now. I have lived in Canadian for 20 years.
- Q If you were going to vote in the Cherokee Nation in what district would you vote? A Canadian.
- Q You want to enroll yourself and family? A Yes, sir.
- Q Have you a wife? A Yes, sir.
- Q How many children have you? A Seven.
- Q Are these children all under 21 years of age and unmarried? A Yes, sir.
- Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.
- Q And your wife, is she a white woman? A Cherokee by blood.
- Q Are you a native of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir; I was born in Georgia, came here in '56.
- Q You have lived here ever since 1856? A Yes, sir, except when I was single in time of the War.
- Q You are on the 1880 roll I guess? A Yes, sir, I guess so.
- Q Have you lived continuously in the Cherokee Nation ever since 1880 except while you were living here? A Yes, sir.
- Q How long have you lived in Muskogee? A I have been off about two years in the Chickasaw Nation. I have been here about 12 years.
- Q What business are you engaged in here? A I have been working at the jail, working as a guard.
- Q You have been making this your home for the past ten years? A Yes, sir.
- Q Have you been an officer during the whole of the ten years? A Yes, sir, I have been a policeman all the time up until last year.
- Q How much of this time have you been in the United States service? A All of it except about a year, since this new Agent came in, I have been let off the force.
- Q For some nine years out of the ten you have been in the United States service? A Yes, sir.
- Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since 1856 with the exception of the time you were out during the War and living at Muskogee? A I have been working in outside the Nation and in the Creek Nation all the time I was single I never made my home anywhere.
- Q When were you married? A 1860.
- Q Have you been making your home in the Cherokee Nation ever since 1860 with the exception of those 12 years? A Yes, sir.
- Q And you have been in the service of the United States Government with the exception of the past year? A Yes, sir.
- Q And now you are a guard at the jail? A Yes, sir.
- Q And that is still in the United States service? A Yes, sir.
- Q Have you had property in the Cherokee Nation all the time? A Yes, sir.

Rufus B. Cobb--2.

Q Have you voted all the time in the Cherokee Nation? A All the time except this last election.

Q Why, not because you had lost your right in the Cherokee Nation?

A No, sir, it was because I was sore on the way they were doing and did not take any stock in it.

Q Have you had a farm in the Cherokee Nation all the time during these past 12 years? A Yes, sir.

Q Have you voted here in the Creek Nation? A Only in Town officers.

Q For any other position? A No, sir.

Q Give me the full name of your wife? A Mary E. Cobb.

Q How old is she? A She is something like, she don't know her age, she is somewhere between 39 and 40.

Q Have you got a certificate of your marriage? A Yes, sir.

Q Let me see it? A I have not got it with me, it is at home.

Q Was she ever married except to you? A No, sir.

Q Were you ever married except to her? A No, sir.

Q Give me the name of her father? A Her father was John Kell.

Q Is he dead? A Yes, sir, supposed to be.

Q Give me the name of her mother? A I do not know her mother.

Q She is dead as far as you know? A Yes, sir, she died during the past three or four years.

Q Your wife's maiden name was Kell? A Yes, sir.

Q Now, the children, you have a memorandum of them here? A Yes, sir.

Q The oldest one is Simpson C.? A Yes, sir.

Q Your child, Simpson, is about 17 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Then Susie K., she is 15? A Yes, sir.

Q Bennie Cobb, no middle name? A No, sir.

Q That is Bennie or abbreviation for Benjamin? A Yes, sir.

Q Benjamin is 13 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Edith M., she is 11 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q And Grover C., his 9 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Ula K., she is six years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Mary? A Yes, sir.

Q She is one year old? A No, sir, two years old.

Q Mr. Cobb, give me the name of your father? A Jack Cobb.

Q Is he dead? A Yes, sir, died in '61.

Q Give me the name of your mother? A Susan Cobb.

Q Is she dead? A Yes, sir.

Applicant:--I would not be positive whether I am on the 1880 roll of not, I might have been away at that time.

Q Did you have a brother named Howell? A Yes, sir.

Q Is he dead now? A No, sir, he is in the penitentiary.

Q Was he your full brother? A Yes, sir, so far as I know.

Q Have you any reason to doubt his being your full brother? A No, sir.

1880 Roll; page 11, Jack, Howell Cobb, Canadian.

Q Were your people admitted to citizenship by the Cherokee Commission in 1886? A I could not tell you, I was a little fellow and could not tell you anything about it.

Q Mr. Cobb, did your father and mother both die in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.

Q When were you and your wife married? A We was married in 1880.

Q Was, before 1880 where did you make your home principally at that time? A I run cattle most of the time in Texas, working on the trail.

Q Did you not dwell there? A No, sir.

Q Did not exercise the right of citizenship, was it? A No.

Rufus B. Cobb--3.

I was not in one place long enough to vote anywhere.

Q You were just working for wages? A Yes, sir.

Q Did you have any property interests back here at that time? A No, sir, not at that time.

1880 Roll; page 28, #770, Mary Kell, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #394, Bent Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #395, Mary E. Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #396, Simpson Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #397, Susan Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #398, Benjamin Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #399, Edith Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #400, Grover C. Cobb, Canadian.

1896 Roll; page 14, #401, Eulier Cobb, Canadian.

Com'r Breckinridge:--The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself, his wife and seven children: He states that he has lived in the Cherokee Nation since 1856 having come from the State of Georgia, except that down to 1880 he was to a large extent absent from the Nation looking after cattle and in similar employment being at that time a single man, and that he did not exercise the right of citizenship during that period outside of the Cherokee Nation. He is not identified on the roll of 1880, but a brother of his is identified on that roll. The applicant not stating very definitely the action of his not being upon that roll. He states that he was married in 1880 and has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since, except during the past 12 years when he has lived in the Town of Muskogee, in the Creek Nation. During some 11 years of which time he has, however, been in the employment of the United States Government and is in that employment now as a guard at the United States Jail. He claims that during this period of residence in Muskogee he has had property interests in the Cherokee Nation and has continued to vote in the Cherokee Nation and has not voted in the Creek Nation except Municipal elections in the town of Muskogee. For the further consideration of the omission of the applicant's name from the roll of 1880 and of any effect that there may be upon his citizenship of voting at all in the Creek Nation, he will now be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood on a doubtful card and the final decision of the Commission will be made known to him at his post office address. In the absence of further explanation of his omission from the roll of 1880, he is desired if practicable to supply the Commission with an official copy of the record of the Cherokee council admitting his father and mother to Cherokee citizenship.

As for the applicant's wife; she is identified on the rolls of 1880 and 1896 as a native Cherokee. Her residence in the Cherokee Nation has been continuous since 1880 with the exception of her residence with her husband under the conditions stated in Muskogee. This is not considered to have impaired in any way her rights to Cherokee citizenship under the conditions stated and she will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood.

Of the children named in the testimony the first six are duly identified on the roll of 1896. They are all minors and are living now and they will be listed for enrollment as Cherokees by blood. When a certificate of birth is supplied for the youngest child, Mary E. Cobb, this child also will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee by blood.

The Applicant is desired to supply the Commission with a copy of his certificate of marriage as further evidence in the change of name of his wife, which is deemed desirable but not essential, as she is duly identified with her children on the roll of 1896.

Rufus B. Cobb

J. O. Reason, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*J. O. Reason*  
January,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of ~~January~~ 1901.

*C. H. Merriam*  
Commissioner.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE INTERIOR  
FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF THE INTERIOR  
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Enclosed and sworn is before me this 17th day of January 1901.

Witness my hand.



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Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.

1 Name Rufus B. Cobb Date January 11 1897

District Canadian Year 1896 Page 14 No. 394

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law Date of marriage

License Certificate

Wife's name

District Year Page No.

Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law Date of marriage

License Certificate

Names of Children:

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On 1896 roll as Bent Cobb

Evidence as to admission of father and mother to be supplied

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., January 12, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Rufus B. Cobb.

Supplementary testimony.

Witness, Walter S. Agner, being sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Walter S. Agner.  
Q What is your age? A 58.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Muskogee.

W. V. Hastings examines the witness introduced by the applicant-

- Q Where do you live? A My home is in Canadian district, Cherokee Nation.  
Q How long have you lived there? A I lived in Canadian thirty years, I reckon.  
Q You know Rufus B. Cobb? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known him? A I didn't know him by name. I have known him for twenty odd years, nearly thirty.  
Q How far have you lived from him during that time. He lived with me a part of the time, and we lived right here together all the time.  
Q You know what his citizenship is? A Yes sir.  
Q What is it? A Cherokee.  
Q Has there ever been any dispute about his citizenship? A No sir.  
Q What relation, if any, id he to Howell Cobb? A A brother.  
Q You know whether he is a full brother or not? A I don't know, there are two families of children. There are some sister's children. I think Ben and Howell were full brothers.  
Q They had the same father? A Yes sir, they were sister's children.  
Q If they were sister's children; one was a Cherokee, the other would be also? A Yes sir.  
Q The one has as much Cherokee blood as the other? A Yes sir, they are the same; they are sister's children.

Commissioner-

- Q What was his mother- a Cherokee? A Yes sir; I think my wife's the oldest sister, and only a half sister to him.  
Q A half sister to Ben Howell? A Yes sir. Their parents died in '50 or '60. They were turned loose as orphan children. They were raised by Bennett's. When I married his sister, he stayed some with me. His name fails to show up on the roll of 1880, and I just wanted to state this: Along in the spring of 1880, like some other men, he concluded to go west, and got on his ~~stage~~ own pony and struck out to Texas, and we heard of him during the summer at Henrietta. He would write back to us. In the following fall, he came back and married. He was gone about that space of time; that was the year the roll of 1880 was made. I knew he was not on the roll of 1880 all the time. I told my wife I knew he left that time.  
Q You say his father and mother died in '50 or '60? A Yes sir.  
Q Where? A Fort Gibson.  
Q Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Was his father a white man or Cherokee? A White man.  
Q His mother was a Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q What degree of blood was she? A She was about one-sixteenth; might have been more, not less than a sixteenth.

By W.V. Hastings-

- Q There wasn't any dispute about her citizenship? A No sir, never.

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Commissioner-

Q His brother was placed on the roll of 1880? A I expect the most of them; all of them except him.  
Q His brothers and sisters were on the roll of 1880? A Yes sir.  
Q The reason he wasn't on the roll, was because he was absent in Texas when he was a boy? A Yes sir.

Witness, Henry C. Lowry, being sworn and examined by Commissioner T. B. Needles, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Henry C. Lowry.  
Q What is your age? A 52.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Muskogee.  
Q You a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A All my life.  
Q You know the applicant, Rufus B. Cobb, here? A Yes sir.  
Q How long have you known him? A I couldn't state exactly, about thirty years.  
Q You know his father and mother? A No sir.  
Q You know whether he's a Cherokee citizen by blood? A He is considered a Cherokee citizen, and always has been.  
Q You know why his name was not on the roll of 1880? A No sir, unless he was out on a Railroad. He was out on a Railroad a good deal at that time.  
Q You know his brother? A Yes sir.  
Q Were they always recognized as Cherokees? A Yes sir.

R. C. Rothenberger, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported in full the supplementary testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes in said case.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1901.

*R. C. Rothenberger*  
Commissioner

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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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TO THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
FROM THE COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
JAN 16 1901



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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 16, 1903.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS, in the matter of the application of Rufus B. Cobb for the enrollment of himself as a Cherokee citizen.

Appearances:

Applicant in person;  
W. V. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

BY COMMISSION: The applicant was notified by registered letter February 27th, 1903, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee Indian Territory, on the 15th day of March, 1903. Applicant this day, to-wit: the 15th day of March, 1903, appears in person and submits his case to the Commission for final consideration. The representative of the Cherokee Nation likewise submits the case. Same is now deemed completed, and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, M. D. Green, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic notes thereof.

*M. D. Green*

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., June 17, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Rufus B. Cobb for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation; he being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q Your name is Rufus B. Cobb? A Yes sir.  
Q Your postoffice address is Muskogee? A Yes sir.  
Q Mr. Cobb, how often have you drawn money here in the Cherokee Nation? A I have drawn money every payment that was made. By the regular payments I drew only twice.  
Q Did you draw the strip money at the regular payment in 1894? A Yes sir, and I drew the grass money; I drew it at Webb's Falls; and the other money was appropriated to me by the council; I was in Texas then; I believe it was \$45.00.  
The 1894 pay roll of the Cherokee Nation examined and the name of Bent Cobb appears thereon in Canadian District, page 19, No. 437.  
Q Did you draw the money in 1890 at the regular payment? A Yes sir, \$13.56 I believe it was.  
Applicant is also identified on the Cherokee roll of 1890 on page 205, in Canadian District, as Bent Cobb.  
Q Have you ever made your home outside of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, before I was married I was in Texas a good deal.  
Q When were you married? A I was married in 1880.  
Q Where have you been living since that time? A Been living here in Muskogee since that time, been in the employment of the Government.  
Q Have you always exercised the right of suffrage in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, always voted, etc.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. L. Pothungers*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1902.

*W. R. Martin*  
Notary Public.

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In the matter of the application of [redacted] for [redacted]  
as a [redacted] by [redacted] [redacted]

#### SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

Upon a further examination of the pay rolls [redacted]  
it appears that the applicant is identified [redacted]  
as follows:

1885 roll, Canadian District, #221, [redacted]

1886 roll, Canadian District, #348, [redacted]

It is ordered that copies of this statement [redacted]  
of the record herein.

C. H. [redacted]

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Rufus B. Cobb for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

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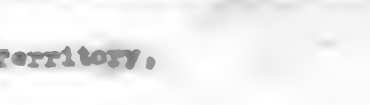
The record in this case shows that on January 11, 1901, Rufus B. Cobb appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made personal application for the enrollment, among others, of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on January 12, 1901, June 17, 1902 and October 24, 1902. The other parties to the application have been differently classified, and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that the applicant derives his Cherokee blood through his mother, Susan Cobb; who was a native Cherokee; and that he is identified as such on the 1896 Cherokee census roll, and his brother, Hornell Cobb, is identified as a Cherokee by blood on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation. The applicant is further identified on the following Cherokee pay rolls: on the 1883 roll, as Benjamin Cobb and on the 1886, 1890 and 1894 rolls as Bent Cobb.

The evidence further shows that Rufus B. Cobb has resided continuously in the Indian Territory since 1880, and was a resident therein on the date of this application.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Rufus B. Cobb should be enrolled as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1896, (30 Stat., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.  
  
Commissioner.  
  
Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this WAR-2 1903



COMMISSIONERS.  
HENRY L. DAVIS.  
TAMM BIRNEY  
THOMAS B. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BOWENBAUGH.  
ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH.  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27, 1902.

Mr. Rufus B. Cobb,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 15 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Yours truly,

Charles B. Cobb,

Register.

John A. Johnson.

Commissioner in Charge.



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In reply,

Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 6, 1908.

James B. Cobb, Esq.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are advised that it is necessary, for the proper consideration of your case, that you submit to this Commission additional testimony, to-wit: an official copy of the record of the Cherokee Council, admitting your father and mother to Cherokee citizenship; and also a certified copy of marriage to your wife.

This testimony must be furnished on or before July 1st, 1908.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Register.

In reply refer to

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 6, 1908.

J. T. Parks, Esq.,

Secretary of the Cherokee Nation,

Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

Sir:

In the matter of the application of Rufus E. Cobb of Muskogee, Indian Territory, for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, you are advised that it is necessary, for the proper consideration of his case, that he submit to this Commission additional testimony, to-wit: an official copy of the record of the Cherokee Council, admitting his father and mother to Cherokee citizenship; and also a certified copy of his certificate of marriage to his wife, Mary E. Cobb, nee Kell.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

COPY.

Cherokee B-1031

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Rufus B. Cobb for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. Dab  
Chairman.

Enc. B-1031

Washington, Indian Territory, March 2, 1901

Reuben B. Cobb,

Washington, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1901,  
granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen  
by blood of the Cherokee nation.

Respectfully,

James S. Smith  
Chairman.

Enc. H-11.

Very truly,  
Yours,



Cher 10226

George A. Brown

Trans. from D1062

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

*Henry C. Brown*

FOR ENROLLMENT AS

CHEROKEE CITIZENS.

*H. C. Brown*

( Original testimony Aug 23 1900

Application Aug 23 1900

Marriage license certificate

Decree of divorce

Receipt of testimony

Notice of finding of fact Aug 23 1900

Copy of the above

to the

Register of the Cherokee Nation

Order for transfer from

Book R 90 on Card R 90 of 1890

See elsewhere Serial No 1841



Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Fort Gibson, I.T., August 23, 1900.

In the matter of the application of George Alexander Brown for the enrollment of himself as a Cherokee by intermarriage, and his wife and children as Cherokees by blood; being sworn and examined by Commissioner Breckenridge, he testified as follows:

- Q What is your full name? A George Alexander Brown.  
Q What is your age? A I reckon I am about 51.  
Q What is your post office? A Braggs.  
Q What is your district? A Illinois.  
Q Who is it you want to have put on the roll? A Myself and family.  
Q How many children? A Seven.  
Q Do you apply for yourself as a Cherokee by blood? A No, sir, I am an adopted citizen.  
Q Your wife is a Cherokee by blood, is she? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you your marriage license? A Yes, sir, I believe that is it.

(The applicant presents a duly authenticated marriage license under date of September 5, 1883, issued by the Clerk of Canadian district, authorizing his marriage to Miss Quinn Beatty, a Cherokee. The certificate shows that they were united in marriage accordingly under said license by R. C. Parks. It is not stated whether Mr. Parks was a clergyman or a civil official. The Cherokee representatives here present state that they know him as a minister of the Gospel. It has been duly recorded and is filed herewith.)

- Q So you were married in 1883 to Miss Quinn Beatty? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since you were married in 1883? A Yes, sir.  
Q And you and your wife have lived together, have you, all the time?  
A No, sir, we were separated about three years.  
Q How long ago? A About 11 years ago I think.  
Q Did you get a divorce? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you remarry? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you got a license of that marriage? A No, sir, I didn't have any license to marry the second time.  
Q Is it 11 years since you were remarried? A I think it is, I can't exactly tell you.  
Q Have you a certificate of your remarriage? A No, sir, I haven't, there is the divorce.

Q Who brought the suit for divorce? A I brought the suit.  
(The applicant presents a certificate of divorce, stating that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between himself and wife as named are hereby declared to be null and void by decree of Circuit Court of the Canadian district at the regular April Term, 1887, April 23; signed J. M. Lynch, Judge of the Southern Circuit Court of the Cherokee Nation, attested John Smith, Clerk of the Canadian district, under the seal of his office. This will be filed with his application.)

- Q This shows that you were divorced some thirteen years ago, in 1887? A Well, that is right.  
Q And perhaps you began living together some eleven years ago?  
A Eleven years ago I think that was.  
Q What proof have you now of your remarriage? A There isn't but one witness I don't think, Pickens.  
Q You applied for the divorce? A Yes, sir, I applied for the divorce.  
Q On what grounds did you apply for the divorce? A Desertion; she quit me and went home and I concluded we had just better have a divorce.  
Q She left your house? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you good to her? A Oh yes, she has got no complaint, I don't think.  
Q The divorce isn't granted to you; it is just granted without being granted to either one? A Yes, sir.  
Q And you never got out a license to marry? A No, sir.

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Q Who here knows that you lived together as husband and wife since that time? A Probably there is a dozen men here.

Joe Irving, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Breckenridge, testified as follows:

Q What is your full name? A Joe Irving.

Q What is your age? A 38.

Q What is your post office? A Braggs.

Q Do you know this applicant here, George A. Brown? A Yes, sir.

Q Do you know his wife? A Yes, sir.

Q What is her name? A Quinn Beatty.

Q That was her maiden name? A Yes, sir.

Q They are shown to have been married in 1883; have they been divorced since that time? A That is what I have been told.

Q Did they remarry after they were divorced? A Yes, sir.

Q About how long ago since they remarried? A I don't know, I couldn't tell, it has been a good many years ago, I can't recollect dates.

Q Since they remarried, do you know they lived together as husband and wife? A Yes, sir.

Q And do they live together as husband and wife from the time of their first marriage until the time of their divorce? A Yes, sir.

George Alexander Brown, recalled, testified:

Q What is the name of your father? A Joseph B. Brown.

Q Is he a white man? A White man.

Q Dead or alive? A He is dead.

Q What is the name of your mother? A Aceneth Brown.

Q Is she a white woman? A Yes, sir.

Q Dead or alive? A She is dead.

Q What is the age of your wife? A I think she is about 40 or 41 perhaps.

Q Has she lived in the Cherokee Nation all her life? A I reckon so.

Q Is she on the roll of 1880? A I guess she is.

Q In what district was she living when you married her first?

A Canadian.

Q You think she is on the roll from Canadian district? A Yes, sir.

Q If she is on the roll of 1880, you think it is from Illinois, do you? A I do.

Q What is the name of her father? A William Beatty.

Q Is he a white man or a Cherokee? A He is a Cherokee I suppose; they said he was.

Q Is he dead or alive? A He is dead.

Q How long has he been dead? A Ever since the war.

Q Her mother, what is her name? A Maline Beatty.

Q Is she a Cherokee or a white woman? A She is a Cherokee, said to be.

Q Is she dead or alive? A She is living.

Q Give me the names of your children, please? A I have the names all printed off here.

Q Is William J. Brown, 18 years old, the first one? A Yes, sir.

Q Benjamin and Cartie, twins, ten years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Mandy B. Brown, 8 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q Mamie, 6 years old? A Yes, sir.

Q What is the next one to Mamie? A Thomas J., 4 years old.

Q Then Robert Louis, 3 years old? A That is right.

Q These twins were born after you and your wife had that separation?

A Yes, sir.

Q And all the younger children were born since then? A Yes, sir.

All but William.

(On 1880 roll, page 3, No. 114, Quintalla Beatty, Canadian district.

George Alexander Brown on 1880 roll, page 323, No. 9, Illinois

district, George A. Brown. Quinn Brown on 1880 roll, page 327, No.

77, Illinois district. William J. Brown on 1880 roll, page 327, No.

78, Illinois district. Ben Brown on 1880

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78, Illinois district. Ben Brown on 1896 roll, page 837, No. 79, Illinois district. Gertie Brown on 1896 roll, page 837, No. 80, Gertie Brown, Illinois district. Armandy D. Brown on 1896 roll, page 837, No. 81, Mandy D. Brown, Illinois district. Manahie Brown on 1896 roll, page 837, No. 82, Illinois district. Thomas J. Brown on 1896 roll, page 837, No. 83, Thomas Brown, Illinois district.)

The applicant is shown by the accompanying marriage license and certificate to have been married to his wife under Cherokee law September 9, 1885. He states that he and his wife procured a divorce since that time, a copy of the decree of which is filed herewith. They were divorced in 1887 and he states and establishes by personal testimony that after a limited period, say two or three years, he and his wife resumed living together. He did not, however, procure a new license under Cherokee law or under any other law under which to consummate the remarriage. The applicant is identified on the roll of 1896, he has undoubtedly continued to be the husband of his wife as he states, but whether it is under conditions which entitle him to enrollment as a Cherokee citizen is a question that requires further inquiry. Therefore, the application for the enrollment of himself will at present be placed upon a doubtful card for further consideration by the full Commission. The final decision of the Commission will be communicated to him at his post office, and that decision, with all the evidence in the case, will be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his approval, which when received, will be final in the case.

Now as for the application of his wife, she is duly identified on the rolls of 1880 and 1896 as a native Cherokee. Of the children enumerated, the first six are identified on the roll of 1896. She and these six children as enumerated in the testimony will now be enrolled as Cherokees by blood. The youngest child, Robert Louis, is too young to be upon any roll of the Cherokee Nation. When the Commission is supplied with a duly authenticated certificate of this child's birth, then it also will be enrolled as a Cherokee by blood.

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Bruce C. Jones, being duly sworn, says that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the proceedings and testimony in the above case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes, thereof.

*Bruce C. Jones*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 32nd day of August, 1900.

*W. H. ...*  
Commissioner.



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COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN.

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Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

# CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION

AUG 28 1890

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Name George A. Brown, Bragg's Dr.  
District NO 18  
Citizen by blood no Mother's citizenship US  
Intermarried citizen yes Parents Jos. A. Brown - dead  
Married under what law 1883  
License Certificate

Wife's name  
District Year Page No.  
Citizen by blood Mother's citizenship  
Intermarried citizen  
Married under what law Date of marriage  
License Certificate

Names of Children:


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 ACTING CHAIRMAN

Cherokee Nation  
Canadian Dist. 3

To any legally au-  
thorized person:

Greeting;—You are hereby  
authorized to solemnize the  
rites of matrimony between  
Geo. A. Brown a white man  
and a citizen of U.S. and Miss  
Susan Beatty a Cherokee lady  
The said Geo. A. Brown having  
fully complied with the re-  
quirements of law regulating  
intermarriage between white  
men and Cherokee women. The  
oath has been administered as  
the law directs.

Given from under my hand  
and seal of office on this the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1883.

H. J. Brown Clerk.  
Canadian Dist.

This is to certify that Mr. George A.  
Brown and Miss Quintilla Basty were united  
by me in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony. in  
the year of our Lord, Eight<sup>ty</sup> hundred and  
eighty three, September the ninth.

A. C. Burke

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*[Signature]*

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## Certificate of Divorce

This is to certify that the Bonds  
of Matrimony heretofore existing  
between George A. Brown and  
Lucretilla Brown is hereby de-  
clared to be null and void  
by decree of Circuit Court  
of Canadian District at the  
Regular April Term 1887.

This 25<sup>th</sup> day of April 1887

Attest  
John Smith  
Clerk Canadian Dist.  
C.H.

L. M. Lynch Judge  
Southern Circuit Court  
Chas. H. Notary

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY L. DAWES.  
TAMM SIXBY.  
THOMAS S. NEEDLES.  
C. R. BRICKNIDDE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ALLISON L. AYLESWORTH,  
SECRETARY

Visita 21 Oct 1901

Received of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes one  
copy of the testimony in the matter of the application of  
George A. Brown for enrollment as  
citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

No. 2162

J. P. Scanlon  
Agent for applicants.

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskegee, I. T., March 13, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

Appearances:

J. R. Sequichie, agent for the applicant.

W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant and his agent were notified by registered letter February 27, 1902, that the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskegee, I. T., on the 15th day of March, 1902. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant and his agent, J. R. Sequichie, this day, to-wit: the 13th day of March, appear and request that the case be taken up for final consideration. By agreement with the representative of the Cherokee Nation present the case is taken up.

Applicant recalled by the representative of the Cherokee Nation for re-cross examination.

GEORGE A. BROWN, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY MR. HASTINGS: Where are you living now? A. Near Braggs, about five miles from Braggs.

Q. Where is your wife? A. At home.

Q. Living with you? A. Yes sir.

Q. Living with you now? A. Yes sir.

Q. And has ever since August 25, 1900, when you applied before?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Are you living there with your family? A. Yes sir.

Q. Were you ever married before you married this woman?

A. No sir.

Q. Was she? A. No sir, I think not.

Q. You have no reason to believe she was?

A. I have no reason to believe she ever was married before.

Q. Had any children? A. No sir. She had none.

Q. She went by her maiden name? A. Yes sir.

BY COMMISSIONER: You have been living together continuously since

A. Since the last time. We were separated and then married again.

Q. You are living together now? A. Yes sir.

W. S. ARROW, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A. W. S. Arrow.

Q. How old are you? A. Fifty-nine.

Q. What is your post office? A. Muskegee.

Q. Do you know the applicant, George Alexander Brown, in this case?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Do you know his wife? A. Quin, yes.

Q. How long have you known them? A. About thirty years, I reckon. I have known Quin from a child.



Q. During the time of their marriage, do you know whether they lived together continuously or not?

A. Since they first married? No, they separated a couple of years ago.

Q. Do you know about what year that was?

A. Along about 1880, I would not say positively, about that time. In the early eighties.

Q. Do you know the circumstances of the separation, whether she left him, or whether he left her? A. He left her.

A. I was living-- I was informed, though, that she just got up and left him.

Q. Did the applicant make any effort to reconcile the separation?

A. I think he did. I think he went to the extreme. I always thought he did.

Q. What else did his wife do, particularly after their separation, make any effort or demonstration, did she make an effort to go back to him?

A. No, I don't know of her making an effort. I just merely heard they were about to get together again, and her old mother ran her back up in the Falsquah District.

Q. Did she send for all her clothes?

A. All her household goods, sent her brother-in-law.

Q. Got all the goods? A. That is my understanding.

Q. He went to a good deal of trouble to get her back to live with him? A. I thought so.

Q. Did they live together again? A. Yes sir, they were afterwards married.

Q. Do you know who applied for the divorce?

A. No, I could not say as to that. I forget all about the divorce.

Q. How far did you live from them when this first separation took place? A. About 5 miles, I reckon.

Q. How long have you known her, before the marriage?

A. Say fifteen years, anyway.

Q. Do you know whether they are living together now or not?

A. I have heard nothing to the contrary. I heard they were living over there on his farm. I don't know that they have ever been separated since.

MR. HASTINGS: The point in this case is that the decree of divorce does not specify as to who the decree was issued to. Special attention is called to the testimony of the present witness which entitles the claimant to admission under section 656 of the laws of 1892, Cherokee Nation. But the decree of divorce filed in this case does not show to whom it was granted. The testimony of the applicant shows that he and his wife separated about 1880, and the divorce was granted upon the application of the applicant in this case.

The agent of the applicant and the attorney for the Cherokee Nation submit the case, same is deemed completed and will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, Wm. Hutchinson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, I correctly recorded the proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Wm. Hutchinson

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., September 27, 1902.

In the matter of the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation; he being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name, Mr. Brown? A George A. Brown.
- Q What is your age at this time? A About fifty-three.
- Q What is your postoffice? A Braggs.
- Q Are you the same George A. Brown that made application to this Commission on August 23, 1900, for enrollment as an intermarried citizen? A I guess I am.
- Q What is your wife's name? A Her name was Queen Beatty.
- Q Is she a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir. I guess she is; she has never been disputed.
- Q When were you married to her? A In '83.
- Q Were you married under a Cherokee license? A Yes sir.
- Q You have already filed that with the Commission, have you? A Yes sir.
- Q Were you ever married prior to your marriage to this wife? A No sir.
- Q Was she ever married prior to her marriage to you? A No sir.
- Q Have you and she lived together continuously as husband and wife since 1883 up until the present time? A No sir, we separated three years and were divorced and remarried. nearly
- Q You say you have been separated? A Yes sir, three years.
- Q When were you separated? A We had been living together something like two years and she quit me and went home to her folks.
- Q That was some where about '86 when you separated, was it? A Yes sir.
- Q How long were you separated? A Something near three years.
- Q Were you divorced during that period of separation? A Yes sir.
- Q Who obtained the divorce? A I did.
- Q Upon what ground were you divorced? A Willful desertion.
- Q Are you sure she left you? A Yes sir.
- Q Did she have any reason for leaving? A Only she just wanted to go home with her folks, wanted to stay with them.
- Q Now you say that after your separation you were married again? A Yes sir.
- Q To this same woman? A Yes sir.
- Q Were you married a second time under a Cherokee license? A No sir, just as two Cherokees we tried. We never got no license. We got the license at one time.
- Q Have you filed your certificate of marriage, of this last marriage? A Yes sir, I proved it to the Commission and have been living with the same woman as man and wife ever since. I proved it by witnesses.
- Q Since this last marriage to her have you lived with her continuously as her husband? A Yes sir.
- Q You had never been separated anymore, just that one time? A No sir.
- Q How long have you lived in the Cherokee Nation? A Something near thirty-three years.
- Q For the last thirty-three years continuously? A Yes sir.
- Q Never made your home outside of the Cherokee Nation in that thirty-three years? A No sir.
- Q How long has your wife resided in the Cherokee Nation? A She was born and raised here I reckon. I don't know.
- Q Has she lived here for the last thirty-three years? A She has lived here ever since the war, ever since they came back from the south.

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Q During the time you separated from your wife you didn't marry any other woman? A No sir.

Q And you have been married to any other woman? A No sir, none but my first wife.

Q And you were living together on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.

Q And still living together? A Yes sir.

D. J. Brewer, being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A D. J. Brewer.

Q What is your age? A If I live to see the 6th day of March, I will be 63 years old.

Q Are you acquainted with George A. Brown, the applicant in this case? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known him? A Been knowing him about ten or eleven years, he has been living close to me.

Q Do you know his wife? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known her? A About the same time.

Q Have they always lived together as husband and wife for the last ten years to your knowledge? A Yes sir.

Q Were they living together on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.

Q They never have been separated since you have known them? A No sir.

Q And they have lived in the Cherokee Nation during all this time? A Yes sir.

Applicant recalled: Is your wife and children living at this time? All those for whom you applied, eight children? A Yes sir, all eight are living.

Q Living with you at home? A Yes sir.

Q And these children have lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives? A Yes sir.

The undersigned, being duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly received the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. L. Schubert*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of October, 1902.

*B. C. Jones*  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

DECISION.

The record in this case shows that on August 23, 1900, George A. Brown appeared before the Commission at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment, among others, of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings in the matter of said application were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on March 13, 1902, and on September 27, 1902. The other parties to the application are differently classified and are not embraced in this decision.

The evidence shows that the said George A. Brown, a white man, was lawfully married, under a Cherokee marriage license and in accordance with the laws of the Cherokee Nation, on September 9, 1883, to Quintilla Beaty, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. It further appears from the evidence that a separation took place between George A. Brown and his wife, Quintilla Brown, it appearing that the said Quintilla Brown left her husband. A divorce was had between George A. Brown and his wife, Quintilla Brown, in April, 1887, but after a separation of about three years they were re-married. The said George A. Brown is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that the said George A. Brown has lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since his marriage in 1883, to his wife, Quintilla Brown, and during the separation above referred to he continued to reside in said nation, and from the date of his re-marriage to his said wife he has lived with her continuously in the Cherokee Nation, up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that George A. Brown should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Acting Chairman.

Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this MAR - 2 1903



## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

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In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |     |                     |     |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 204 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenbunt     | 350 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Laura Henyon         | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 48  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Largen   | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 598 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 798 |
| Umie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 862 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 868 |
| Hugh Willis          | 230 | Samie Fivekiller    | 867 |
| Mary A. Wilkie       | 246 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 268 | William H. Burrow   | 907 |



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| Mary Pettit          | 977  | Mollie Morton       | 1554 |
| Bettie Mitchell      | 985  | Andrew Walters      | 1573 |
| John J. Harrison     | 994  | John H. Holder      | 1610 |
| Jasper N. Bateman    | 1079 | Mary M. Barr        | 1612 |
| Susan Ballard        | 1065 | Thomas L. Bonham    | 1644 |
| Luey Eva Sumner      | 1074 | Charles C. Hendrick | 1663 |
| Ellen Thornton       | 1089 | Dora B. Brewer      | 1709 |
| Sarah E. Har         | 1090 | Annie Cordrey       | 1717 |
| Norman S. Drake      | 1092 | Adam Eckert         | 1722 |
| Susan Hogg           | 1094 | Isaac Timmons       | 1726 |
| David L. Scott       | 1099 | Geat Gibson         | 1727 |
| James C. Taylor      | 1111 | Amos Anderson       | 1731 |
| Roxie Shepard        | 1128 | William J. Mounts   | 1734 |
| Robert G. Elgin      | 1136 | James D. Alexander  | 1745 |
| William Hall         | 1137 | Willis E. Miles     | 1769 |
| Mary Ella Lattimore  | 1141 | Lora Adair          | 1781 |
| Maggie J. Keys       | 1149 | John Yarborough     | 1796 |
| Joseph M. Correll    | 1177 | Lalhe M. Dassler    | 1802 |
| Jane Ratley          | 1225 | Brent C. Redington  | 1804 |
| George E. Norton     | 1234 | Malisa A. Maxwell   | 1808 |
| Mahala D. Thompson   | 1247 | Richard Dukes       | 1811 |
| Charles M. Trammel   | 1264 | Lannie Pettit       | 1816 |
| Flora Carlile        | 1265 | Genevia Pool        | 1817 |
| William H. Norrid    | 1275 | Mollie Crossland    | 1822 |
| Olivia Benge         | 1276 | Lizzie Benge        | 1828 |
| Dollie Wilson        | 1278 | John H. Welty       | 1847 |
| Moses Bell           | 1279 | Edward P. White     | 1884 |
| Sarah Fleetwood      | 1290 | Lauren P. Green     | 1887 |
| Rosa E. Fargo        | 1299 | Charles Rosser      | 1898 |
| William M. Oliver    | 1333 | Fay Adair           | 1913 |
| Andrew J. Couch      | 1340 | Henrietta Irving    | 1920 |
| Lina Hyles           | 1347 | Bird Trippard       | 1925 |
| Mary M. Miller       | 1350 | John C. Carlile     | 1937 |
| Mary E. Taylor       | 1368 | John W. Gilstrap    | 1954 |
| Polly Ann Benge      | 1369 | Sarah Young         | 2018 |
| Margaret Moton       | 1385 | Nancy A. Coleman    | 2049 |
| Minnie McKinney      | 1390 | James N. Whisenbunt | 2118 |
| Nettie Seabolt       | 1418 | Hiram Stephens      | 2157 |
| Lawrence G. Faulkner | 1433 | Asa L. Guinn        | 2159 |
| Sarah A. Holt        | 1449 | Rebecca J. Flying   | 2173 |
| Jennette Polecat     | 1492 | Thomas J. Measles   | 2192 |
| Ellen Seabolt        | 1508 | Julia Coody         | 2215 |
| Charles W. Nettles   | 1509 | Sarah Crutchfield   | 2224 |
| Lena Sittingdown     | 1511 | Henry E. Lee        | 2251 |
| Tim Creedon          | 1513 | Sarah Gritta        | 2256 |
| Odie Pidecock        | 1517 | John A. Madden      | 2261 |
| Silas A. Saterfield  | 1529 | Henry C. Pennel     | 2271 |
| Laura J. Jeremiah    | 1530 | Matilda S. Cleland  | 2302 |
| Etta Hicks           | 1540 | Dona A. Frazier     | 2312 |
| Mary A. B. McKinney  | 1550 | Laura B. Cordrey    | 2339 |

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| Lafayette D. Kindred  | 2328 | William A. J. Trotter  | 3257 |
| Pearl V. Sisson       | 2339 | Albert P. Goforth      | 3298 |
| Nancy J. Sevier       | 2380 | Anna B. Martin         | 3307 |
| Mollie Hair           | 2385 | William Brown          | 3344 |
| Dora Sayers           | 2474 | Jennie B. Bluejacket   | 3345 |
| William T. Jones      | 2501 | William Little         | 3377 |
| Sarah L. Martin       | 2502 | Julia M. A. Russell    | 3386 |
| William J. Shoemaker  | 2506 | Andrew J. Smith        | 3393 |
| Maud Baldrige         | 2511 | William N. Blakemore   | 3396 |
| James L. Townsend     | 2513 | Lizzie Denton          | 3417 |
| George L. Morgan      | 2568 | Belle Hudson           | 3435 |
| Andrew A. Brown       | 2575 | Thomas S. Heady        | 3437 |
| Louis K. Fair         | 2623 | William M. Roseborough | 3444 |
| James L. Mitchell     | 2644 | Madison G. Hawkins     | 3467 |
| Martha E. McNair      | 2659 | Japhat F. Ellis        | 3491 |
| Millard F. Eggleston  | 2668 | Emma McAffrey          | 3543 |
| Elisha M. Gray        | 2686 | William T. Hunt        | 3570 |
| Jessie M. Ballard     | 2694 | Myra F. Chouteau       | 3580 |
| Annie Mayes           | 2798 | Phillip Donohoo        | 3581 |
| Belle Sixkiller       | 2809 | Fred L. Kelley         | 3593 |
| James P. Riley        | 2825 | Annie Herod            | 3594 |
| William Broadus       | 2854 | Maggie V. Fields       | 3615 |
| William A. Martin     | 2865 | Lou Payne              | 3616 |
| Joseph Q. Buchanan    | 2888 | Frederick W. Strout    | 3692 |
| Marcellus L. Baker    | 2905 | Andrew L. McCamish     | 3713 |
| Etta M. Hill          | 2915 | Sarah Dirthrower       | 3731 |
| John R. Smith         | 2922 | William P. Coble       | 3758 |
| Ira W. Wallen         | 2926 | Robert L. Madison      | 3761 |
| John B. Laurence      | 2959 | Mariah McDowell        | 3795 |
| Lula O. Hitchcock     | 2961 | Elizabeth R. Thornton  | 3811 |
| Bell L. Muskrat       | 2975 | Donithan A. Wilson     | 3841 |
| Eliza O'Field         | 2977 | Charles F. Covey       | 3868 |
| Margaret Suagee       | 2993 | Tamsey M. Williams     | 3886 |
| Winfield S. Nance     | 3007 | Mary J. Wolfe          | 3889 |
| Benjamin F. Kelley    | 3010 | Lathan Lumbard         | 3891 |
| Mollie Daugherty      | 3039 | Micajah P. Haynes      | 3897 |
| Charles H. Leatherman | 3043 | Annie L. Wingfield     | 3903 |
| Alice A. Edwards      | 3100 | Mary Fields            | 3907 |
| Dorinda Adair         | 3106 | William W. Dudley      | 3944 |
| William R. Gray       | 3118 | Minnie M. McLaughlin   | 3950 |
| Dora B. Caulk         | 3143 | Henry B. Lindsey       | 3978 |
| James M. Gallman      | 3161 | Wilbert H. Parkison    | 3999 |
| Martha E. Garrett     | 3162 | Seth R. Hall           | 4011 |
| Artie E. Large        | 3164 | Wiley Hanna            | 4016 |
| Andrew A. Kelley      | 3191 | Martha M. Woods        | 4093 |
| Anna B. Ryne          | 3193 | Lizzie Gray            | 4117 |
| Elias Henderson       | 3198 | Nancy C. Carey         | 4131 |
| David E. Jenkins      | 3212 | Annie E. Kenney        | 4165 |
| Lizzie Palling        | 3223 | William H. Ward        | 4169 |
| Robert L. Payne       | 3233 | Nannie Brewer          | 4189 |

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 John E. Etter 5239  
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 Melville B. Baird 5332  
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 Emma H. Roach 5612

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 Paulina P. Pitcher 5614  
 Charley Headrick 5615  
 William N. Stinson 5616  
 Lenora A. Henry 5621  
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 John H. Shimp 5624  
 Thomas B. Dickson 5625  
 Minnie Henry 5628  
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 Cap L. Lane 5630  
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 John Heape 5640  
 Perry G. Brock 5645  
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 Isaiah B. Blackwood 5700  
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 Dennis W. Smith 5702  
 William H. Chesnut 5705  
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 Albert B. Buckmaster 5710  
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 Joseph S. Layne 5731  
 Lena Bell 5737  
 Juan N. Corn 5748  
 Robert N. Crafton 5750  
 Benjamin F. Coffee 5756  
 Frank McSpadden 5760  
 Charles D. Pendleton 5775  
 Harden H. Green 5776  
 Emma J. Ward 5778  
 Robert C. Fuller 5781  
 Henry F. Ertine 5796  
 Ida Wyly 5802  
 Richard L. Fite 5818  
 Edward Lutz 5816  
 John F. Woodworth 5829

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| William R. Sartain     | 5837 | Amelia Reese          | 6033 |
| Joseph A. Lawrence     | 5843 | Alexander West        | 6036 |
| William H. Hunter      | 5846 | John T. Smith         | 6037 |
| Joseph Lehr            | 5851 | Flora C. Taylor       | 6038 |
| Edin M. Young          | 5852 | John T. Hoot          | 6042 |
| Mary C. Barnes         | 5853 | Mary T. Jordan        | 6048 |
| Matilda Thompson       | 5861 | John W. Bradshaw      | 6076 |
| William W. Young       | 5872 | James L. Dean         | 6079 |
| Barley F. Ellis        | 5874 | Amanda J. Thompson    | 6082 |
| Rosa B. Albert         | 5877 | Malissa Hubbard       | 6089 |
| Sarah Cannon           | 5879 | Jane Benge            | 6111 |
| Mannie Beck            | 5887 | John D. Ryals         | 6113 |
| Jack H. Merchant       | 5888 | John C. DeLozier      | 6117 |
| John D. Merchant       | 5889 | Jessie Willis         | 6118 |
| Sarah E. Ghornick      | 5894 | Mary A. Clark         | 6124 |
| Jerry Young            | 5906 | Mary J. Tipton        | 6126 |
| James H. Butler        | 5916 | Leander Newton        | 6136 |
| Mary Hicks             | 5919 | William A. Qualls     | 6138 |
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| Albert Crain           | 5923 | Hugh T. Watkins       | 6163 |
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| Edith A. Parr          | 5943 | John Grubb            | 6216 |
| Addie Hubbard          | 5949 | William M. Costephens | 6230 |
| John A. Lowry          | 5962 | Jane Bean             | 6232 |
| John R. W. Brando      | 5963 | Lillie I. Taylor      | 6236 |
| James T. Carroll       | 5964 | Abbie B. Adair        | 6239 |
| Christopher T. Jackson | 5965 | Mack C. Watkins       | 6246 |
| Minerva I. Strayer     | 5966 | Robert W. Murray      | 6261 |
| John W. Twilley        | 5967 | John G. Petty         | 6269 |
| Joseph W. Mounce       | 5970 | Lucinda Poorboy       | 6279 |
| Cornelius P. Potter    | 5971 | Sarah Mayes           | 6286 |
| Amanda C. Thompson     | 5972 | Henry W. Pycatt       | 6300 |
| John M. Rusk           | 5976 | Isaac A. Wilson       | 6306 |
| Harrison L. Hughes     | 5978 | John T. Hall          | 6310 |
| Silas B. Dildine       | 5983 | Edward L. King        | 6315 |
| Lewis M. Payne         | 5985 | Katie Still           | 6325 |
| Nancy Beamer           | 5988 | Emmer Carlile         | 6338 |
| Sarah F. Selvidge      | 6002 | Bird Webster          | 6347 |
| Pony F. Buckner        | 6005 | Fannie Morris         | 6353 |
| John A. Moreland       | 6010 | Leonard Lee           | 6357 |
| Alice Welch            | 6015 | James R. Miller       | 6363 |
| Mary C. Thompson       | 6022 | James Brackett        | 6370 |
| Ida Beck               | 6029 | Nora Allen            | 6371 |
| William R. Tittle      | 6030 | John T. Washington    | 6373 |

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| James J. Snider        | 6375 | James L. Lee        | 6717 |
| William H. Winget      | 6376 | Rosa Phillips       | 6723 |
| Ida R. Wilkerson       | 6383 | Kate Brown          | 6735 |
| George A. McBride      | 6385 | Laura B. Barnett    | 6743 |
| Matilda Cookson        | 6387 | Elizabeth Sanders   | 6745 |
| William A. Fisk        | 6392 | William T. Neff     | 6747 |
| William O. Ames        | 6394 | William R. Scott    | 6751 |
| Thomas Wilkerson       | 6396 | Laura Fish          | 6770 |
| Alice C. Springston    | 6407 | Maggie Ketcher      | 6779 |
| Fanny N. Witt          | 6413 | Dora A. McDonald    | 6783 |
| Lillie M. Adair        | 6424 | Rosa B. Willis      | 6785 |
| Mark F. Matheson       | 6428 | Daniel Hubbard      | 6787 |
| Ida L. Wilson          | 6431 | Mary R. Tadpole     | 6801 |
| George E. Marra        | 6441 | Magnus A. McSpadden | 6811 |
| Ulysses S. Reeves      | 6443 | Sarah F. Pathkiller | 6824 |
| Daniel A. Smith        | 6447 | Clara Twist         | 6845 |
| Henry J. Dawson        | 6450 | Mattie M. Welch     | 6846 |
| Sarah Adair            | 6452 | Cora Griffin        | 6850 |
| Ida F. Wilson          | 6455 | John S. Hyatt       | 6853 |
| Mary E. Taylor         | 6459 | Jefferson K. Tyner  | 6855 |
| Catherine Henson       | 6468 | Flora R. Miller     | 6859 |
| Charles C. Fitzsimmons | 6471 | Fizzie Craig        | 6872 |
| Mary E. Campbell       | 6476 | Jacob C. Johnson    | 6876 |
| Columbus N. Long       | 6478 | George W. Ware      | 6897 |
| Mary Wilkerson         | 6480 | James B. Deatherage | 6901 |
| Myrtle Ward            | 6484 | Luenda I. Hartness  | 6943 |
| Belle Manus            | 6499 | Frances E. Tehee    | 6961 |
| Martha E. McLain       | 6508 | James M. Burt       | 6965 |
| Mary A. Brown          | 6517 | Rady Tipton         | 6975 |
| Marion M. Bullew       | 6530 | Laura Hendricks     | 6976 |
| Mellie Mayfield        | 6540 | Laura V. Smith      | 6979 |
| Sarah Blevins          | 6541 | Lorenzo C. Darnell  | 6988 |
| Frank Powell           | 6542 | Robert M. Mitchell  | 7004 |
| Georgia Jackson        | 6546 | William Henry Reeve | 7005 |
| Leonard S. Simpson     | 6549 | James Pyle          | 7009 |
| Almira Unrey           | 6560 | Willie Hilderbrand  | 7015 |
| James McInerney        | 6561 | Alice M. Roberson   | 7031 |
| Fannie Carlile         | 6578 | Charles Morris      | 7043 |
| Nadie A. Mayfield      | 6580 | Minerva J. Trent    | 7051 |
| Nilas A. Bryan         | 6581 | John H. Keith       | 7078 |
| William B. Martin      | 6585 | Katie E. Ratley     | 7080 |
| Emma J. Thompson       | 6589 | Ella Patrick        | 7081 |
| Lydia McDaniel         | 6593 | Nannie Martin       | 7090 |
| David W. Lamb          | 6595 | Rosa B. Harris      | 7094 |
| Gus R. Hart            | 6603 | Samuel Brown        | 7100 |
| Posea Phillips         | 6632 | William H. Turner   | 7101 |
| Lois E. Daniel         | 6673 | Florence Mayes      | 7104 |
| William W. Turner      | 6689 | Maggie McCoy        | 7113 |
| Lillie B. Mackstone    | 6714 | Mary Belle Cordry   | 7113 |
| Mary Lillard           | 6716 | Benjamin Haner      | 7119 |



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| James Maher           | 7128 | Robert B. Collins    | 7556 |
| Terry A. Parkinson    | 7146 | Nancy I. Brown       | 7579 |
| Cora L. Hanks         | 7147 | Mary B. Walkingstick | 7642 |
| Orto J. Zufall        | 7149 | Robert T. Kelleam    | 7653 |
| Rufus M. Norman       | 7155 | Mollie Morton        | 7797 |
| Mary I. Foreman       | 7158 | Mattie Girty         | 8006 |
| Alma West             | 7159 | Mack Alfred          | 8015 |
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| Francis M. Crowell    | 7163 | Ida McCoy            | 8417 |
| Fannie E. McClure     | 7171 | Rosie Foreman        | 8903 |
| Benjamin B. Graham    | 7176 | Annie Jackson        | 9034 |
| Ada Pharriss          | 7180 | Margaret T. Langley  | 9092 |
| William L. Wilsenandt | 7184 | Ida M. Davis         | 9266 |
| Frances B. Petty      | 7191 | Nora Crapo           | 9289 |
| Philip Shultz         | 7210 | Margaret Harmon      | 9378 |
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| Minnie B. Edmond      | 7213 | Ella Gravitt         | 9439 |
| Eliza Jordan          | 7217 | William M. Wilson    | 9444 |
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| John W. Thompson      | 7267 | Clara M. Boudinot    | 9453 |
| Melissa Booth         | 7271 | Mary E. Keys         | 9454 |
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| Henry W. Coughran     | 7282 | Mary J. Christy      | 9460 |
| Sarah Ross            | 7291 | Malinda Seabolt      | 9462 |
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| John A. Martin        | 7323 | Mollie P. Mulkey     | 9465 |
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| Allen L. Buckner      | 7331 | James F. Flippin     | 9471 |
| James L. Goad         | 7350 | William Bird         | 9473 |
| Elijah Johnson        | 7351 | Mollie C. Forbes     | 9476 |
| Mary E. Kimbrough     | 7360 | William H. Thomason  | 9478 |
| Jennie Burr           | 7367 | Mollie Devine        | 9481 |
| Kinsay Sapsucker      | 7378 | Mary P. Guthrie      | 9482 |
| Sarah J. Johnson      | 7394 | Detlev N. Leerskov   | 9484 |
| William I. Branan     | 7409 | Nannie Cowart        | 9485 |
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| Mary F. Hummingbird   | 7420 | Tennie Sanders       | 9503 |
| Bertha A. Allen       | 7425 | Virgil A. Wiltshire  | 9505 |
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| Fannie B. Martin      | 7434 | Herbert Kneeland     | 9518 |
| Myrtle Wolfe          | 7435 | Hugh E. Hope         | 9519 |
| Mary Blevins          | 7479 | Thomas J. Ritter     | 9522 |
| Sarah Ketcher         | 7488 | Martha Baldridge     | 9529 |
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| Cora P. Harlan        | 10082 | Emma Murray          | 10183 |
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| Ella Bray             | 10087 | Eliza J. Price       | 10199 |
| David J. Matthews     | 10094 | Rinsie Still         | 10200 |
| Thomas Brown          | 10100 | Hannah E. Langley    | 10201 |
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| Mary Russell          | 10108 | Mary E. Childers     | 10207 |
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| Sarah A. Fields      | 10214 | Adolphus J. Hallum    | D 483 |
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| Fannie L. Dupree     | D 402 | Charles A. Robison    | D 799 |
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| Martha A. Perdue    | R | 45   | Lissie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne    | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 3, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1906 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

COMMISSIONERS  
HENRY J. JAMES,  
TAMM DAVIS,  
THOMAS D. WHEELER,  
C. R. BUCHANAN.

ALLISON L. AYLING,  
SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, February 27,

1902

Mr. George A. Brown,

Briggs, Indian Territory,

Sir:

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the

15 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

Mr. E. R. Capshaw,  
Chairman, I.C.  
Cherokee D-1048  
Register.

Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs

McAlester, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Winita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James S. Smith

Chairman.

Enc. H-220



Washago, Indian Territory, March 20, 1903.

J. R. Sequichie,

Agent for George A. Brown,  
Chalson, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903,  
granting the application of George A. Brown for the enrollment of  
himself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee nation.

Respectfully,

Register.

Okmulgee, Indian Territory, March 20, 1908.

George A. Brown,

Briggs, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1908, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Jame L. May.

Chairman.

Enc. N-23.

Cherokee 10200

Wahogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

George A. Brown,

Wahogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. B.

Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 24, 1907.

George A. Brown,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by this Department, January 24, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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Cher 10221

Mary J. Glass

Trans. from D1148

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
MUSKOGEE, I.T., MARCH 19th, 1901.

In the matter of the application of Mary Jane Glass for the enrollment of herself and children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation; said Glass being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mary Glass.  
Q How old are you? A 34 years old.  
Q What is your post office address? A Webbers Falls.  
Q What district do you live in? A Canadian.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood or intermarriage? A By marriage I guess.  
Q You are a white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q Who do you want to enroll? A My children.  
Q And yourself? A Yes, sir.  
Q How many children? A I have six.  
Q Please give me their names? A Mattie Glass is the oldest.  
Q How old is Mattie? A She is 13 years old.  
Q The next child? A Elizabeth.  
Q How old is she? A She is 11.  
Q The next child's name? A Cornelius.  
Q How old is Cornelius? A He is nine years old.  
Q The next one? A Harvey.  
Q How old is Harvey? A He is seven years old; Dennis Glass.  
Q How old is Dennis? A He is four years old.  
Q The next one? A His name is Caswell.  
Q How old is Caswell? A He is 13 months old.  
Q Are you married? A Yes, sir; I am a widow now, I have been three weeks.  
Q What was your husband's name? A George Glass.  
Q Was he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did he have any name besides George? A His initials was G. W.  
Q When were you married to him? A It has been 16 years ago.  
Q Have you any certificate of marriage? A No, sir; we didn't get any, we married under Cherokee law before this law come in; we didn't have to have any.  
Q Who married you? A Joe Lynch.  
Q Is he living? A No, sir; he is dead.  
Q Have you any proof or evidence as to your marriage? A I have a witness here.  
Q Did he see you married? A Yes, sir.

REECE HILDEBRAND, being sworn and examined by Commissioner Needles, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Reece Hilderbrand.  
Q What is your age? A My age is about 51.  
Q What is your post office address? A McLain.  
Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q By blood? A By blood, yes, sir.  
Q Do you know Mary Glass? A Yes, sir.  
Q Did you know George W. Glass, her husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know whether they were ever married or not? A Yes, sir.  
Q How do you know it? A I was right there when they married.  
Q Who married them? A Lynch I believe.  
Q You saw the marriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know whether they lived together continuously from the time of their marriage until the time of his death? A Yes, sir.  
Q They never separated? A No, sir; they have been living together ever since their marriage until his death.

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Q Was George W. Glass a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir; said to be.  
Q Do you know about what degree of blood he had? A Some called him a full blood; he was not.  
Q Do you know whether he had any colored blood or not? A No, sir; I don't think he did.

BY J. L. BAUGH, Cherokee Representative:

Q This Mr. Lynch, what was he; what capacity did he hold? A He was Judge of the District, Joe Lynch is his name.

MARY J. GLASS, the Applicant, re-called, testified as follows:  
Examination by Commissioner Needles:

Q Did Judge Lynch ever give you a certificate of marriage?  
A No, sir.  
Q Did you live with George W. Glass from the time you married him until his death? A Yes, sir.  
Q Never separated? A No, sir.  
Q Is he the father of these children? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you ever married since? A ~~XX~~ No, sir.  
Q Was George Glass your first husband? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you his first wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q Neither of you were ever married before? A No, sir.  
Q Are these children you report living now? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were they born and raised in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you always lived in the Cherokee Nation from the time of your marriage to George W. Glass until now? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any property? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you any land or farm? A Yes, sir, I have a farm.  
Q Is that where Mr. Glass died? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are you living on the same farm now? A Yes, sir.

1880 Authenticated Roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined and applicant's husband's name found thereon, page 20, #546, as G. W. Glass, in Canadian District.

Q Are you a white woman or are you colored? A I don't know; it has been kind of a dispute, I don't know which it is.  
Q Is your mother living? A No, sir; my mother is dead.  
Q Was your mother a white woman? A Yes, sir.

KENEC HILDEBRAND, re-called, testified as follows:  
Examination by Commissioner Needles:

Q Did you know the mother of Mary Glass? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was her name? A Betsey.  
Q Betsey what? A Elizabeth Latta.  
Q Was she a white woman? A She was a white woman.  
Q Did you know the father of Mrs. Glass? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was he a white man or colored? A He is said to be a Cherokee, but he failed to prove it; he died before he proved it.  
Q But her mother was white; that is what you know? A That is what they say.  
Q You knew her personally? A Yes, sir.  
Q What relation are you, if any, to Mary Glass here? A No more than a sister-in-law.  
Q Your wife and her sisters? A Yes, sir.  
Q Have you been enrolled as a Cherokee? A Yes, sir, I was enrolled at Fort Gibson.  
Q Was your wife enrolled with you? A No, sir.

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Q Why didn't you enroll your wife there? A She was adopted and we enrolled her as an adopted citizen.  
Q Was she enrolled as an adopted citizen? A Yes, sir.  
Q Was your wife and Mary Glass full sisters? A Yes, sir.  
Q What was your wife's name? A Lydia.

MARY J. GLASS, the Applicant, re-called, testified as follows:  
Examination by Commissioner Needles.

Q You were married 16 years ago? A Yes, sir.  
Q That was after 1880? A Yes, sir.

Tribal Rolls of the Cherokee Nation examined and applicants' names found thereon, as follows, on the 1896 Census Roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

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| Page 97, #9, Mary Glass, Canadian Dist., Freedmen Roll. | " | " | " | " |
| Page 97, #10, Mattie Glass,                             | " | " | " | " |
| Page 97, #11, Lizzie Glass,                             | " | " | " | " |
| Page 97, #12, Cornelius Glass,                          | " | " | " | " |
| Page 97, #13, Harvey Glass,                             | " | " | " | " |

Q Have you got any proof of the birth of these two younger children?  
A I have for this one, I thought the other one was enrolled.  
(Birth certificate not in proper shape.)

Com'r Needles:--The names of Mary Glass and her children, Mattie, Elizabeth, Cornelius and Harvey, appears upon the census roll of 1896 as Freedmen. She avers that she has two other children, Dennis and Caswell, whose names do not appear upon the census roll of 1896, having been born after said roll was compiled. She avers that she is the widow of one George W. Glass, a Cherokee citizen by blood, and the name of George W. Glass, now deceased, is found upon the authenticated roll of 1880 as G. W. Glass, and he is fully identified, and the said Mary Glass makes proof of her marriage by verbal testimony, more particularly described in the evidence. She is fully identified and makes satisfactory proof as to her residence, but by reason of the fact that said Mary Glass and her said children's names appear upon the roll of 1896 as Colored, final judgment as to the enrollment of said Mary Glass and her said children as Cherokees by blood will be suspended, and their names will be placed upon a doubtful card, awaiting further proof to the Commission as to whether said Mary Glass and her said children shall be listed for enrollment as Cherokees by blood or as Freedmen, and also proof of birth as to these two younger children.

SUPPLEMENTAL to the above Judgment:

Com'r Needles:--The name of Mary J. Glass is found upon the authenticated roll of 1880 as M. J. Latta, Latta having been her maiden name.

1880 Authenticated Roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined and applicant's name found thereon, page 32, #876, as M. J. Latta, adopted white, Canadian District.

The name of her father, Allen Latta, and her sister, Eliza, also are found upon the authenticated roll of 1880; her name, M. J. Latta's, appearing as an adopted white, 14 years of age.

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Mary J. Glass--4.

J. O. Rosson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

J. O. Rosson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1901.



Commissioner.



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Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

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Mother's citizenship

Intermarried citizen

Married under what law

Date of marriage

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Wife's name

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Mother's citizenship

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Married under what law

Date of marriage

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Names of Children:

- 1 *Mary Glass*
- 2 *Mattie Glass*
- 3 *Elizabeth*
- 4 *Cornelius*
- 5 *Harry*
- 6 *Denise*
- 7 *Cassie*

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Remus Glass*

as a citizen of

*Cherokee*

Nation.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Dennis Glass, born on the 10 day of March, 1897  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: Geo. Glass, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Mary Glass, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Webbers Falls, La.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

North District.  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

I, Mary Glass, on oath state that I am 34  
years of age and a citizen, by Birth, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Geo. Glass, who is a citizen, by  
Birth, of the Cherokee Nation, that a Male child was  
(male or female.)  
born to me on the 10 day of March, 1897, that said child has been  
named Dennis Glass, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN  
(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

Ed. Buchanan  
and  
and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1901.

J. L. Buchanan  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

North District.  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

I, Eliza Watson, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Mary Glass, wife of Geo. Glass  
on the 10 day of March, 1897, that there was born to her a  
child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Dennis Glass.

WITNESSES TO SIGN  
(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

Ed. Buchanan  
and  
and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1901.

J. L. Buchanan  
NOTARY PUBLIC.



IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

*Caswell Glass*

as a citizen of

*Cherokee*

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*Whitney*  
Commissioner

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Caswell Glass, born on the 26 day of January, 1890  
(Here insert name of child)  
Name of Father: Geo. Glass, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Mary Glass, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office: Webber Falls, Ar.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Northern District.

I, Mary Glass, on oath state that I am 34  
years of age and a citizen, by Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Geo. Glass, who is a citizen, by  
Cherokee Nation, that a male child was  
(male or female)  
born to me on the 26 day of Jan, 1890, that said child has been  
named Caswell Glass, and is now living.

WITNESSED TO ME  
(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

J. M. Buchanan  
W. J. Glass  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1901.  
J. M. Buchanan  
NOTARY PUBLIC.

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Northern District.

I, Lydia Hildebrand, on oath state that I  
attended on Mrs. Mary Glass, wife of George Glass  
on the 26 day of Jan, 1890, that there was born to her on  
said date a male child; that said child is now living and is said to have been  
named Caswell Glass.

WITNESSED TO ME  
(Must be Two  
Witnesses)

J. M. Buchanan  
Lydia Hildebrand  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1901.  
J. M. Buchanan

Expt. C.D. #1149.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., March 30, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL in the matter of the enrollment of MARY J. GLASS,  
ET AL., as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter March, 1,  
1902, that her application for the enrollment of herself and  
others as citizens of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for  
final consideration by the Commission at its offices at Muskogee,  
Indian Territory, on the 30th day of March, 1902, and that on  
said day she might appear before the commission either in per-  
son or by attorney when an opportunity would be given her to  
introduce any further testimony affecting her application. The  
applicant has this day, to-wit: the 30th day of March, 1902,  
been called and failing to appear either in person or by  
attorney, the case is deemed concluded and will be reported to  
the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now  
of record.

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I, J. O. Henson, hereby certify that as stenographer  
to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes I correctly recorded  
the proceedings had this day, in the above application and that the  
 foregoing is a true and complete transcript of my stenographic  
notes thereof.

*J. O. Henson*

STATE OF ARIZONA,  
COUNTY OF COCHISE,  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Comes now R. H. Hilton, and he being sworn, deposes and says that he is 53 years old, that he resides at ~~the~~ I. T., that he is a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, that he ~~has~~ knew one G. W. Glass, who resided in Canadian District of the Cherokee Nation, up to the date of his death, about a year ago; that the said Glass was a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, 1877, and recognized as such, and that his children, Lizzie, Cora, Howie, Howie, Dennis and Cas Glass, all now living with their mother, who is an adopted citizen, and who through neglect or ignorance has not gotten her said children enrolled on the Cherokee Tribal rolls.

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of August, 1908.

R. H. Hilton  
Deponent

Subscribed to and sworn before me the 18th day of August, 1908.

J. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public

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Respectfully referred to the  
Commission to the Five Civil-  
ized Tribes for consideration  
and appropriate action.

*John H. Bryan*  
Acting Secretary.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN



Cherokee D-1145.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., October 31, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Mary J. Glass for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of her children, Mattie, Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Caswell Glass, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation; she being sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A Mary Jane Glass.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Webbers Falls.  
Q How old are you at this time? A Thirty-seven.  
Q Are you an applicant for enrollment as an intermarried citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q What is your husband's name? A George Glass.  
Q Is George Glass living now? A No sir, he is dead.  
Q How long has George Glass been dead? A Dead two years.  
Q Was George Glass a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you ever married before you were married to George Glass? A No sir.  
Q Was he ever married before he married you? A No sir.  
Q When were you and he married? A To the best of my recollection it was in '84.  
Q Did you and he live together from the time of your marriage as husband and wife up to his death? A Yes sir.  
Q How long has he been dead? A He has been dead two years, the 22nd of February.  
Q Have you married since his death? A No sir.  
Q Were you still a widow and single on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes sir.  
Q Never have been married to any man but George Glass? A That is all.  
Q Are these children, Mattie, Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Caswell Glass, all your children? A Yes sir.  
Q Is George Glass the father of all these children? A Yes sir.  
Q Are they all living? A Mattie is dead.  
Q When did Mattie die? A She died to the best of my recollection the 27th of last November.  
Q The other children are all living? A Yes sir.  
Q Have they lived all their lives in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation ever since your marriage to George Glass? A Yes sir, I was raised in the nation.  
Q Who was your father? A Allen Latta.  
Q Who was your mother? A Elizabeth Latta.  
Q Was your mother a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q Was your father a white man? A I don't know about that, but he was called a white man.  
Q What other blood did he have in him? A Well, sir, I don't know. He always said he was an Indian.  
Q By Mr. H. I don't it a fact that he was what is called a free colored person? A I don't know; he never did tell his children that.

2 Mary J. Glass et al.

The Undersigned, being duly sworn, depose that the contents of the foregoing petition are true and correct and that the facts therein stated are true and correct and that the petition is a true and correct statement of the facts herein stated.

W. P. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of December, 1902.

W. P. Smith  
Notary Public.

Cherokee D-1148.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application of Mary J. Glass for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of her minor children, Mattie, Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Caswell Glass as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N.

The record in this case shows that on March 19, 1901, Mary J. Glass appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and for the enrollment of her minor children, Mattie, Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Caswell Glass as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said application at Muskogee, Indian Territory, on October 31, 1902.

The evidence shows that the said Mary J. Glass was married in 1885 to George W. Glass, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Her said husband died in 1901. It further appears that the said Mary J. Glass is identified on the authenticated tribal roll of 1880 under her maiden name of M. J. Latta, as an adopted white. She is also identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896. The above named children are the issue of the marriage aforesaid. They are all identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896, excepting the two youngest, who are identified by birth affidavits made a part of this record. It appears that the said Mattie Glass died on November 21, 1901.

The evidence further shows that the said Mary J. Glass resided in the Cherokee Nation with her husband from 1885 up to the time of his death, which occurred in 1900, and since that time has continued to reside therein and had not remarried up to and including September 1, 1902. Her minor children applicants herein have lived in the Cherokee Nation all their lives.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Mary J. Glass, should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and that Elizabeth Glass, Cornelius Glass, Harvey Glass, Dennis Glass and Caswell Glass should be enrolled as citizens

by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

It is further ordered that the application as to the said Mattie Glass be, and the same is, hereby dismissed.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
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Acting Chairman.

  
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Commissioner.

  
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Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this       MAR-9-1908



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MARRIAGE LICENSE.

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STATE OF ARKANSAS.

COUNTY OF CRAWFORD.

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE:

GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between Mr. Jacob P. Tate of Webbers Falls in the Cherokee Nation and Ind. Ter. aged 35 years, and Mrs. Mary J. Glass of Webber Falls in the Cherokee Nation and Ind. Ter. aged 37 years, according to law, and do you officially sign and return this license to the parties herein named.

Witness my hand and official seal this  
16 day of Dec. 1904.

(Signed) R. B. Winfrey  
County Clerk

(S E A L)

W. E. Winfrey  
D. C.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.

STATE OF ARKANSAS }

COUNTY OF CRAWFORD }

I, Wm. J. Grant, Minister of the Gospel,  
do hereby certify that on the 16th day of December 1904, I did  
solemnize the rite and publish the bans of Matrimony between  
the parties therein named.

Witness my hand this 16th day of December, 1904  
My name and title are recorded in  
Recorder's Office

(Signed) Wm. J. Grant  
Elder in Methodist Episcopal



MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

JACOB P. TATE

TO

MRS. MARY J. GLASS.

Recorded Book G. Page 460. Returned and filed this 16 day of  
December, 1904. R. B. Winfrey, Clerk.

CERTIFICATE OF RECORD.

STATE OF ARKANSAS )  
COUNTY OF CRAWFORD )

I, R. B. Winfrey, Clerk of the County Court  
of said County, certify that the above License for and Certificate  
of Marriage of Mr. Jacob P. Tate and Mrs. Mary J. Glass was filed in  
my office on the 16 day of Dec. 1904, and the same is duly recorded  
on page 460 of Book G of marriage record.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court

this 16 day of December, 1904.

(Signed) R. B. Winfrey

Clerk

(SEAL)

W. B. Winfrey

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INDORSEMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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Lucy M. Brown being duly sworn, states that she has read  
the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes and that the same is a full and complete  
copy of the original.

*Lucy M. Brown*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
AUXILIARY CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE.

Washago, Indian Territory, May 2, 1904.

In the matter of the discretionary allotments in the Cherokee Nation to Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Cassell Glass, whose names appear upon Cherokee citizen Roll No. 29220, 6, 7, 8, & 9 respectively, Field Card No. 10229.

Mary J. Tate, formerly Glass, non-citizen mother of the above named children, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

Examination by the Commission:

Q What is your name? A Mary J. Tate.

QQ What is your postoffice address? A Webbers Falls.

Q What is your age? A 38.

Q Do you claim any rights to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir, by intermarriage I do.

Q Is your object in appearing before the Auxiliary Cherokee Land Office today to select allotments for your minor children?

A Yes sir.

Q What are their names? A Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis, and Cassell Glass.

Q How old is Elizabeth? A 18 years.

Q Cornelius? A 12.

Q Harvey? A 10.

Q Dennis? A 8.

Q And Cassell? A 5.

Q Are they all now living? A Yes sir, were this morning.

Q Has any guardian ever been appointed for them? A No sir.

Q Has anyone ever made application to the courts to be appointed guardian? A No sir.

Q What was your maiden name? A Latta.

Q What is the name of your first husband? A George Glass.

Q He is the father of those children? A Yes sir.

Q Is he now living? A No sir.

Q When did he die? A Five years ago.

Q Was he a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Have you married since then? A Yes sir.

Q When did you marry? A Jake Tate.

Q Is he a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.

Q When were you and Jake Tate married? A In November but I do not know the dates but have got the papers and you can see for yourself.

Witness offers marriage certificate showing marriage of herself to Jacob B. Tate on December 18, 1904.

Q Are you and Jacob Tate now living together? A Yes sir.

Q Do these children make their homes with you? A Yes sir.

Q Is the land that you desire to have allotted to them under improvement and in cultivation? A Part of it is, the old home place.

Q Is the balance of the land outside, unimproved land? A Yes sir.

Q Does this land lie west of the Arkansas River? A Yes sir.

Q In Canadian district? A Yes sir.

Mary J. Tate, formerly slave.

- Q. Has anyone ever before this time appeared before at the  
Yankee or the Southern Court and attempted to assert an  
claim for these children? A. No sir.  
Q. What time have you ever appeared at a land office in order  
to claim? A. Never.  
Q. How long has there been proved land been in your possession?  
A. Every since I and the father of these children were married.

WITNESS INCUSED.

Blanch Ashton under oath swears that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes she has accurately recorded  
the testimony in the above entitled case and that the foregoing  
is a correct transcript of her stenographic notes thereon.

Blanch Ashton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1905.

*H. S. Harrison*

Notary Public.



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# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of Frank Howard, et al.

## DECISION.

**THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW:** That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

|                      |      |                        |      |
|----------------------|------|------------------------|------|
| Frank Howard         | 281  | Georgia A. Walker      | 4392 |
| Julia A. Alberty     | 513  | Mary A. Journeycake    | 4475 |
| Angeline Oer         | 968  | Pat Flanagan           | 4517 |
| Nancy E. Twist       | 1028 | Ethic Foster           | 4613 |
| Samuel D. Harp       | 1556 | Albert F. Johnson      | 4616 |
| Marquis D. L. Dowell | 1707 | Alexander H. Knaggs    | 4617 |
| Lindsey Wallace      | 2020 | Jackson W. Drake       | 4654 |
| Richard Southerlin   | 2058 | James E. Burrows       | 4672 |
| George W. Kirk       | 2273 | William P. McClellan   | 4740 |
| Caroline P. Waybourn | 2510 | Samuel A. Wells        | 5262 |
| George W. Talbott    | 2892 | Mary J. Thompson       | 5492 |
| Thomas J. Jordan     | 2946 | Jeremiah Y. Stokes     | 5543 |
| Robert B. Neighbours | 3002 | John C. Butler         | 5639 |
| James B. Smith       | 3483 | Ora B. Downing         | 5699 |
| Rachel Silverheel    | 3703 | James W. McSpadden     | 5724 |
| Frederick Fluke      | 3858 | Jeremiah Springston    | 5773 |
| David Stinger        | 4059 | Hettie Holland         | 5799 |
| Huldah Bennett       | 4265 | Merriweather G. Reagan | 5821 |
| Amos V. Flint        | 4370 | Bartley E. Scott       | 5831 |

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|--------------------|------|---------------------|-------|
| Louvena Alberty    | 5891 | Henry A. Frye       | 6664  |
| Katie L. C. Duncan | 5917 | William B. Taylor   | 6761  |
| William F. Roberts | 5945 | Sallie Runels       | 6764  |
| Leonidas Dobson    | 5997 | Thomas M. Bird      | 6939  |
| James L. Guinn     | 6053 | Eugene L. Bracken   | 7008  |
| Dora Lowery        | 6073 | Elizabeth Latta     | 7058  |
| Mary E. King       | 6157 | Stephen M. McDaniel | 7068  |
| Maggie Savier      | 6198 | Rebecca Miller      | 7135  |
| Thomas Johnson     | 6262 | George W. Ritchie   | 7293  |
| Eliche Mathis      | 6278 | Fannie E. Cummings  | 7550  |
| Rosanna Wood       | 6337 | Nancy Hicks         | 7837  |
| Edward W. Rackleff | 6342 | John S. Skillman    | 9993  |
| Lou McCoy          | 6417 | Willis Davis        | 10019 |
| William Sullivan   | 6419 | Albert Shepard      | 10106 |
| Kizzie Linder      | 6429 | Charles F. McGinnis | 10121 |
| Josephine Rider    | 6438 | Hugh Campbell       | 10144 |
| Francis A. Meek    | 6522 | Mary J. Glass       | 10229 |

**THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW:** That the names of said persons appear upon the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880; that they possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:** That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 5, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird et al. vs. the United States, Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section 21 of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this Jan. 10 1907

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COMMISSIONER



COMMISSIONERS  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING

Cherokee D-1148

ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 1, 1902. 1902.

Mrs. Mary J. Glass,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself and six minor children

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on

March 20, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application, that you may deem necessary.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

You are required to supply the Commission with your marriage certificate.

Register.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes

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*[Signature]*  
ACTING CHAIRMAN

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Cherokee B-1128

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 12, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Mary J. Glass for the enrollment of herself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of her minor children, Elizabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Samuel Glass, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, and dismissing her application for the enrollment of her minor child, Mattie Glass.

You are her eby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. Smith

Chairman.

Enc. B-1128

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Cherokee D-1149.

Muskegee, Indian Territory, March 30, 1903.

Mary J. Glass,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by intermarriage, and for the enrollment of your five minor children, Elisabeth, Cornelius, Harvey, Dennis and Caswell Glass, as citizens by blood, and dismissing your application for the enrollment of your minor child, Mattie Glass, as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*James D. Dixon*  
Chairman

Enc. N-43.

Register.

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Cherokee 10229.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, May 4, 1906.

Mary J. Tate,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is herewith inclosed Marriage License and Certificate showing the marriage of yourself to one Jacob P. Tate, on December 16, 1904, copies thereof having been retained in the office of the Commission.

Respectfully,

(SIGNED).

*James Bixby*

Chairman.

Inc. K-14.



Cherokee  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Mary J. Glass,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Recd. \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

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OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

1862-1887.

WASHINGTON.

February 14, 1907.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

On January 19, 1907, the Office transmitted the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes relative to applications for the enrollment of Frank Howard, et al, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The decision includes the applications of seventy-two persons found by the Commissioner to be not entitled to enrollment under the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al, against the United States.

It appears from the record in the case that the names of all the applicants are found on the authenticated 1860 roll of citizens of the Cherokee nation, and the Office in transmitting the record did not consider this phase of the case. On January 31, the department was requested to return the record in the case for further consideration by the Office. It was returned with Department letter of February 6, 1907. I.T.D. 1390.

With reference to the names of these applicants being on the 1880 roll Mr. Bixby says:

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That the names of said persons appear upon the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880 that they possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875.

As the applicants were not married to citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation in accordance with the laws, usages and customs of the tribes prior to November 1, 1875, they are not entitled to enrollment, unless it be by virtue of their names being on the 1880 roll. By the provisions of section 21 of the Act of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 498), the roll of Cherokee citizens of 1880, not including freedmen, is confirmed, and the Commission is directed to enroll all persons whose names are found on that roll and their descendants born since the date of the roll. It is then provided that other rolls shall be examined and that the names of all persons found on the other rolls not placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law shall be enrolled.

The only question in the case seems to be whether a confirmation of this roll by Congress entitles a person whose name appears on said roll to enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation who would not otherwise be entitled to such enrollment.

The Supreme Court in the case of *Ex parte* vs. the United States (144 U.S., 657), said:

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(Syllabus)

The fact that a marriage licence has been issued carries with it a presumption that all statutory prerequisites thereto have been complied with, and the claims to the contrary must affirmatively show the fact.

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The evidence shows that the deceased sought, in his lifetime, to become a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, took all the steps he supposed necessary therefor, considered himself a citizen, and that the Cherokee Nation, in his lifetime, recognized him as a citizen and still asserts his citizenship. Held, that, under those circumstances, it must be adjudged that he was a citizen by adoption, and consequently that the jurisdiction over the offence charged is, by the laws of the United States and treaties with the Cherokee Nation, vested in the courts of that Nation.

In the case of Daniel Red Bird, et al, vs. the United States the Supreme Court said:

The roll of 1880, made by the Cherokees, was a census roll, and its confirmation was not intended to create any rights which citizens of the Cherokee Nation had not before enjoyed, but merely to furnish the basis for making up the roll of citizens. Section 21 was in reality a statement that no previous act of Congress was intended to confirm any other roll of the Cherokee Nation.

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Section 21 of the Act of July 1, 1902, says that no person whose name does not appear on the roll made by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes "shall be entitled to in any manner participate in the distribution of the common property of the Cherokee tribe, and those whose names appear thereon shall participate in the manner set forth in this act." In other words, the roll must be made up of citizens who under the laws of the Cherokee Nation were entitled to participation in the distribution of the common property of the Cherokee tribes.

The concluding words of section 21 "with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws" emphatically indicates that Congress had the Indian citizen in mind, and went before the limited enrollment of white persons to such as might be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws.



From the foregoing quotations it is evident that the Supreme Court makes a distinction between political rights and the right to share in the distribution of the land and other property of the Cherokee Nation. This being true, it is evident that Congress did not intend that any person should be given the right to share in the property of the Cherokee Nation simply because his name was on some roll of the nation that had been confirmed by Congressional action unless it is there as a full citizen and not as a citizen with political rights only.

The Office is of the opinion that the persons whose names appear in the record enclosed are not entitled to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and the approval of the Commissioner's adverse decision is recommended.

Very respectfully,

C. F. Larrabee,

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

INDIAN DIVISION

Washington,

February 20, 1907.

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

On February 14, 1907 (Land 12493), the Indian Office transmitted your report dated January 10, 1907, in the matter of the applications for the enrollment of Frank Howard and seventy-two others as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, together with your decision, adverse to said applicants.

The Indian Office concurs in your recommendation. A copy of its letter is inclosed.

It appears that the names of said persons appear upon the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1890 and that they possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875.

In view of the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States dated November 5, 1906, in the case of Daniel Red Bird vs. the United States, it is considered that your deci-

tion, adverse to the persons, is  
affirmed.

The papers in the case and a carbon copy hereof  
sent to the Indian Office.

Respectfully,

Thos Ryan.

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REFER TO REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

Cherokee 10230.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 7, 1907.

Mary J. Wills,

Webbers Falls, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

You are advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior, February 20, 1907.

Respectfully,

W. H. H.

Commissioner.

Sherokee 652 et al.

McKague, Indian Territory, March 7, 1907.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

McKague, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed for your information a copy of Departmental decision of February 20, 1907, rejecting the applications for the enrollment of Frank Brown et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

Department of the Interior.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

MUSKOGEE, INDIAN TERR.



Wm. C. Clark,

Webber Falls, Indian Territory.



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Janie Landrum

Trans. from D1151

Trans. to 6002

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Janie Landrum, etal

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Mar. 2, 1903

Record in this case transferred  
to Cher. Jacket 6002

Transferred from Cher. D-1151

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
Office of  
SUPERINTENDENT OF THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

This is to certify that I am the officer having custody  
of the approved rolls of the citizens or members of the Five  
Civilized Tribes of Indians, and that the above and foregoing  
is a true and correct copy of that portion of one of said rolls  
as above described, covering the persons enrolled opposite the  
numbers indicated.

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Record in this  
account transferred  
to this account  
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Cher 10231

Lucy Young

Trans. from D1290

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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Salina, E. T., April 14, 1902.

In the matter of the application of LUCY YOUNG for the enrollment of herself and two children as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

LUCY YOUNG, being first duly sworn, and being examined testified as follows, through sworn interpreter James P. Butler:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Lucy Young.  
Q How old are you? A About twenty-two.  
Q What is your postoffice address? A Locust Grove.  
Q Do you live in Salina District? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you want to enroll anybody besides yourself, any children?  
A Yes sir two children.  
Q What is your husband's name? A Bill Young.  
Q He has been enrolled by the Commission? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a full blood Cherokee Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you always been recognized as a Cherokee Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your name on the tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your father? A I don't know, he is not living.  
Q How long has he been dead? A I don't know, it has been some time.  
Q What was the name of your mother? A Rhoda.  
Q Is your mother living? A I don't think she is living now.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation all your life? A Yes sir.  
Q What was your name when you married Young? A Lucy Killer.  
Q How long have you been married to Young? A About six years.  
Q What is the name of your first child? A Sallie Young.  
Q About how old is Sallie? A Eight.  
Q What is the name of the next child? A Ooyastah.  
Q How old is Ooyastah. About five months.  
Q What was your name when you were a little girl? Was it Lucy Killer? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever go by any other name than Lucy Killer before you were married? A Never did.  
Q Ever live in any other district than Salina?  
A Tahlequah District. Lived in the Tahlequah District in 1880, about twenty years ago.  
Q In what district were you born? A Was raised in Tahlequah District.  
Q Who did you live with when you were a little girl, the first you can remember? A I don't remember.  
Q Who did you live with when the 1884 payment was made, the strip money? A Lived with my mother in Tahlequah District.  
Q Did your mother have any other name than Rhoda? A That is all.  
Q Was she married to anybody? A Yes sir.  
Q Who was she married to? A Cockrum.  
Q Had your mother been living with this man Cockrum a number of years before the Strip payment was made? A Yes sir.  
Q Did she ever live with any other man besides Cockrum, before she lived with Cockrum? A No sir.  
Q Did you live with a man named Young Pig, when you were a small child? A No, I was at my mother's when I was small.  
Q Did you ever live with a man named Young Pig?  
A Yes, living there when I married.  
Q Don't you remember of ever hearing the people calling your mother by any other name? What did the neighbors call her? Was it Rhoda Cockrum? A No sir.

1880 roll examined for the applicant's name and the names of  
neither her nor her parents are found thereon.

1898 roll examined for the applicant and children, and their  
names not identified thereon.

Q How far do you live from Locust Grove? (A No answer.)

The applicant and her three children will be placed upon a  
doubtful card.

Wm. Hutchinson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer  
to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded  
the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is  
a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

*Wm. Hutchinson*


Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of April, 1902.

*M. J. [Signature]*  
Notary Public

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Statement of Applicant Taken Under Oath.

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**CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.**

Date Apr 14 1904

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Citizen by blood..... Mother's citizenship.....

Intermarried citizen .....

Married under what law..... Date of marriage.....

License..... Certificate.....

22 Wife's name Lucy Young, Locust Grove, Ga.

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Citizen by blood..... Mother's citizenship.....

Intermarried citizen .....

Married under what law..... Date of marriage.....

License..... Certificate.....

**Names of Children:**

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Affidants of birth to be  
supplied for the two children



RESIDENCE: Saline District  
POST OFFICE: Leopold Grove Id

Family No 4  
CHEROKEE NATION. CHEROKEE ROLL.

CARD NO. \_\_\_\_\_

FIELD NO. 4-D1

| Card No. | NAME         | Relationship to Person first named | AGE  | SEX | BLOOD | TRIBAL ENROLLMENT |          |     | TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OF PARENTS |      |          |                |      |          |
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| 1        | Young, Leroy |                                    | 27   | M   | Full  |                   |          |     | John Pickett                 | Dead | Squawish | Rhoda Pickett  |      | Sahlequa |
| 2        | Sallie       | Daughter                           | 8    |     |       |                   |          |     | Sproudhog                    |      | Blint    | No. 1          |      | Saline   |
| 3        | Co-gas-ka    |                                    | 5 mo |     |       |                   |          |     | No. 4                        |      | Saline   |                |      |          |
| 4        | Will         | Husband                            | 24   | M   |       |                   |          |     | Spisak Young                 | 1880 |          | Altim Young    | Dead | Delaware |
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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Salina, I. T., April 17, 1902.

In the matter of the application of WILL YOUNG for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

WILL YOUNG, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through sworn interpreter James P. Butler:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Will Young.  
Q How old are you? A Twenty-four.  
Q What is your postoffice? A Locust Grove.  
Q Do you live in Saline District? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you a wife? A Yes sir.  
Q What is her name? A Lucy Young.  
Q Have you any children? A One.  
Q What is its name? A Ooyastah.  
Q Your wife Lucy applied for herself and child day before yesterday.  
A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a full blood Cherokee Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you always been recognized as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your name on the rolls of the citizens of that Nation? A Yes.  
Q What is the name of your father? A Josiah Young.  
Q He is living, is he? A Yes sir.  
Q Is he a full blood Cherokee Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A My mother is not living, has been dead some time. Her name was All-ki-ee.  
Q Was she a full blood Cherokee? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you born and raised in the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Is your wife a citizen by blood of the Cherokee nation? A Yes. She was raised up there in Tahlequah District.  
Q Isn't she part Creek? A I don't think so.

JOSIAH YOUNG, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through sworn interpreter James P. Butler:

BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A Josiah Young.  
Q What is your age? A Forty-five.  
Q Your postoffice address? A Salina.  
Q Do you live in Saline District? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Are you the father of Will Young, the applicant here? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you living in the Cherokee nation in 1890? A Yes sir.  
Q Were you enrolled on the 1890 roll? A Yes sir.  
Q By what name were you enrolled at that time.  
A Josiah Young. I was enrolled in Saline District. I remember the census takers, Bill Foreman and John Bowling.  
Q Did you ever have any other name than Josiah Young?  
A I don't know, may have put it down something else, but I don't know. They found my name over here at Pryor Creek.  
Q Did you ever live in any other District than Saline District?  
A Lived in Delaware District.  
Q Were you living with the mother of Will Young in 1890? A Yes sir.  
Q Was she a full blood Cherokee Indian? A Yes sir.  
Q Was she enrolled in 1890 as usual? A Yes sir.  
Q Where were you living in 1890? A In Saline District.  
Q Was your son Will living with you?  
A He was in Indian jail at Tahlequah at the time.  
Q Was your son ever called William Young? A No sir.  
Q When did that's mother die? A Been a good long while, it has been a good long years.

Q Was it before the 1880 roll was made? A It was just about that time.  
 Q How long did it take after the roll was made?  
 A It took about a year to make the roll, and I was by the name of the roll.  
 Q What was the name of the roll?  
 A It was the 1880 roll.  
 Q Did you know the wife at that time? A Yes sir, her name was Lucy.  
 Q What was the name of her father? A I was not acquainted with the father.  
 Q What was the name of her mother? A I don't know.  
 Q Do you know if they were Cherokee Indians by blood? A I don't know.  
 Q In what district did they live when you first became acquainted with them?  
 A I don't know until this boy brought his wife home, about six years ago.

HARRY BRADDER, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through Sworn Interpreter James P. Butler:

Q What is your name? A Harry Bradder.  
 Q What is your age? A Thirty years.  
 Q What is your profession? A Farmer.  
 Q Are you a citizen of blood of the Cherokee nation? A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know Will Young, the applicant here? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you know him at your home at that time?  
 A About three he was quite small, his mother took him to my home.  
 Q Did Will Young ever live at your home? A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know who he lived with when the 1880 roll was made?  
 A He was there at my home at that time. I lived with my father at that time.  
 Q What was your name in 1880? A Blackie.  
 Q What district did you live in in 1880? A Saline District.  
 Q Did you know the mother of Will Young?  
 A I was not acquainted with her. I suppose I had seen her, but I was small at the time.  
 Q Do you know whether or not she was a full blood Cherokee Indian?  
 A She was a Cherokee full blood.  
 Q Do you know the wife of Will Young, Lucy Young?  
 A I don't know who she was. I didn't know her until she was brought there.

1880 roll examined for Will Young, and name not found, neither was the name of his father and mother found on that roll.

1886 roll examined for Will Young, and name not found thereon.

The applicant will be placed upon a doubtful card, with his wife and children.

Mr. Hutchinson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of April, 1902.

Notary Public.

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Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Do yas lah Young

as a citizen of

*Cherokee* Nation.

Approved

*Commissioner*

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN K&E Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of O-gas-kah Young, born on the 5 day of December, 1901.  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Will Young a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Leroy Young a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office Depew, Texas

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, Leroy Young, on oath state that I am 24  
years of age and a citizen, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation;  
that I am the lawful wife of Will Young, who is a citizen, by  
blood, of the Cherokee Nation; that a female child was  
(Male or female.)  
born to me on 5 day of December, 1901; that said child has been  
named O-gas-kah Young, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two)

Dave Alberty  
S. W. Linder

Leroy + Young  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of June, 1902

L. W. Rapdale Notary Public  
my Comm. Expires 11/17/1905  
NOTARY PUBLIC

## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY,  
Northern District.

I, Will Young, on oath state that I  
attended on Leroy Young, wife of  
on the 5 day of December, 1901; that there was born to her an  
child; that said child is now living and is child-of-the-law  
named O-gas-kah Young.

WITNESSES TO SIGN:

(Must be Two)

Dave Alberty  
S. W. Linder

Will + Young  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of June, 1902

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Case D 3143

County of ...  
State of ...

... being duly sworn and examined by ...  
certified as follows:

Sally Mahoney #3012 Tahlequah District.  
Maryitupa #3012 Tahlequah District.

... persons for ...

... and sworn to ...

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Kaukaugus, I. T., June 10, 1902.

In the matter of the application of **EMMET STARR**, et al.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation:

**EMMET STARR**, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission,  
testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Emet Starr.  
Q How old are you? A Thirty-one years.  
Q What is your post office address? A Claremore, I. T.  
Q Are you a citizen or blood of the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes, I am.  
Q To whom do you desire to make application for enrollment?  
A For the following named persons on the 1896 Cherokee roll,  
their families and descendants:

William Young #1481 Saline District, on 1896 roll as Willis Young  
Levy Young #1031 Tahlequah District on 1896 roll as  
Sawanny Young  
Also on 1896 roll page 746 #436 as Chisayu Tahlequah District.  
Sallie Rose #3014 Tahlequah District as Sallie Sawanny.  
Oneya-ah Young  
Q Are there any other persons for whom you desire to make appli-  
cation for enrollment?  
A I desire to apply for the following named persons on the 1896  
Cherokee roll, their families and their descendants:

**E. S. Bagwell**, on oath states that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the  
testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that  
the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes  
thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this December 9, 1902.

*B. C. Jones*  
Notary Public.



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Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washoe, D. C., June 20, 1900.

In the matter of the application of JAMES HENRY, ET AL.,  
for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

HENRY STARR, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission,  
testified as follows:

Q What is your name? A Henry Starr.

Q What is your age? A 34 years.

Q What is your occupation? A I am a farmer, I. T.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, I am.

Q For what do you desire to make application for enrollment?

A For the following named persons on the 1880 Cherokee roll,

their families and descendants:

Q Are there any other persons for whom you desire to make appli-  
cation for enrollment?

A I desire to apply for the following named persons on the 1880  
Cherokee roll, their families and their descendants:

I. C. Ingwell, an oath states that as stenographer to the  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the  
testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that  
the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes  
thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August 5, 1900.

J. R. [Signature]



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Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Tahlequah, I. T., August 11, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the enrollment of WILLIE YOUNG as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

TAYLOR BUCK, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through sworn interpreter Sam. Foreman:

BY COMMISSION: Your name is Taylor Buck, your age is thirty-one, and your post office address is Spavinaw, Indian Territory? A Yes sir.

Q You are a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know Willie Young? A Yes, I know him.

Q What is his post office address? A Locust Grove, I think.

Q In what district does he reside? A Seowessceowee.

Q Is he a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir.

Q Is he a Cherokee full blood? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known him? A I have known him about twelve years, I guess.

Q Has he resided in the Cherokee Nation continuously during that time? A Yes sir.

Q According to the 1896 census roll he would be now about twenty-six years of age, do you think that is correct? A Yes, that is about correct.

Q Do you know the name of his father? A Joseph Young was his father's name.

Q Is he living? A He is living.

Q Is he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.

Q In what district does he reside? A Saline District.

Q Do you know the name of the mother of Will Young? A Susan.

Q Is she living? A No sir.

Q Was she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.

The tribal rolls of the Cherokee Nation examined, and the name of applicant identified thereon as follows:

1896 roll, #1481, Saline District, as Willie Young.

1894 roll, Page 930, #1480, Will Young, Saline District.

Q Is Willie Young married? A Yes sir.

Q Is his wife a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A I don't know exactly. I understand she belongs in the Creek Nation.

Q Has Willie Young any minor children? A I think there is one child living, would not be sure about that.

Q Do you know whether the child is enrolled in the Creek Nation or not? A I don't know. In fact, he has never enrolled any of his family.

Q In either Nation? A No sir.

Q Is this child you speak of, of Will Young's, ~~father's~~ living?

A I could not state. I have not seen the child for quite a while.

Wm. Hutchinson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1902.



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Cher. D-3039.

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Tahlequah, I. T., August 26, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the enrollment of WILLIAM YOUNG and others as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

WILLIAM YOUNG, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through sworn interpreter S. R. Walkingsick:

- BY COMMISSIONER: What is your name? A William Young.
- Q How old are you? A Twenty-one.
- Q What is your post office address? A Salina.
- Q In what district do you reside? A Cooweescoowsee.
- Q For whom do you make application? A Myself, wife and two children.
- Q What is the name of your wife? A Lucy.
- Q How old is your wife? A About twenty.
- Q What is the name of your older child? A This child is just a step-child, Sallie Ross.
- Q How old is that child? A Eight.
- Q What is the name of your younger child? A Ooyawati.
- Q How old is Ooyawati? A Ten months old.
- Q Is that a boy or a girl? A Girl.
- Q Are your wife and these two children living now? A Yes sir.
- Q Do you claim to be a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir, I am a full blood.
- Q Is your wife a full blood? A Yes sir.
- Q Is this child Sallie Ross a full blood? A Yes sir, we are all full bloods.
- Q What is the name of your father? A Joshua Young.
- Q What is the name of your mother? A Olkin Young.
- Q Is she living? A She is dead. She has been dead quite a while.
- Q How long have you resided in the Cherokee Nation? A I have been in the Cherokee Nation all my life.
- Q Have you been outside of the Cherokee Nation for any purpose within the last four years? A No sir, I don't know anything but the Cherokee Nation.
- Q What is the name of your wife's father? A I don't know. My wife don't know herself.
- Q This is your wife that is present, is it? A Yes sir.
- Q Is her father living? A No sir.
- Q Was he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.
- Q In what district in the Cherokee Nation did he reside? A Tahlequah District.
- Q What is the name of your wife's mother? A Oogawa Oowamber.
- Q Is she living? A Yes sir.
- Q Is she a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.
- Q In what district in the Cherokee Nation does she reside? A Illinois District.
- Q Is your present wife the mother of Sallie Ross? A Yes sir.
- Q What is the name of the father of Sallie Ross? A Groundhog Ross.
- Q Is he living? A No sir, he is dead.
- Q Was he a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.
- Q In what district did he live? A Flint.
- Q Are you the father of Ooyawati? A Yes sir.
- Q Is your present wife the mother of that child? A Yes sir.
- Q How long has your wife resided in the Cherokee Nation? A She has been in the Cherokee Nation all her life.
- Q Has she been outside the Cherokee Nation for any purpose within the last four years? A I think not.



Q In what district were your parents residing in 1880?  
 A I am not able to state exactly. I think they were in Saline District. Would not be sure about that. I never asked them.  
 Q Do you know whether you have been enrolled by this Commission or not? A No sir, I do not.  
 Q Have you ever appeared and made application for enrollment?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Where did you appear? A I appeared before the Commission when they were at Salina, and then I went over to Pryor Creek before that time. This is the third trip I have made to the Commission.  
 Q Did you send in a birth affidavit for this child? A Yes sir.  
 Q Was receipt acknowledged of the affidavit? A Yes sir.  
 Q Has application ever been made for the enrollment of your wife?  
 A No sir.

LUCY YOUNG, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows, through sworn interpreter S. R. Walkingstick:

BY COMMISSIONER: Your name is Lucy Young? A Yes sir.  
 Q You are the wife of the applicant in this case, are you?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Do you know the name of your father? A No sir.  
 Q Your mother's present name is Chegayu Cucumber? What was her name before she married Cucumber? A I don't know.  
 Q Were you ever married before you married the applicant? A Yes sir.  
 Q What was the name of your former husband? A My first husband was named Flying.  
 Q In what district did he live? A Tahlequah District.  
 Q What is your Cherokee name? A Sahkenny.  
 Q Was Flying a very old man? A Yes sir.

1896 census roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined, and applicants identified thereon as follows:

No. 1480, Willie Young, Saline District, age 20.

Page 38, #1031, Sahkenny Flying, Tahlequah District, age 20.

Q Your name appears upon the 1896 roll, with your age as twenty. Do you think your age was given in incorrectly then, or do you think you are older than twenty now? A I am not able to say.  
 Q If you have a child eight years old now, you surely must be over twenty years of age? A I don't know my age.  
 Q Did you have a younger child than this Sallie that was living in 1896? A Yes sir.  
 Q What was the name of that child? A The child had no name. I think had not given it a name when it died. It died small.  
 Q Was this child Sallie ever known as Sallie Sahkenny? A I never knew the child to be called Sallie Sahkenny. I suppose they must have given the child that name because my name was Sahkenny.

1896 census roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined, and applicant's child identified thereon as follows:

Page 1281, #3914, Sallie Sahkenny, Tahlequah District, age 2.

Q What was your name before you were ever married? A Sahkenny is the only name I had. Sahkenny Chegayu.  
 Q In what district did you live when you were small? A Tahlequah

1880 authenticated roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined for applicant's wife, and name identified as follows:

Page 746, #486, Chegayu, Tahlequah District, native Cherokee, age 1.

APPENDANT RECALLED.

Q Have you sent to the Commission an affidavit as to the birth of this child? A Yes sir.  
Q Did the Commission advise you as to whether or not your family was enrolled? A Yes sir, as to the child's name.  
Q Did they tell you whether your child was enrolled? A Yes sir.  
Q Did you ever hear of any other name besides William Young?  
A Not that I know of.

For the land enrollment of the applicant in this case, reference is hereby made to the case of his father, Joshua Young, Cherokee-Strawberry card 2400.

Mr. Hutchinson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Wm. Hutchinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 1902.

J. H. P.  
Notary Public.

Cherokee D-1290.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Will Young, Lucy Young, Oo-yas-tah Young and Sallie Ross as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

D E C I S I O N .

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The record herein shows that on April 14, 1902, Lucy Young appeared before the Commission at Salina, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Ooyastah Young and Sallie Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation. On April 17, 1902, Will Young, the husband of said Lucy Young, appeared before the Commission at Salina, Indian Territory, and made application for his enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. Further proceedings were had in the matter of said applications at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, on August 11, and August 16, 1902.

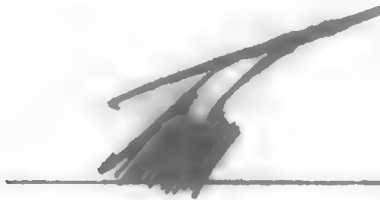
The evidence shows that the said Will Young and Lucy Young are Cherokees by blood. Will Young is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896, and on examination of the tribal rolls in possession of this Commission it appears that his father, Joshua or Josiah Young, is identified on the Authenticated tribal roll of 1880. Lucy Young is identified on the Authenticated tribal roll of 1880 and on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Sallie Ross is a child of said Lucy Young by a former husband, and she is identified on the Cherokee Census Roll of 1896. Oo-yas-tah Young is a child of said Will and Lucy Young, and is identified by a birth affidavit made a part of this record.

The evidence further shows that the said Will and Lucy Young have resided in the Cherokee Nation all their lives, and it is considered that Sallie Ross and Oo-yas-tah Young have resided in said Nation since their birth.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Will Young, Lucy Young, Oo-yas-tah Young and Sallie Ross should be enrolled as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance

with the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.



Acting Chairman.



Commissioner.



Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

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COPY.

Cherokee D-1280

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 11, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting the application of Will Young for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and granting the application of his wife, Lucy Young for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Co-yan-tah Young and Sallie Ross, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

James D. Kirby,

Chairman.

Enc. D-1280



Cherokee B-2200.

Washago, Indian Territory, March 23, 1903.

Will Young,

Locust Grove, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of yourself, and the application of your wife, Lucy Young, for the enrollment of herself and her two minor children, Sallie Rose and Co-yea-tah Young, as citizens by blood, of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tams Eixby.

Chairman.

Enc. B-14.

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Drucilla Lowrey

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Department of the Interior  
Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes  
Muskogee, Okla. May 30, 1904

In the matter of the application of JAMES STARR, of Muskogee, Okla., for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

JAMES STARR, being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

- Q What is your name? A James Starr.
- Q How old are you? A Thirty one years.
- Q What is your office address? A Muskogee, Okla. T.
- Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation?

A I was born in Canada, desired to make application for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation, and was sworn on the 10th day of May, 1904, and became a citizen.

Annella Lowrey, page 59, # 156, Canadian District; White map-  
ped.  
Note: Living with husband, Return J. Lowrey, Briar Town,  
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- Q Are there any other persons for whom you desire to make appli-  
cation for enrollment?  
A Yes, I desire to apply for the following named persons on the 1900  
Census rolls, their families and their descendants:

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R. C. Russell, on oath states that, as Vice-Chief of the  
Cherokee Nation, Five Civilized Tribes, he  
has examined the above and in the above  
is an accurate transcript of his statements.

*R. C. Russell*

Witness my hand and seal at Muskogee, Okla., this 25th day of May, 1904.

*W. H. Jones*  
W. H. Jones.

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Cher. D-2598.

Department of the Interior.  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Tahlequah, I. T., August 13, 1902.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY AND PROCEEDINGS in the matter of the enrollment of DRUCILLA LOWREY as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

ROBERT E. WEST, being first duly sworn, and being examined, testified as follows:

BY COMMISSION: Your name is Robert E. West, you are thirty-one years of age, and your post office address is Bennett, Indian Territory? A Yes sir.  
Q You are a recognized citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Drucilla Lowrey, a white woman? A I have seen her a few times.  
Q Do you know her present post office address? A No sir.  
Q Do you know whether or not she resides in the Cherokee Nation? A I would not be sure, but I think she is out living in Oklahoma somewhere, that is where they went to when they left.  
Q Did she marry a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
Q To whom was she married? A Return Lowrey, I think.  
Q Have she and Return Lowrey lived together continuously since that time? A They lived together for a while.  
Q Did they then separate? A She ran off with a white fellow.  
Q How long did she live with Return Lowrey? A I don't remember.  
Q She ran off with another man? A Yes sir.  
Q Was that a white man? A Yes sir.

MR. HASTINGS: She left him? A Yes sir.  
Q About how far did she live from you? A About sixteen miles from where I live now. I was raised right with them, right by them. Me and Return was children together.  
Q You lived in that neighborhood at that time? A Not at that time that this woman ran off with this man. I was living at Bennett and going and fro.  
Q You know him quite well? A Yes sir.  
Q About how long ago was it that she ran off with this white man, as much as four or five years ago? A I don't think it was quite that long, three years ago anyway. Would not be positive about it. Seems to me it is as long as three years.  
Q You never have heard of her back in there? A No sir.  
Q What is Return Lowrey's post office? A Briar.

BY COMMISSION: Is it a matter of neighborhood knowledge that she and this white man are living together as husband and wife?  
A I don't know them to be married, but they were living together.

1896 census roll of citizens of the Cherokee Nation examined, and applicant identified therein as follows:

Page 89, #186, Drucilla Lowrey, Canadian District, age 20.

Wm. Hutchinson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 1902.

*John H. Pearson*  
John H. Pearson, Notary



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
Muskegee, I. T., October 23, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Drucilla Lowrey for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

RETURN J. LOWRY, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

- Q What is your name, Mr. Lowry? A Return J. Lowrey.  
Q What's your age, Mr. Lowrey? A About thirty-four.  
Q What's your postoffice? A Briartown.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q What's your wife's name? A Drucilla.  
Q Drucilla Lowrey? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is she a white woman? A Yes, sir.  
Q And you want to make application for her enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage? A Yes, sir.  
Q She does not claim to have any Cherokee blood, does she?  
A No, sir.  
Q She claims her right through her marriage to you? A Yes, sir.  
Q When were you married to your wife, Drucilla? A '92, September 4th.  
Q September 4, '92? A Yes, sir.  
Q Where were you married, Mr. Lowrey? A Mr. Latta's house.  
Q Who married you? A A preacher by the name of McCarrson; Nat McCarrson.  
Q Did you get a marriage certificate? A No, sir.  
Q Is there anybody here who was present and saw you married?  
A Mrs. Bird over there.  
Q Were you ever married before you were married to Drucilla?  
A No, sir.  
Q Was she ever married before she was married to you? A No, sir.  
Q Have you and she lived together all the time since your marriage up to the present time? A No, sir.  
Q You have been separated? A No separated.  
Q When? A Two years ago.  
Q You were separated when you made your original application two years ago? A Yes, sir.  
Q And did not include her at that time? A No, sir.  
Q How long were you separated? A Six months or over.  
Q Where were you living when you separated? A Living in Briartown.  
Q Same place you live now? A Same place I live now.  
Q Did you leave her at she leave you? A She left me.  
Q Did you have a falling out before she left? A Yes, sir, we had a falling out.  
Q Had a little racket, did you? A Yes, sir, family row.  
Q And while she was mad she left the house? A Yes, sir.  
Q And went back and lived together? A Yes, sir.  
Q Stayed apart about six months? A Yes, sir.  
Q And she come back and want to living with you? A Yes, sir.  
Q And have been living together ever since your marriage with the exception of those six months? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you and she living together on the first day of September, 1902? A Yes, sir.  
Q Has she lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time since '92 up to the present time? A Yes, sir.

Q Is this boy, Jack, your child by your wife, Drucilla? A Yes, sir.  
Q Is he living? A Yes, sir.  
Q Lived all his life in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q You have lived in the Cherokee Nation all the time since 1880 up to the present time? A Yes, sir.

LINY BIRD, being sworn, testified as follows:

By the Commission,

Q What's your name? A Liny Bird.  
Q Are you a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q How old are you, Mr. Bird? A Forty-eight.  
Q Do you know Return J. Lowrey? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know his wife? A Yes, sir.  
Q How long have you known his wife? A I have known her about ten years, I guess.  
Q Did you know her before she and Mr. Lowrey were married? A Yes, sir.  
Q Do you know when they were married? Remember the time they were married? A Well, I was there.  
Q Don't remember the year? A No, sir.  
Q Where were they married? A They was married at Mr. Latta's.  
Q In the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir.  
Q Were you present when they were married? A I come in just a few minutes at the time they were married.  
Q You were in just a few minutes? A Yes, sir.  
Q You knew, then, that they were married? A They told me.  
Q Have they lived together as husband and wife since then? A Yes, sir, since the time they married.  
Q Living together now? A Yes, sir.  
Q Living together on the first day of September, 1902, as husband and wife, were they? A Yes, sir.  
Q Are they considered as husband and wife there where they are living by everybody? A Yes, sir.  
Q And have been considered so since the marriage you speak of? A Yes, sir.

Betta Chick, being first duly sworn, states that, as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, she recorded the testimony and proceedings in the matter of the foregoing application, and that the above is a true and complete transcript of her stenographic notes thereof.

*Betta Chick*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of December, 1902.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of  
Drucilla Lowrey as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

DECISION.

The record herein shows that on June 30, 1902, Emmet Starr appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and made application for the enrollment of Drucilla Lowrey as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. On October 25, 1902, Return J. Lowrey, husband of said Drucilla Lowrey, appeared before the Commission at Muskogee, Indian Territory, and renewed the application for his wife.

The evidence shows that Drucilla Lowrey was married on September 4, 1892, to Return J. Lowrey, a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, who has been enrolled as such by this Commission, his enrollment number being 16853. It also appears that Jack Lowrey, a son of said Return J. and Drucilla Lowrey, has been enrolled by this Commission, his enrollment number being 16854. Drucilla Lowrey is identified on the Cherokee census roll of 1896.

The evidence further shows that Drucilla Lowrey lived in the Cherokee Nation with her husband from her marriage to him until 1900, when a separation took place which extended for a period of about six months, when she again began to live with her said husband, and lived continuously with him in said Nation up to and including September 1, 1902.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that Drucilla Lowrey should be enrolled as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898 (30 Stats., 495), and it is so ordered.

COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

  
Acting Chairman.

  
Commissioner.

  
C. D. Buckinridge  
Commissioner

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this MAR - 2 1903

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.  
MUSKOGEE, I. T., MARCH 1, 1905.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS had in the matter of the application for the enrollment of PRISCILLA LOWRY as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

RETURN J. LOWRY, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

BY THE COMMISSION:

- Q What is your name? A Return J. Lowry.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you know Priscilla Lowry? A Yes sir.  
Q She any relation of yours? A Wife of mine by marriage.  
Q Is she a white woman? A Yes sir.  
Q She claims no rights as a citizen by blood? A No sir.  
Q She claims by intermarriage through you? A Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to her? A 1893.  
Q Did you have a marriage certificate? A When we were married according to Cherokee laws there was no license or certificate to be issued; we were married at Webbers Falls.  
Q Is she your first wife? A Yes sir.  
Q You her first husband? A Yes sir.  
Q Have you and she lived together ever since? Ever since.  
Q Any separation, abandonment or divorce during that time? A No sir.  
Q Is she living today? A Yes sir.  
Q Where have you and she lived since your marriage? A There in Canadian District, Cherokee Nation.  
Q Never made your home anywhere else? A No sir.

The husband of the applicant is identified on Cherokee Field Card No. 7060, and in No. 16863 upon the final schedule approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

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George H. Lesley, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he reported the proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*George H. Lesley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1905.

*James White*  
Notary Public.



## Department of the Interior, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes

In the matter of the application for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage  
of the Cherokee Nation, of James Watson, et al.

### DECISION.

THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW: That prior to October 31, 1902, applications were received by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes for the enrollment, as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, of the following named persons who are listed for enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation on the Cherokee Enrollment cards corresponding to the numbers following their respective names, viz:

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| James Watson         | 5   | Scott Harless       | 294 |
| Benjamin W. Williams | 8   | Emma Phillips       | 307 |
| Lena Severs          | 19  | John Whisenhunt     | 360 |
| Sarah E. McCay       | 21  | Tilman Chance       | 373 |
| Joseph Herberger     | 23  | Thomas A. Sheffield | 384 |
| Lena Severs          | 43  | Vester C. Martin    | 388 |
| William W. Barnes    | 43  | William Grigsby     | 417 |
| Georgia Wood         | 54  | William J. Lagen    | 508 |
| Walter A. Edens      | 62  | Joseph P. Willis    | 584 |
| Adda B. Ward         | 69  | James T. Miller     | 588 |
| Samuel G. Victor     | 73  | George A. Waters    | 632 |
| Sarah M. Thomas      | 109 | Janette Messer      | 666 |
| William B. Watson    | 165 | Joseph A. Patton    | 679 |
| William H. Ford      | 173 | Benjamin G. Holland | 763 |
| Thomas N. Wilson     | 185 | William Gordon      | 788 |
| Ukie Ann Smith       | 206 | Maggie Patterson    | 804 |
| Susan M. Perry       | 208 | Martha M. Bruner    | 823 |
| Gertrude Malone      | 224 | Emma Morris         | 843 |
| Hugh Willis          | 229 | Saul Fivokiller     | 867 |
| Mary A. Willis       | 248 | John F. Carden      | 881 |
| John W. Thurman      | 265 | William H. Burrow   | 887 |



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 Susan Hogg 983  
 David L. Scott 993  
 James C. Taylor 1029  
 Roxie Shepard 1065  
 Robert G. Elgin 1073  
 William Hall 1089  
 Mary Ella Lattimore 1090  
 Maggie J. Keys 1092  
 Joseph M. Cornell 1094  
 Jane Ratley 1099  
 George E. Norton 1111  
 Mahala D. Thompson 1128  
 Charles M. Trammel 1136  
 Flora Carlile 1137  
 William H. Norrell 1141  
 Olivia Benge 1149  
 Dolie Wilson 1177  
 Moses Bell 1225  
 Sarah Fleetwood 1234  
 Rosa E. Fargo 1247  
 William M. Oliver 1264  
 Andrew J. Couch 1265  
 Lina Hyles 1275  
 Mary M. Miller 1276  
 Mary E. Taylor 1278  
 Polly Ann Benge 1279  
 Margaret Moton 1290  
 Minnie McKinney 1299  
 Nettie Seabolt 1333  
 Lawrence G. Faulkner 1340  
 Sarah A. Holt 1347  
 Jennette Polecat 1350  
 Ellen Seabolt 1368  
 Charles W. Nettles 1369  
 Lena Sittingdown 1385  
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 Odie Pidecock 1418  
 Silas A. Saterfield 1433  
 Laura J. Jeremiah 1440  
 Etta Hicks 1492  
 Mary A. B. McKinney 1508

Mollie Moton 1554  
 Andrew Walters 1573  
 John H. Holder 1610  
 Mary M. Barr 1612  
 Thomas J. Bonham 1644  
 George Headrick 1663  
 Dr. B. Brewer 1709  
 Annie Cordrey 1717  
 Adam Eckert 1722  
 Isaac Timmons 1726  
 Gent Gibson 1727  
 Anas Anderson 1731  
 William J. Mounts 1734  
 James D. Alexander 1745  
 Wilfr. E. Miles 1769  
 Lora Adair 1781  
 John Yarbrough 1796  
 Lillie M. Dassel 1802  
 Bryant C. Redington 1804  
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 Richard Dukes 1811  
 Fannie Pettit 1816  
 Geneva Pool 1817  
 Mollie Crossland 1822  
 Lizzie Benge 1828  
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 Edward P. White 1884  
 Lauren P. Green 1887  
 Charles Rosser 1898  
 Fay Adair 1913  
 Henrietta Irving 1920  
 Bird Trippard 1925  
 John C. Carlile 1937  
 John W. Gilstrap 1954  
 Sarah Young 2018  
 Nancy A. Coleman 2040  
 James N. Whisenhunt 2118  
 Hiram Stephens 2157  
 Asa L. Guinn 2159  
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 Thomas J. Measles 2192  
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 Sarah Crutchfield 2224  
 Henry E. Lee 2251  
 Sarah Griggs 2256  
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 Henry C. Pennel 2271  
 Matilda S. Cleland 2302  
 Dona A. Frazier 2312  
 Laura B. Cordrey 2320

Lafayette D. Kindred 2328  
 Pearl V. Sisson 2339  
 Nancy J. Sevier 2380  
 Mollie Hair 2385  
 Dora Sayers 2474  
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| William F. Sager     | D 280 | Amos W. Lord          | D 746 |
| Loviek P. Garrison   | D 334 | Agnes N. Childers     | D 749 |
| Henry Grubb          | D 338 | John E. Renfrow       | D 752 |
| Lucy F. Lacey        | D 340 | William Coon          | D 759 |
| Callie Elovins       | D 341 | Louis Bruere          | D 772 |
| James S. Alvey       | D 345 | Georgia A. Waybourn   | D 780 |
| Shadrack C. Wallen   | D 368 | Eliza Fields          | D 787 |
| Ada Hall             | D 378 | William H. Brown      | D 788 |
| Jane M. Hicks        | D 386 | William A. Cox        | D 793 |
| Fannie L. Dupree     | D 402 | Charles A. Robison    | D 799 |
| Willie Battles, Jr.  | D 404 | Artha Williams        | D 800 |
| Joshua W. Ellis      | D 413 | Adam Garhart          | D 806 |
| Nina B. Owen         | D 420 | Cleora F. Rogers      | D 825 |
| John M. Ridemour     | D 422 | Annie Garrett         | D 826 |
| Emory S. Thompson    | D 424 | George S. Yarbrough   | D 826 |



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| Rhoda A. Sanders      | D 878  | Ella Vann            | D 1320 |
| Manuel Spencer        | D 884  | Linnie Wofford       | D 1330 |
| Benjamin H. Hulbert   | D 891  | Minnie Downing       | D 1332 |
| Mary Brassfield       | D 935  | Katie Rider          | D 1334 |
| James L. Tindle       | D 944  | Samuel G. Mills      | D 1337 |
| Silas G. Reneckar     | D 966  | Alfred H. Woods      | D 1342 |
| Eliza Wofford         | D 967  | Cynthia Whitekiller  | D 1352 |
| Jasper L. Newton      | D 971  | Susie McSpadden      | D 1361 |
| John N. Guinn         | D 974  | Martha J. Houston    | D 1363 |
| Hannah Parson         | D 989  | Samuel M. Collier    | D 1367 |
| Nellie C. Helderbrand | D 1003 | Katy Payne           | D 1369 |
| Thomas J. Welch, Jr.  | D 1006 | Joseph H. Warren     | D 1375 |
| Lissie Christian      | D 1010 | Mattie Miller        | D 1433 |
| George Hazlewood      | D 1013 | S. F. Moore          | D 1434 |
| James M. Jones        | D 1022 | Addie Schrimsher     | D 1448 |
| Reuben A. Evans       | D 1032 | Fannie Vann          | D 1458 |
| Carrie H. Cobb        | D 1049 | Marcella Blakeney    | D 1474 |
| John M. Burns         | D 1069 | G. W. Williamson     | D 1555 |
| Sarah E. Henson       | D 1083 | C. F. Walker         | D 1558 |
| Laura D. Henson       | D 1086 | Louisa Blevins       | D 1567 |
| Hettie E. Downing     | D 1090 | Frank Cowles         | D 1581 |
| Benjamin F. Crain     | D 1099 | Mary Francis Madding | D 1637 |
| Benjamin Strickler    | D 1129 | Thomas Rodman        | D 1661 |
| Nancy Spaniard        | D 1130 | Katie Still          | D 1866 |
| Annie Wilson          | D 1131 | Ira Crouch           | D 1913 |
| Ora H. Maxwell        | D 1135 | D. A. Mounts         | D 1967 |
| Reuben W. Moore       | D 1136 | J. C. Sefton         | D 1991 |
| Cora Childs           | D 1146 | Jennie Holland       | D 2024 |
| Janie Hughes          | D 1179 | Lou Sanders          | D 2216 |
| Francis B. Reid       | D 1180 | Caroline Barnes      | D 2591 |
| Martha Carey          | D 1195 | Lacey Crane          | D 2592 |
| Christina Johnson     | D 1199 | Daisy Cash           | D 2595 |
| Louvenia Ironside     | D 1208 | Hiram A. Landers     | D 2599 |
| Martha J. Henson      | D 1218 | Charles Neel         | D 2603 |
| David A. Martin       | D 1228 | Mattie Robinson      | D 2605 |
| Fred D. McEnery       | D 1235 | Jennie Rich          | D 2606 |
| Nathaniel R. Martin   | D 1261 | Alexander C. Russell | D 2607 |
| James H. Requa        | D 1266 | Pricilla Ross        | D 2608 |
| Frank Carver          | D 1267 | Tom W. Reeves        | D 2609 |
| Etta B. Payne         | D 1270 | Mary Smart           | D 2612 |
| Mary Garrett          | D 1271 | Rufus Tidmore        | D 2613 |
| Joe W. Goodman        | D 1272 | Jasper Turquitt      | D 2614 |
| Mathew J. Flanigan    | D 1274 | Mabel West           | D 2618 |
| Lissie C. Holland     | D 1285 | Ophelia West         | D 2619 |
| Etta Downing          | D 1291 | Cora Whisenhunt      | D 2620 |
| William Caywood       | D 1296 | Katy Martin          | D 2667 |
| Clarence W. Turner    | D 1307 | Willie Butler        | D 2686 |
| Alfred Chaney         | D 1313 | Claud Barger         | D 2687 |
| Euphemia Sweetwater   | D 1314 | Dicie Conner         | D 2698 |
| Wm. Russell           | D 1319 | John Culwell         | D 2699 |

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| Albert C. Dykes       | D 2703 | Ellen Rogers        | D 2822 |
| Delora Drew           | D 2704 | Elijah Rolland      | D 2827 |
| Frank F. Danderson    | D 2705 | Endora Steele       | D 2828 |
| James Gafford         | D 2708 | William M. Stucker  | D 2829 |
| Anna L. Harlin        | D 2715 | Sallie Tauumecie    | D 2831 |
| William R. Lipsey     | D 2717 | Mary Tassie         | D 2832 |
| Bertha Landrum        | D 2718 | John F. Wolf        | D 2835 |
| Lila More             | D 2722 | Ruth A. Ward        | D 2840 |
| John D. Mathews       | D 2723 | Winnie Daugherty    | D 2884 |
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| Bertha Nidiffer       | D 2730 | Lydia Long          | D 2890 |
| Richard Nichols       | D 2731 | Edda Roberts        | D 2887 |
| William S. Ross       | D 2738 | Manda Ward          | D 2889 |
| Irene Riley           | D 2739 | Elmira J. Alberty   | D 2905 |
| William H. Rowley     | D 2740 | Thomas C. Cordray   | D 2906 |
| Colombus C. Seroggins | D 2741 | Edward Fowler       | D 2907 |
| Della Summers         | D 2743 | Dora Foreman        | D 2908 |
| William S. Sage       | D 2744 | Parker Holt         | D 2909 |
| Elisa Thomas          | D 2748 | John Haston         | D 2910 |
| John P. Thurman       | D 2749 | Georgie Harlin      | D 2911 |
| Mary E. Davis         | D 2770 | Percillia Johnson   | D 2913 |
| Jessie Frick          | D 2774 | Bettie Morton       | D 2915 |
| Enna Buffington       | D 2788 | Samantha Spade      | D 2917 |
| Will Black            | D 2789 | Mariah Ward         | D 2918 |
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| Effie Grayham         | D 2798 | James A. Hankins    | D 2988 |
| Alice C. Hill         | D 2799 | Joseph Hardee       | D 2991 |
| Bertha H. Harlin      | D 2800 | Tennie Horn         | D 2992 |
| Margrett C. Hudson    | D 2801 | Eveline Hall        | D 2993 |
| Joseph A. Kelley      | D 2803 | John E. Leftwich    | D 2995 |
| Andrew O. Kepler      | D 2804 | Mattie Henson       | D 2994 |
| Josephine King        | D 2805 | John D. Colvard     | D 2998 |
| Sarah Jane Birdsong   | D 2806 | Charles W. Phillips | D 2999 |
| Marion Maddox         | D 2807 | Sarah Shanks        | D 3000 |
| John A. McKensie      | D 2808 | Nettie Young        | D 3009 |
| Ione McGee            | D 2809 | Jerry P. Ables      | D 3046 |
| Ollie Miller          | D 2810 | Almedie Ross        | D 3063 |
| William A. Martin     | D 2811 | John S. J. Fowler   | D 3066 |
| Jesse P. Morrow       | D 2812 | Leaner Hood         | D 3066 |
| Oliver Mason          | D 2813 | James D. Jackson    | D 3067 |
| Edna Whitehead        | D 2814 | Emma G. Nelson      | D 3068 |
| Charley Nuckolls      | D 2815 | Alice Simco         | D 3069 |
| Etta M. Nidiffer      | D 2817 | George O. Wallace   | D 3069 |
| Louise Owens          | D 2818 | Fannie Clay         | D 3070 |
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| Lue Fish           | D | 3081 | Della Baldrige    | R | 105 |
| Horace Gray        | D | 3082 | Samuel Richey     | R | 107 |
| Lula Pack          | D | 3083 | Malissa Fields    | R | 144 |
| Lelia C. Harris    | D | 3084 | Fred Zimmerman    | R | 220 |
| Thomas Jones       | D | 3086 | Ella Anspach      | R | 241 |
| Benjamin Laws      | D | 3088 | Michael R. Miser  | R | 266 |
| Martha Spade       | D | 3092 | Belle A. Powell   | R | 352 |
| Julian Wyrick      | D | 3093 | Austin L. Hill    | R | 420 |
| Samuel Harlan      | D | 3157 | Mary L. Dudley    | R | 439 |
| Lissie Pharris     | D | 3171 | Stephen Haslett   | R | 465 |
| Jack Michael       | D | 3172 | Mary A. Payne     | R | 484 |
| Sarah E. Davis     | D | 3176 | Rebecca Benge     | R | 543 |
| Grace Guthrie      | D | 3181 | Sarah Wilson      | R | 513 |
| Mary E. Thornton   | D | 3183 | Dora Crane        | R | 628 |
| Mamie Thompson     | R | 4    | Andrew Sitrell    | R | 642 |
| Jimmie G. Thompson | R | 5    | John Sitrell      | R | 642 |
| William T. Kelly   | R | 10   | Lillie May Wilson | R | 643 |
| Alice Tidwell      | R | 19   | Ollie A. Barger   | R | 656 |
| Rosenna McLaughlin | R | 41   | Ida Hawkins       | R | 671 |
| Martha A. Perdue   | R | 45   | Lizzie Davis      | R | 761 |
| Gabriel L. Payne   | R | 61   | Clara M. Emmons   | R | 803 |

THE RECORDS FURTHER SHOW: That said persons possess no right to enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation other than by intermarriage, and that no one of said persons claims to have been married to a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation prior to November 1, 1875. The name of no one of said persons is identified on the Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED: That in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, dated November 4, 1906, in the cases of Daniel Red Bird, et al., vs. the United States, Nos. 126, 126, 127 and 128, said applicants are not entitled, under the provisions of Section twenty-one of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1906 (30 Stat. 495), to enrollment as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, and their applications for enrollment as such are accordingly denied.

Commissioner.

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,

this January 10, 1907.

COPY.

Cherokee D-2503

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 9, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 8, 1903, granting the application of Drucilla Lowrey for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

You are hereby advised that you will be allowed fifteen days from date hereof, in which to file such protest as you may desire to make against the action of the Commission in this case, a copy of which protest you will be required to serve upon the applicant. If you fail to file protest within the time allowed, this decision will be considered final.

Respectfully,

*James Dixby.*

Chairman.

Enc. M-309

COPY.

Cherokee D-2598.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 28, 1903.

Return J. Lowrey,

Briartown, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated March 2, 1903, granting your application for the enrollment of your wife, Drucilla Lowrey, as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

*James Bixby*

Chairman.

Enc. H-2.

Register.

Cherokee 10812

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 10, 1907.

Dynella Lowrey,

Priartown, Indian Territory.

Dear Madam:

There is inclosed a copy of the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting, among others, the application for your enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation. The Commissioner's decision has this day been forwarded to the Secretary of the Interior for review. You will be advised of the Secretary's action as soon as this office is informed of same.

Respectfully,

Incl. Decn. — 2 —

Commissioner.



Cherokee

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

Dracilla Lowrey,

Briartown, Indian Territory.

Dear madam:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 10, 1907, rejecting your application for enrollment as a citizen by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

Cherokee  
et al.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 14, 1907.

W. V. Hartings,

Attorney for Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the decision of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated January 29, 1907, rejecting the application for the enrollment of James Watson, et al., as citizens by intermarriage of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Department, January 26, 1907.

For your information, there is enclosed herewith a copy of Departmental decision referred to.

Respectfully,

Commissioner,

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Trans. from N 373

Reported as to Jan C. Yeagin

Department of the Interior,  
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Tahlequah, I. T. December, 11th 1900.

In the Matter of the application of Scott A. Yeagin for the enrollment of himself, wife and one child as Cherokee citizens. He being sworn before Commissioner Breakinridge testified as follows:-

Q What is your name? A. Scott A. Yeagin.  
Q How old are you? A. 29.  
Q What is your present office address? A. Southwest City, Mo.  
Q Are you a Cherokee by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q What degree of blood do you claim? A. 1/2.  
Q For whom did you make application? A. Myself, wife and one child.  
Q Have you lived in the Cherokee Nation all your life? A. No sir, I was born and raised here, but have been out of it as much as two or three years. I am working now in Southwest City.  
Q What is your occupation? A. Clerk in a store.  
Q Are your wife and child living with you? A. Yes sir.  
Q Have you any property in the Cherokee Nation? A. Yes sir.  
Q What is it? A. Stock and a farm.  
Q Do you derive any revenue from that property? A. Yes sir.  
Q How long have you owned it? A. 8 years.  
Q When did you first go out of the Cherokee Nation to seek work? A. 4 years ago, I have been back once in that time.  
Q Do you keep house in Southwest City? A. Yes sir.  
Q Do you own any property there? A. No sir.  
Q Were you living in Southwest City on the 25th day of June 1900? A. Yes sir I think I was.  
Q And you resided continuously in the Cherokee Nation from your birth until you went to Southwest City? A. Yes sir and have been living here ever since then.  
Q How long did you live here that time? A. 2 or 3 months.  
Q Were you living on your farm then? A. No sir with my father, the house on my farm had burned down and I had to stay with my father.  
Q What is your father's name? A. James G.  
Q Is he living? A. Yes sir.  
Q Is he a Cherokee? A. No sir, my mother is.  
Q What is her name? A. Mary.  
Q Is she living? A. Yes sir.  
Q And is she a recognized citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood? A. Yes sir.  
Q Is your name on the 1890 roll? A. Yes sir.  
Q What district were you living in then? A. Delaware.  
Q What district were you living in in 1900? A. Delaware district, I was the 1890 census roll of that district.  
Q What is your wife's name? A. Ida G.  
Q Is she living? A. Yes sir.  
Q How old is she? A. 25.  
Q Is she a Cherokee or white woman? A. White.  
Q What is the name of her father? A. James Simms.  
Q What is her mother's name? A. Emma.  
Q Are her parents both living? A. Yes sir.  
Q What is the name of your child? A. Marjorie G.  
Q How old is she? A. 4 years old.  
Q Is she alive and living with you at this time? A. Yes sir.  
Q Is she a child by your present wife? A. Yes sir.  
Q When were you married to your wife? A. Feb, 24, 1896.  
Q Were you ever married before? A. No sir.  
Q Was she? A. No sir.  
Q Have you and she lived together continuously since your marriage? A. Yes sir.

The applicant produces a certified copy of the marriage records of Delaware District issued by J. T. Parks, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Cherokee Nation, certifying that Scott A. Yeagin a citizen of



Scott A. Yeargin 73.

the Cherokee Nation was united in marriage to Ida G. Yeargin a white woman on the 24 day of February, 1900, at J. R. Huntington, Clerk of Delaware district, Cherokee Nation. This is filed herewith.

1899 roll, page 348, No 2115, Scott A. Yeargin, Delaware dist.  
1900 348 2115 Scott A. Yeargin.  
1901 348 2115 Ida G. Yeargin.

The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself and one child and Cherokee citizens by blood and his wife as a Cherokee citizen by inter-marriage. He is listed on the unenrolled roll of 1899 and on the census roll of 1900 as a white man. He has been his name in the Cherokee Nation for the past four years during which time he has resided in Southwestern Oklahoma, where he has been engaged in business. He has always claimed the Cherokee Nation as his home, and he will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by blood. When he files with the Commission properly executed affidavits of birth as to his child, it also will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by blood. His wife is a white woman, and she is identified on the roll of 1900 as an adopted white. He produced satisfactory proof as to his marriage to her in Feb., 1900. This was too late for her to acquire property rights as an inter-married citizen under the Cherokee law of 1899, consequently the application for her enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by inter-marriage is rejected. Applicant swears that he and his wife have been living together continuously since 1896 and that neither of them were previously married.

Chas. von Weise, being sworn states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes he reported in full all the proceedings in the above case and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct transcript of his stenographic notes therein.

Chas von Weise  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st of December, 1900.

*Chas von Weise*  
*Ther...*  
Commissioner.



**CHEROKEES BY BLOOD AND ADOPTION.**

Name Scott A. Yeargin Date DEC 11 1900 1000.  
South West City, Mo

District DELAWARE Year 1880 Page 345 No. 3113

Citizen by blood yes Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen \_\_\_\_\_

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's name Ida C. Yeargin

District \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Citizen by blood \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Intermarried citizen yes

Married under what law \_\_\_\_\_ Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

License \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_\_\_

**Names of Children:**

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No 2 - affidavit of birth to be supplied

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TAHLEQUAH, I.T., DECEMBER 11th, 1900.

SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY in the matter of the application of  
Scott A. Yeargain for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Na-  
tion:

Said Yeargain being duly sworn, testified as follows: Exam-  
nation by the COMMISSION:

Q Mr. Yeargain, when you were living in Southwest City, Missouri,  
did you ever exercise the right of suffrage up there; that is, did  
you ever vote? A Yes.

Q Either in the State or National election? A Yes, sir, I did.

Q Did you vote at the last National election? A Yes, sir.

Q Did you vote at any time previous to that? A I voted in the  
City election.

Q Did you exercise the right of suffrage as a citizen of the  
United States at the last election? A Yes, sir.

Q Was your vote contested? A No, mine was not. I voted here  
every election.

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J. O. Rossen, being first duly sworn, states that as steno-  
grapher to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly  
recorded the testimony of the above named witness and that the  
forgoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic  
notes thereof.

*J. O. Rossen*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 1900.

*Thos. H. ...*  
Commissioner.

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IN RE

Application for Enrollment of

INFANT CHILD

Marjorie C. Yeargain.  
is a citizen of

Cherokee

Nation

Approved,

JAN 8 1901

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Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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DIVISION OF THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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CASE # 6426.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

IN RE Application for Enrollment, as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation,  
of Marjorie C. Yeargain, born on the 12 day of Jan, 1897.  
(Here insert name of child.)  
Name of Father: Scott A. Yeargain, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Name of Mother: Ida C. Yeargain, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.  
Post-office, Southwest City, Missouri.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MOTHER.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

District. }

I, Ida C. Yeargain, on oath state that I am twenty five years of age and a citizen, by marriage, of the Cherokee Nation; that I am the lawful wife of Scott A. Yeargain, who is a citizen, by birth, of the Cherokee Nation, that a female child was born to me on the 12 day of Jan, 1897; that said child has been named Marjorie C. Yeargain, and is now living.

WITNESSES TO SIGN

(Must be Two Witnesses)

Ida C. Yeargain,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Dec, 1900.

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## AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, OR MIDWIFE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INDIAN TERRITORY.

District. }

I, L. S. Holcomb M.D., Physician, on oath state that I attended on Mrs. Ida C. Yeargain wife of Scott A. Yeargain on the 12 day of Jan, 1897; that there was born to her on said date a female child; that said child is now living and is said to have been named Marjorie C. Yeargain.

WITNESSES TO SIGN

(Must be Two)

L. S. Holcomb M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Dec, 1900.

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washburn, I. T., June 20, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargin, for  
the enrollment of himself, wife and child, as citizens by blood of  
the Cherokee:

Appearances:

Preston C. West, for the applicant;  
W. V. Hastings, for the Cherokee Nation.

SCOTT A. YEARGIN, being duly sworn, and examined, testified  
as follows:

Examined by Preston C. West, Esq:

Q You are the Scott A. Yeargin that made application here to the  
Commission on December 11, 1900, for yourself, wife and child?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You stated then that you are the son of James S. Yeargin?  
A Yes sir.  
Q And of Mary Yeargin?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You also stated, I believe, that you were born in the Cherokee  
Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any brothers and sisters?  
A Yes sir, I have.  
Q How many?  
A I have three brothers and two sisters.  
Q How many living?  
A That many living.  
Q They are all living?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Among those in the name of Joseph?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is he also an applicant for enrollment here?  
A He is.  
Q Is Joseph Yeargin married or single?  
A He's single.  
Q Is he older or younger than you are?  
A He's older.  
Q How much older?  
A Ten years.  
Q Was he brought to the Indian Territory when your parents came  
here?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Has he any property in the Cherokee Nation?  
A He has.  
Q Are you interested in the same property with him?  
A I am.  
Q Of what does that property consist?  
A We have a farm, and  
stock, and a store.  
Q Where is your farm, or store, located?  
A We have our  
farm, well, there's two together, though, adjoining the Arkansas  
River in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q What town is that nearest to?  
A Nowville.  
Q Nowville, Arkansas?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is it near property of your father's?  
A It adjoins it.  
Q You are jointly interested in that - you and your brother  
Joseph?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any other land or improvement in the Cherokee Nation?  
A None.  
Q Where is that?  
A Within three miles of South West City,  
Arkansas.  
Q Do you have any property at Nowville, Indian Territory?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is it a separate tract?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How did you and your brother acquire the first of these Cherokee  
improvements?  
A We and your brother acquired the first of these  
improvements. I don't know just when it was. It's been, I  
guess, ten years ago.  
Q How long have you been there?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Do you think that your father and your brother would consider  
the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Where were you educated?  
A I went to the public schools  
in the Cherokee Nation, and at Muskogee, and went to school and  
in Arkansas.

Q You went to the public schools in the Delaware District ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q That was a Cherokee school ? A Yes sir.  
Q You went to the Cherokee Male Seminary at Tallapoosa ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Did your brother go to either or both of those schools ?  
A No sir.  
Q Did you go to school at the Male Seminary at Tallapoosa with any one here now ? A Yes sir, with Mr. Burr and Mr. Connor.  
Q Did you go to the public school with any Cherokee representative here now ? A I guess I went with Mr. Hastings when I was very small.  
Q Had this farm which you say you acquired about ten years ago have a house on it at the time you acquired it ? A Yes sir.  
Q What date did you say you were married ? A On February 2, 1886.  
Q Where were you married ? A At my father's farm.  
Q Within the Delaware District, and Cherokee Nation ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Where did you reside after you were married--first ?  
A I stayed with him there a short time.  
Q What was your intention at that time as to where you would make your home--about the time you married ? A I expected to go on the farm at that time, but my house got burned down.  
Q The house on this farm that belonged to your father and brother ?  
A Yes sir. I went to South West City then.  
Q You and your wife went to South West City, Missouri then ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Was that the first time you had ever been out of the Cherokee Nation except during the time you had been at school over in Arkansas ? A Yes sir.  
Q How you stated in your former testimony that you thought you were in South West City, Missouri June 20, 1886. I want to know now whether you are certain about that ? A After I stayed at South West City a right smart while, I went back to my father's place expecting to have a house built, and go back on the farm, but I wasn't so positive as to time, and I don't know just when that was.  
Q You don't know whether that was in 1886 or not, or whether it was in June ? A It wasn't but a short time any way.  
Q I never thought of it when I was here before.  
Q In addition to the farm that you and your brother have had in the Cherokee Nation, have you had any stock ?  
A We have had stock on the farm ever since we have been out; that is during the past ten years.  
Q Has there ever been a time since you and your brother got to looking after your own affairs and ceased to residing with your father and to being gay of by him, when you did not have property within the Cherokee Nation ? A No sir.  
Q Where are you now living ? A My family are at South West City.  
Q I stay at home's free Monday to Saturday, and go back to work on Sunday.  
Q You have charge, then, of the mercantile establishment at Grove ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How did your brother Joseph go to South West City, Missouri ?  
A I had him come out or come home--something like that. Maybe a little longer.  
Q What did he do when he went there ? A He first went to work in a mercantile store, and a short time afterwards he bought a half interest in the store, and later on bought it all.  
Q He made the store his own ? A Yes sir.  
Q He kept all that time. He still had his property in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q He stated in your former testimony that you had voted a time or two over in Missouri in local and Congressional elections ?

A Yes sir.

Q I want to ask you how about your voting in the Cherokee Nation ?

A I have voted here ever since I have been old enough.

Q As all of the Cherokee citizens ? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever hold any office in the Cherokee Nation or any public position of any kind ? A I was appointed census taker in 1895 for a part of Delaware District.

Q By whom were you appointed ? A By Sam Hayes, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

Q Has your brother Joseph ever held any office in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir he did.

Q What office ? A He was in the Cherokee Senate.

Q From what district ? A Delaware District.

Q When was he elected to the Senate from the Delaware District ? A It was sometime in 1895 or 1896.

Q Did he serve for a whole term or only part of a term ? A Part of a term.

Q Where was he elected to fill ? A Back lands.

Q Was he elected to that position ? A He was, yes sir.

Q Did this election to the Senate of the Cherokee Nation from the Delaware District, occur before or after he had acquired this business over there in South West City, Missouri ? A It was at the time he had this business there.

Q He was already over at South West City, Missouri, and engaged in business at that time ? A Yes sir.

Q In South West City, Missouri, near the line of the Cherokee Nation ? A It joins the line.

Q Nowville, Arkansas, also adjoins the line does it not ? A Yes sir.

Q Did you go over to South West City for the purpose of working in this establishment which your brother had acquired, after you were married ? A I did.

Q That was the first time you had ever been outside the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir, except at school.

Q During the period you have been working over there in South West City what place have you regarded as your permanent home ? A I regarded the Delaware District and Cherokee Nation my home.

Q Was your citizenship in the Cherokee Nation ever questioned in any way that you ever heard of ? A No sir.

Q You have been always recognized as a citizen ? A Yes sir.

Q You are on the rolls ? A Yes sir, I guess I am on every roll since I was born.

I, J. West, say: I want to put into the record what the roll of 1895 shows, that is, as to Scott A. Thompson, and I want it also as to Joseph Thompson, and the 1896 roll also. I want the 1895 roll for the Delaware District, page 115—

Q Was this appointment made by Chief Hayes to take the census, before or after you went to South West City ? A It was after I was in South West City.

—1895 roll, page 285, § 2812, Scott A. Thompson, Delaware District.

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--1888 roll, page 145, # 3112, Joseph D. Yeargain, Delaware District;  
--1888 roll, Delaware District, # 3234, Joseph Yeargain;  
--1888 roll, Delaware District, # 3751, Joseph Yeargain;  
--1888 roll, Delaware District, # 4044, Joseph Yeargain;  
--1884 roll, page 805, # 3430, Joe Yeargain;  
--1896 roll, page 542, # 3697, Joseph D. Yeargain, Delaware District;

By the Commission:

Q Where were you living at the time of your marriage ?  
A In the Delaware District with my father.  
Q Had you ever been to South West City prior to that time ?  
A I never had stayed there any.  
Q Had you ever worked there any before that time ? A No sir.  
Q Had you ever been employed outside the Territory prior to your marriage ? A No sir.  
Q Was your brother living in South West City when you were married ? A Yes sir.  
Q How long had he been residing there? A When I was married ?  
Q Yes ? A I don't know.  
Q How long after your marriage was it before you went to South West City ? A It wasn't but a short time.  
Q As much as a year ? A Oh no, a month or something like that--just a short time.  
Q Have you been working with your brother at South West City since you have been living there ? A Yes sir.  
Q You stated a while ago that you have voted at all the 2 elections in the Cherokee Nation; isn't it also a fact that you have voted in all the elections in the State of Missouri ?  
A I voted at all of them until they asked me the question at Tallapoosa, and I haven't since then.  
Q Do you vote in the municipal elections in South West City ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When was the last time you cast a vote in Missouri ?  
A I guess it was in 1900.  
Q Was your vote ever challenged in the Cherokee Nation ?  
A It never was.  
Q Was it ever challenged in Missouri ? A No sir.  
Q Have you ever held any official position in South West City ?  
A No sir.  
Q Was your brother ? A No sir.  
Q How often since you moved to South West City have you been in the Cherokee Nation ? A I guess I have been there every week. Of course I may not have been there every week either, but frequently.  
Q Where have you spent the major portion of your time ?  
A Since I was married of course the biggest portion of it I have spent in South West City.  
Q You were married in 1888 ? A Yes sir.  
Q And removed to South West City shortly after your marriage, and have continued to live there, and your wife has lived there ever since that time ? A Yes sir. That is the short time I am speaking about when we came to my father's intention to build a house, and live at the farm.  
Q Was that after you had gone to South West City ? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did you stay at your father's ?  
A I don't stay there long. He wanted me to build a house.  
Q Did you stay on land of a man ? A Yes sir.  
Q How long would you stay at that place ?  
A No, you can stay as long as you want.  
Q Do you own any property in South West City ? A Yes, I own a house.



A I owned some lots and little houses, and I traded a whole lot. I am satisfied I don't own anything there now. I traded along; and bought them and sold them.

Q When did you dispose of your property there? A I don't know just when I have had any. Part of the time I traded for places and it would be in my brother's name.

Q Have you done any trading lately? A I taken a house in a short time ago on a mortgage, but it was put in his name.

Q In your brother's name? A I know it wasn't in mine.

Q Do you mean to say that you don't own any property of any kind outside of household effects, outside of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, Of course a driving horse.

Q Outside of that? A Yes sir, I know I don't.

Q Who is in possession of this farm you claim to have in the Cherokee Nation? Is it rented? A I have got the most of it in myself, and part of it is rented.

Q Is it worked by citizens or non-citizens? A They are all non-citizens I think.

Q How much revenue did you derive from the farm last year? A I can't tell you, we got a right smart of wheat off of it, but we never got any corn.

Q You stated that you own a mercantile establishment at Grove? A Yes sir.

Q Are there any other non-citizens who own establishments there or any other town in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Examined by Mr. West:

Q I want to ask you about your brother Joseph Morgan's voting; I don't remember whether you stated in your direct examination whether he always voted in the Cherokee elections or not; did he? A Yes sir.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Where is your wife at this time? A At South West City.

Q You are living together at present? A Yes sir.

Q Have you kept house in the Indian Territory at any time since your marriage? A No sir. At the time when I aimed to go to house keeping our house burned down.

Q Do you board in South West City? A No sir.

Q Have you ever boarded since your marriage, or have you kept house continuously? A We have kept house.

S. H. MAYES, called as a witness and being duly sworn and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q What is your name, age and place of residence? A S. H. Mayes, I live at Prior Creek, am 57 years old.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever hold any official position in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, I have held several of them. I was Chief of the Cherokee Nation for four years.

Q What four years were you Chief of the Cherokee Nation? A I was elected in 1890.

Q And held until 1894? A Yes sir.

Q Did you know at that time the applicant in this case, Scott A. Morgan? A Yes sir.

Q Did you know his brother Joseph Morgan? A Yes sir.

Q What part of the Cherokee Nation did they make their home? A Delaware District, in the north-eastern portion of the Nation.

Q Over there where Missouri, Arkansas and the Nation all come together? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever know of their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation being questioned? A No sir.

Q Did you ever suspect Scott Morgan to any official position or any kind in the Cherokee Nation? A No sir.



A I appointed him census taker for that District.

Q Delaware District? A Yes sir.

Q What census was that? A The one made the year 1896.

Q Did you ever know of his brother Joseph Yeargain holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, he was one of our Senators from that district.

Q When did he hold that office? A He was elected, I think, in 1896. He filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Landrum.

Q Do you know whether or not that was after Joseph Yeargain commenced working in South West City, Missouri?

A No sir, I don't know anything about that.

Examined by the Commission:

Q You live at Prior Creek? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known the applicant in this case?

A I have known of the family all my life. I have not been very intimately acquainted with them. I saw Mr. Scott Yeargain here at the Seminary.

Q Have you resided anywhere in their vicinity within the past few years? A No sir.

Q Do you know where they have lived for the past few years?

A I only know from what I have heard. I never was in South West City, nor in Grove.

J. C. STARR, called as a witness, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by F. C. West, Rec:

Q What is your name, age and residence? A J. C. Starr, age 21, residence, Vinita, I. T.

Q What business are you at present engaged in? A I am stenographer for the Cherokee Nation.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Were you raised in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Scott A. Yeargain?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know his brother Joseph Yeargain? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known him? A I have known both of them since about 1898.

Q Did you ever go to school with either or both of them?

A I went to school with S. A. Yeargain. We went together to the Male Seminary at Tahlequah, I. T.

Q Did you ever live in the same district with them? A Yes sir.

Q What district was that? A Delaware District.

Q Do you know of Joseph Yeargain holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation at any time? A Yes sir.

Q What was that? A He was elected Senator from Delaware District.

Q Do you know where he was at work at the time he was elected?

A I think he was living at South West City, Missouri.

Q Did you have any part in his election? A I voted for him.

Q Have you ever known of a question being made in the Cherokee Nation as to the citizenship of Scott A. Yeargain?

A I don't know of any question being made in the Cherokee Nation as to the citizenship of Scott A. Yeargain.

Q Do you know where their farms are or were?

A I don't know exactly. I know about where they are. Now

Exhibit:

Examined by the Commission:  
 Q Do you know where these people have been residing for the past four years, Mr. Starr?  
 A I think they have been residing at South West City, Missouri.  
 Q Don't you know they have been residing there? A Yes sir.

W. W. HASTINGS, called as a witness, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q Your name is W. W. Hastings? A Yes sir.  
 Q What is your age? A Thirty five; post office is Tablequah.  
 Q Do you know Scott A. Yeargain, the applicant herein?  
 A Yes sir, I have known Scott A. Yeargain, and his brother Joseph ever since I can remember. My father and mother lived in Delaware District, on Badie's Prairie, just across the line from Maysville, Arkansas, and I may say here that the line of Arkansas that separates Arkansas from the Indian Territory, runs right along by the porch at Maysville. My father and mother, I was going to say, lived on this side of the line about four or five miles. When I could first remember these boys and their parents lived on this side of the line perhaps about two miles from my home. They went to the public schools up there, and have been recognized as citizens and these records show that their names have been enrolled on all the rolls of the Cherokee Nation. Their father and mother owned quite a large farm on this side of Maysville, and sometime in 1892 or '3, about eight or ten years ago, while both these boys were single, and while they were making their homes with their parents, they purchased quite a large farm -- I don't remember how many acres, but it was a large and valuable one, right near their father's, and I believe one side of it adjoins their father's, and it was purchased in their own name, and I remember writing the bill of sale for them. Sometime since, that house which was large and valuable, on it, was burned down, but they own the improvements, as I understand it, since. These boys intended to reside there I suppose; Scott had up until the time he was married in 1896. Some little while before that--perhaps two years, Joe, as has been explained in the testimony, went over to South West City; and South West City is right on the line of Missouri, Indian Territory and Arkansas. It is only about eight miles distant from Maysville, Arkansas. I understood that he first went in as a clerk, and afterwards bought an interest, and afterwards bought the entire business. My testimony as to this last part is assumed from hearsay, of course. I might say that I left my father's and mother's home permanently in 1890 or '91, and came down to Tablequah, and of course have been up there on occasional visits since that time. I have seen these boys living in South West City. A brother of mine married Scott, and while I wasn't at the wedding, I heard of it over there in front of his father's gate in a buggy, in 1896, and I suppose he has been residing up there at South West City since that time, and it has always been my understanding that his brother resided up there, as he stated, for two or three years before 1896, and lives there now. I have always stood that he retained those farms and improvements, and I understood that he had another farm up there. As to their business at Grove, I have never been there since the railroad ran in there. I know of Scott's being coming down up there in '94, and I know that Joe was elected to the Cherokee Senate there while he was residing at South West City, Missouri. His term expired on the first Monday in December, 1897. As to their voting over there and in the Cherokee Nation, it is hearsay. I have understood that they have voted in the Cherokee Nation.



with and made a part of the record in the case of *James B. [illegible]*, these have already on the 20th day of June, 1908,

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The Commission: The attorney for the applicant requests that the Commission be authorized to take a copy in which to file a copy of the record.

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E. G. Bagwell, on oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he has personally seen the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of the same as the same.

*E. G. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this June 20, 1908.

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.







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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation; consolidating the applications of

Scott A. Yeargain, et al., - - - - - Cherokee 6426  
Joseph D. Yeargain - - - - - Cherokee D - 937.

D E C I S I O N

The record in these cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following persons as citizens, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation:

On December 11, 1900, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, Joseph D. Yeargain made application for himself;

On the same date and at the same place Scott A. Yeargain made application for himself and his minor daughter, Marjorie C. Yeargain; the application also included his wife Ida C. Yeargain, but she is differently classified and is not embraced in this decision.

Further proceedings in the matter of said applications were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 25, 1902.

The evidence shows that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and are identified as such on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation. They are also identified on the following rolls of said Nation: the 1883 roll; the 1886 pay roll; the 1890 census roll; the 1894 strip payment roll; and the 1896 census roll. The said Ida C. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 census roll as the wife of Scott A. Yeargain. Marjorie C. Yeargain is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls but is identified by a birth affidavit on file with the Commission.

The evidence further shows that on February 2, 1896, said Scott A. Yeargain was lawfully married to Ida C. Timmin, a white woman, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is the issue of such marriage.

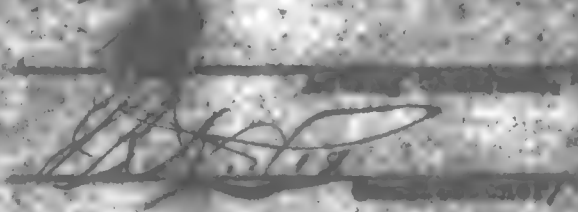
The evidence further shows that the said Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1896 and that Joseph D. Yeargain resided in said Nation for about 26 years immediately preceding the year 1898. The said Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1898 and 1896 respectively, up to and including the date of this application herein; and Marjorie C. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father.

Paragraph nine of section 21 of the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1896, (29 Stats., 493), provides:

"No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship".

To the Secretary, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C.  
and to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Washington, D. C.  
I hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the  
act of Congress and is in full force.

COMMISSIONER TO THE CIVILIAN ENGINEERS



SIGNED: J. R. Brockmire  
Commissioner

Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
this OCT - 1 1932

Charleston

Seaboard, Indian Territory, July 12, 1900.

Seaboard, Parker A. Hall,

Attorney at Law,

Seaboard, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is enclosed you herewith a copy of the testimony  
interrogatory taken in the matter of the application for the enrollment  
as citizens of the Cherokee Nation of Scott A. Yeager, in which  
case you appear as counsel as attorney for the applicant.

Please sign and return to the Commission enclosed receipt for  
testimony. You are further advised that you will be allowed ten days  
from date hereof in which to file brief on behalf of the applicant.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

Encl. 2-100.

COPY,

Cherokee 6426,  
D 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

Freston C. West,

Attorney for Scott A. Yeargain, et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 1, 1902, in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee D 937, rejecting the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Margerie C. Yeargain, and the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You have heretofore been furnished with a copy of the record of proceedings.

The decision, with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision.

The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as



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seen as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. C. No. 3.

Register.



COPY.

Cherokee 6426.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

Scott A. Yeargain,  
Southwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 1, 1902, in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee B 937, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

There has heretofore been furnished your attorney, Preston C. West, Muskogee, Indian Territory, a copy of the record of proceedings, and there has this day been forwarded to him a copy of the Commission's decision.

The decision, with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision.

The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as

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seen as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. C. No. 2.

Register.

COPY.

Cherokee 6426,  
D 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 1, 1902, in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee D 937, rejecting the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, and the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision, with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision.

The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Wm. C. Ho. 4.

Acting Chairman.

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Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

The Honorable,  
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings had in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee No. D 937, embracing the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, and the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated October 1, 1902, rejecting said applications.

Respectfully,

James H. Brown,  
Acting Chairman.

Through the  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Enc. C. No. 5.



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Refer in reply  
to the following:  
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Department of the Interior,  
Office of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, October 23, 1902.

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted, herewith, the record and proceedings had before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes in the matter of the application of Joseph Daniel Yeargain for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation; also in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, wife and one child as Cherokee citizens.

Both of these applications were first heard on December 11, 1900 and at that time the name of Joseph Daniel Yeargain was placed on what is termed a "doubtful card" for the reason that it was clear under his testimony that he was not a bona fide resident of the Cherokee Nation; that the said Scott A. Yeargain and child were listed by the commission for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood, while Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, was not enrolled on the ground that her marriage in February 1896 was too late for her to acquire property rights as an intermarried citizen under the Cherokee law of 1895.

On December 11, 1900, the said Scott A. Yeargain again ap-



peared before the commission and testified that he had been exercising the right of franchise in Southwest City, Missouri, sometime prior to and since 1898.

On June 25, 1902, the matter of the application of said Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, wife and child as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation was again heard before the commission and considerable testimony submitted relative thereto by the applicant and others.

The applicant's attorney also requested leave to file a brief within ten days which was granted and the same filed. The testimony and evidence submitted in behalf of the claim of Scott A. Yeargain was, by consent, made a part of the evidence in the case of Joseph Daniel Yeargain and on October 1st, 1902, the commission rendered a decision in which both cases were reviewed and decided. In said decision the commission sums up the facts in part as follows: that the evidence shows that Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees; that they are identified as such on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation; that they are also identified on the 1883 roll, the 1886 pay roll, the 1890 census roll, the 1894 scrip payment roll and the 1896 census roll; that the said Ida C. Yeargain, wife of Scott A. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 roll; that Marjorie C. Yeargain, daughter of Scott A. Yeargain, and Ida C. Yeargain, is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls, but is identified by birth affidavit on file with the commission; that the evidence further shows that on February 2, 1896, said

Scott A. Yeargain was lawfully married to Ida C. Tinnin, a white woman, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is the issue of such marriage that the evidence further shows that said Scott A. Yeargain was a resident of the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1896 and that Joseph Daniel Yeargain resided in said nation for about 26 years immediately preceding the year 1895; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1895 and 1896, respectively, up to and including the date of the application herein, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father; that under paragraph 9 of Section 21 of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), providing that "no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship" is applicable to these cases, and that in the opinion of the commission their applications should be denied.

The office is not satisfied that the decision of the commission in these two cases is correct. The record evidence shows that the said Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and that they resided all their lives in the Cherokee Nation up to 1895 and 1896, as is set forth in the decision of the commission; that the said Joseph Daniel Yeargain was elected a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was residing at Southwest City, Missouri, where he went in 1895 and that his term of office expired on the first Monday in November, 1897;

that said Scott A. Yeargain was appointed census taker for a part of Delaware district in 1896 by Sam Hayes, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation; that both of the applicants have voted at all the Cherokee elections up to the date of filing their applications for enrollment; that both own goods and chattels in the Cherokee Nation and purchased valuable improvements therein and claim the land upon which those improvements are located as their reservations.

The evidence also shows that Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have resided at Southwest City, Missouri, from 1895 and 1896, respectively, up to and including the date of their applications herein; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain owns a business there and that said Scott A. Yeargain is clerking for him; that both of the applicants have voted at divers times in the State of Missouri; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain is a single man and the said Scott A. Yeargain a married man.

Under these facts the office cannot see wherein the evidence shows that these applicants have lost their residence in the Cherokee Nation. The office has heretofore called the attention of the Department to that provision of section 21 of the Act of June 28, 1898, providing that no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship. This provision does not attempt to fix the time prior to 1898 at which said good faith settlement must be made in the nation, and the office is of the opinion that the word "removal" is applicable only to those Indians who

have never in good faith settled in their respective nations. These applicants resided in the Cherokee Nation all their lives up to 1895 and 1896. They both held office under the tribal laws of the nation and Joseph Daniel Yeargain, at least, was elected and served as a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was a resident of Southwest City, Missouri, and both have always exercised the right of franchise in said nation and both owned personal property and did business in said nation in 1898 and have continued to so own and transact business up to the date of their applications. The office believes that said provision of article 9 of section 21 of the act of 1898 is not applicable to these cases and that unless these applicants have lost their right of citizenship by reason of some Cherokee law, they are entitled to enrollment.

Section two of article one of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation provides, in part, as follows:

"That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of this nation and becomes a citizen of any other government, all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease, provided, nevertheless, that the national council shall have the power to readmit by law to all the rights of citizenship any such person or persons who may at any time desire to return to the nation on memorializing the national council for such readmission."

It appears from the testimony that these applicants both voted in the State of Missouri and if there were no other facts

of record this would be conclusive evidence that they have become "citizens of another government" but on the other hand the record evidence shows conclusively that they still have effects within the limits of the Cherokee Nation and that they still exercise the right of suffrage therein. While they have voted in Missouri thereby becoming non-citizens of the Cherokee Nation under one clause of the constitution, they have not lost their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation under that clause which provides that in order to do so they must remove with their effects out of the limits of the nation. The fact that they voted in Missouri only leads to a presumption of their residence therein and is not conclusive proof that they are actual bona fide residents of the State of Missouri, and if this presumption is removed by other and more potent facts it cannot prevail.

The office is of the opinion that because these applicants never removed their effects from said nation and because they still continued to vote in said nation and one, at least, of the applicants was even elected to the Senate while a resident of Missouri and served in said body during his term of office, which did not expire until 1897, these applicants never lost their right of citizenship in said nation and that all that can be said of their voting in the State of Missouri is that it was illegal which illegal act does not in any way affect the question to be determined herein.

In addition to the above the office desires to call attention to the fact that the names of the applicants, Joseph Daniel



Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain, appear upon the 1880 roll, and section 21 of the Act of June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), provides, in part, as follows:

"That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes, "as required by law, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes "is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens "of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the "roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding Acts "of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names "are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date "of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon."

This provision of the act of 1898 as applied to the enrollment of Cherokees was in full force and effect when the applications herein were filed and also on the date that the decision herein was rendered by the commission. The commission's duty under this provision is to enroll all Cherokee citizens whose names appear upon the 1880 roll and this law supersedes that provision of the constitution of the Cherokee Nation cited above. Under this provision of section 21 it is mandatory upon the commission to enroll those persons whose names appear upon the 1880 roll together with their descendants, and the office knows of no bar to the enrollment of such persons. There are no exceptions noted in the law itself and none have been created by any subsequent legislation. This law would be applicable in this case to said Joseph Daniel Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie G. Yeargain, daughter and descendant of said Scott A. Yeargain.

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The office, therefore, by reason of the premises considers that the decision of the commission in this case should be set aside as to the said Joseph Daniel Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain, the daughter of said Scott A. Yeargain, and recommends that the commission be instructed to enroll them as citizens of the Cherokee Nation with all the rights that citizenship therein guarantees, and it is further recommended that the decision of the commission as to Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, denying her right to enrollment on the ground that her marriage was too late to invest her with property rights in the Cherokee Nation, be affirmed by the Department.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. C. Tenner,

Acting Commissioner.

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Department of the Interior,

I.T.D. 6561-1902. Washington, October 30, 1902.

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Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

The Department has considered the case involving the applications for enrollment of Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

It was found by you that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are identified on the 1880 authenticated Cherokee Roll, the 1883 roll, the 1896 roll, the 1890 census roll, the 1894 scrip payment roll, and the 1896 census roll. Marjorie C. Yeargain is too young to appear on any of the tribal rolls, but was identified by a birth affidavit; that it was shown that Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation until 1896, and that Joseph D. Yeargain resided in said nation for about 36 years prior to 1896; that both of the latter applicants have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, which is just across the line from the Cherokee Nation, since 1896 and 1898, respectively, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is presumed to have resided with her father.

Referring to that portion of the act of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), which provides that

"No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship,"

you rejected the application as to these parties October 1, 1902.

Reporting in the matter October 23, 1902, the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs states that, as the evidence shows that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and that they resided all their lives in the Cherokee Nation up to 1895 and 1896, that the said Joseph D. Yeargain was elected a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was residing at Southwest City, Missouri, where he went in 1895, and that his term of office expired on the first Monday in November, 1897, that said Scott A. Yeargain was appointed census taker for a part of the Delaware District in 1896 by the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, that both of the applicants have voted at all the Cherokee elections up to the date of their filing

their applications for enrollment; that both own goods and chattels in the Cherokee Nation and purchased valuable improvements therein and claim the land upon which are these improvements, that said Joseph D. Yeargain owns a business in Southwest City, Missouri, and that said Scott A. Yeargain is clerking for him, that both the applicants have voted at divers times in the State of Missouri, that said Joseph D. Yeargain is a single man and that said Scott A. Yeargain is a married man, he cannot see where these applicants have lost their residence in the Cherokee Nation. He goes into a discussion as to the interpretation that should be placed upon that portion of the law upon which your decision is based. As to this the Department has time and again acted upon cases, following the recommendations of the Indian Office, in accordance with your views. The Acting Commissioner concludes that the parties should be enrolled unless they have lost their right to citizenship by reason of some Cherokee law. He quotes from Section 2, Article 1, of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation, which provides

"That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of this nation and becomes a citizen of any other government, all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease, provided, nevertheless, that the national council shall have the power to



readmit by law to all the rights of citizenship any such person or persons who may at any time desire to return to the nation on memorializing the national council for such readmission,"

and states, however, that as these applicants have voted in the state of Missouri, if there were no other facts of record this would be conclusive evidence that they have become "citizens of another government," but as the evidence shows conclusively that they still have effects within the limits of the Cherokee Nation, and that they still exercise their right of suffrage therein, they have not forfeited their Cherokee citizenship; that the fact that they voted in Missouri only leads to a presumption of their residence therein, and is not conclusive proof that they are actual bona fide residents of the State of Missouri, and if this presumption is removed by other and more potent facts, it cannot prevail; that all that can be said of their voting in Missouri is that it was illegal, which illegal act does not in any way affect the question to be determined in this case. He also calls attention to Section 21 of the act of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 498), which provides

"That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes, as required by law, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding Acts of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon,"

and says the Commission's duty under this provision is to enroll all citizens whose names appear on the 1880 roll; that this law supercedes the provision of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation cited above; that this provision of Section 21 is mandatory upon the Commission to enroll those persons whose names appear on the 1880 roll, together with their descendants, and he knows no bar to the enrollment of such persons; that there are no exceptions noted in the law itself, and none have been created by any subsequent legislation.

The Department has placed its interpretation upon this provision of the act of June 28, 1898 in a number of cases, not in accordance with the views of the Acting Commissioner expressed in the present case, of which you are well aware, and which the Indian Office has overlooked. See particularly Department decision of August 6, 1902, in

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the case of Phillip T. Johnson. The Department finds no reason to disturb your decision. The principal applicants saw fit to leave the Indian Territory and establish residences in Missouri. They have exercised the right to vote in that State, and under the plain interpretation of the Act of June 28, 1898, quoted above, you were warranted in rejecting their applications, as also the application for the enrollment of Marjorie C. Yeargain, as her residence was with her father. Your decision is affirmed

The Acting Commissioner also recommends that-

"The decision of the commission as to Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, denying her right to enrollment of the ground that her marriage was too late to invest her with property rights in the Cherokee Nation,"

be affirmed by the Department.

Your decision distinctly stated that the rights of Ida C. Yeargain were not passed upon; that she was "differently classified."

A copy of the Acting Commissioner's letter is inclosed

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock,

Secretary,

E. M. D.

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Cherokee Case

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1902.

Scott A. Yeargain,

Southwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, of date October 1, 1902, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your minor child, Marjorie G. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior on October 20, 1902.

Respectfully,

C. E. Breckinridge  
Commissioner in Charge.

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Cherokee, 937.  
Cherokee, 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 11, 1902.

Hutchings, West & Parker,

Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision of  
date October 1, 1902, rejecting the application of Joseph D. Yeargain  
for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the  
application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and  
his minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the  
Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior on  
October 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.



Cherokee 6426

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 23, 1902.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith, for Departmental consideration, a motion made on behalf of the applicants, for re-hearing before the Department of the application of Scott A. Yeargin for the enrollment of himself and one child as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision of the Commission, rejecting the application for the enrollment of these persons, was approved by the Department, on October 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. N-175

Through the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Cherokee

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 25, 1902.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is transmitted herewith a copy of a motion made on behalf of the applicants, for a re-hearing before the Secretary of the Interior of the application of Scott Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and one child as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

WASHINGTON.

I.T.D. 6861-1902.  
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January 9, 1903.

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Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskegee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

The motions for review in the matter of the applications of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott Yeargain, et al. for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, received with your letters of December 23, 1902, are returned herewith to be returned to the attorneys making such motions, as they bear no evidence of service upon the attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

You will advise the attorneys for the applicants that should the motions be returned to the Department with evidence of service they will receive due consideration. You will also advise the attorney for the Nation that he will be allowed fifteen days from service of copies of such motions within which to file any argument he may desire.

Respectfully,

(signed) Theo Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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Cherokee 4426  
& 4437.

Washoe, Indian Territory, January 22, 1903.

Washoe, Washoe and Parker,

Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al.,

Gentlemen:

There are enclosed you herewith your motions for review in the matter of the application of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain et al., for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, same having been returned by the Department, for the reason that they bear no evidence of service upon the attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

The Commission is instructed to advise you that, should the motions be returned to the Department with evidence of service, they will receive due consideration; and that you will be allowed fifteen days from service of said motion, within which to file any argument you may desire.

Respectfully,

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Acting Chairman.

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Office of Assistant Attorney General.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
WASHINGTON.

J.E.W.  
S.V.P.  
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March 16, 1903.

The Secretary  
of the Interior.

Sir:

With his letter on February 3, 1903, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs submitted a motion by Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Margerie Yeargain, infant child of Scott A. Yeargain, for rehearing and review of Departmental decision of October 30, 1902, respecting their application for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee nation, which with the accompanying papers, you referred to me February 13, 1903, with request for an early opinion in the matter.

The applications were made to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes which found and states the ultimate facts to be that:

.....Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and are identified as such on the 1850 authenticated roll of the Cherokee nation. They are also identified on the following rolls of said nation: the 1853 roll; the 1856 pay roll; the 1890 census roll; the 1894 strip payment roll and the 1896 census roll. The said Jm C. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 census roll as the wife of Scott A. Yeargain. Margerie C. Yeargain is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls, but is identified by a birth certificate on file with the Commission.

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The evidence further shows that the said Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1894 and that Joseph D. Yeargain resided in said nation for about 24 years immediately preceding the year 1893. The said Joseph D. Yeargain and



Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1895 and 1896 respectively up to and including the date of the application herein; and Marjorie C. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father.

The evidence submitted as part of the proceedings of the Commission shows further that Joseph D. Yeargain owns a mill and two stores in Southwest City, Missouri, close to the line of Indian Territory, and the brothers own a store and two farms in the Territory, which they actively conduct and where they keep considerable stock and personal property; that Joseph D. Yeargain voted in Missouri at the last Presidential election, but not at any other election; that he has also voted in the Territory at all Territorial and tribal elections and was elected in 1896 to the Senate of the Indian Nation and served in that body from the Delaware District, and is unmarried and without a family.

Scott A. Yeargain was married to a white woman February 2, 1896, at his father's in the Territory, by an Indian Nation official, clerk of the Delaware District. At that time he intended to take up residence on the farm owned by himself and brother near their father, but the house burned and after intending to rebuild, he abandoned that intent and went, a few weeks later, with his wife, to Southwest City to clerk in his brother's store and has since kept house there where their child Marjorie was born. He has voted there at city elections as well as at the last presidential election. He owns with his brother a store at Grove, Indian Territory, which he conducts personally, returning to Southwest City Saturdays and remaining to Monday morning. He was appointed by the Principal Chief, Hayes, of the Cherokee Nation as census taker of the Delaware District in 1896 and performed the duties of that office. He is

interested with his brother in the property on the farm in the Territory.

Both the brothers were educated in the primary and seminary Indian schools in the Delaware District and at Tahlequah. The Indian Nation did not object to the enrollment of the applicants and the legal council for the Nation testified as a witness to many of the foregoing facts.

In my view those facts do not justify the finding of ultimate facts made by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes as to the severance to the tribal relations nor warrant the rejection of the applications for enrollment. The applicants were native-born citizens of the Cherokee Nation and were borne on the roll of Cherokee citizens of 1880. Section 21 of the act of June 28, 1896, (30 Stat., 495, 492-3), provides.

That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes as required by law the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding acts of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon; and all persons who have been enrolled by the tribal authorities who have heretofore made permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation whose parents, by reason of their Cherokee blood, have been lawfully admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities, and who were minors when their parents were so admitted; and they shall investigate the right of all other persons whose names are found on any other rolls and omit all such as may have been placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, and their descendants born since such rolls were made, with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws.

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Said Commission is authorized and directed to make correct rolls of the citizens by blood of all the other tribes eliminating from the tribal rolls such names as may have been placed thereon by

fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, and their descendants born since such rolls were made with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to Choctaw and Chickasaw citizenship under the treaties and laws of said tribes.

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No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which ~~one~~ claims citizenship. . . . .

This act clearly confirmed the Cherokee roll of 1860, as authentic, subject, however, to correction by exclusion of those who had not theretofore "removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship." As to rolls of other tribes, the Commission was authorized to make correct rolls of citizens, "eliminating from the tribal rolls such names as may have been placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, "but such scrutiny of the 1860 Cherokee roll is clearly excluded by its being expressly confirmed and by this provision being limited to the rolls of the "other tribes." The applicants being native born citizens, borne on the Cherokee roll of 1860, are therefore entitled to enrollment, unless they have forfeited their citizenship or are within the third provision that "no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship."

The purpose of this provision is clearly seen when read in the light of the history of the Cherokee Nation. The Cherokee Nation has divided. One part remained in their old seats and one removed to new homes in the west. The government and the Western Cherokees, or Cherokee Nation, has continually held out the invitation to the Eastern band to join their Western brethren. The Eastern

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band had not done so and yet claimed all the benefits of membership in the nation to whose strength and development they contributed no active co-operation. On this subject the Supreme Court, in Eastern Band of Cherokees, v. United States (117 U. S. 282, 311), said of the Eastern band:

They cannot live out of its territory, evade the obligations and burdens of citizenship, and at the same time, enjoy the benefits of the funds and common property of the nation.

It was therefore against those who had never identified themselves with the nation and those who had withdrawn themselves from the Indian people that this provision of the statute was aimed. It was for the protection of the Cherokee people and in harmony with the provisions of the Cherokee constitution. That instrument defines how Cherokee nationality shall be lost or forfeited, viz:

That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of the nation and become a citizen of any other government all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease. . . .

There are three elements clearly defined which must concur to effect forfeiture of nationality or complete expatriation - viz: Removal of the person, coupled with removal of all effects and property, and acquisition of another nationality by assuming the obligations of citizenship there. To these tests and for their construction there is also another implied but not mentioned - viz: the intent with which such acts be done, for if all property and the person were for some temporary purpose removed from the nation, and if acts were done which might bear the construction of assuming obligations of citizenship in another community - as voting there for

instance - yet if the removal of person and property were for some temporary purpose and with intent to return, and the act simplying an assumption of duties of citizenship elsewhere had no such purpose, then the change of citizenship would not follow.

Applying such tests to the facts in the present case, it is clear that the Yeargains had not lost their Cherokee nationality. They each retained considerable of their personal property in the Cherokee Nation, contributing to and co-operating in its material development. They each retained their possession and use of improvements upon that part of the national lands that they had before going into business in Missouri. They each continued actively to take part in the governmental organization of the Cherokee Nation by participating in all the Cherokee elections. They had not withdrawn from active participation in the national affairs. Scott A. Yeargain for six of every seven days is habitually present in the Cherokee Nation at his store at Grove. While the act of voting in Southwest City, Missouri, is a fact tending to show an intent to abandon Cherokee nationality it is not alone conclusive proof of such intent, and taken in consideration with other facts only shows a violation of the laws of Missouri, not a loss or voluntary disclaimer of Cherokee nationality.

I am therefore of opinion that the application of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain were erroneously denied, and that they are entitled to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. I am also of the opinion that Marjorie, infant child of Scott A.



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Yeargain, is entitled to be enrolled as a descendant of Scott A. Yeargain.

Very respectfully,

Willis Van Devanter,  
Assistant Attorney General.

Approved March 16, 1903.

F. A. Hisehock, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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March 12, 1903.

The Commission

to the Five Civilized Tribes.

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is inclosed herewith a copy of the opinion of the Assistant Attorney General, of March 16, 1903, in the matter of the application of Joseph D. Yeargin et al., for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, which opinion was approved by the Department the same day.

In accordance with said opinion, your decision in the case of October 1, 1902, is hereby reversed, and you will enroll the applicants in accordance with said opinion.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Theo Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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Cherokee D-837

Winkogee, Indian Territory, March 31, 1903.

Scott A. Yeargain,

Southwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself and your minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which decision was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll yourself and child.

Respectfully,

*Sam Dixby*

Chairman.

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Cherokee  
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McKees, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Joseph D., Scott A. and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll these applicants.

Respectfully,

James F. Felt

Chairman.

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Cherokee  
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Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

Hutchings, Parker and West,

Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Joseph D., Scott A. and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll these applicants.

Respectfully,

James B. Bixby

Chairman.



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES,  
TANLEQUAN, I.T., DECEMBER 11th, 1900.

In the matter of the application of Joseph Daniel Yeargain for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee nation; said Yeargain being duly sworn, testified as follows: Examination by the Commission:

- Q What is your full name, please? A Joseph Daniel Yeargain.  
Q How old are you? A 31.  
Q What is your post office address? A Southwest City.  
Q You are a Cherokee by blood? A Yes, sir.  
Q What degree of Cherokee blood do you claim? A I hardly know, I guess about 16th.  
Q For whom do you make application? A Myself.  
Q How long have you resided in the Cherokee Nation? A About 26 or 27 years.  
Q Are you residing in the Cherokee Nation at the present time? A Not altogether, no, sir; stay in the Cherokee part of the time and Southwest City part of the time.  
Q Are you engaged in business at Southwest City? A Yes, sir, I own a mill and two stores there and one in the Cherokee Nation.  
Q Do you own property in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes, sir, I have got farms and a store.  
Q Were you born in the Cherokee Nation? A No, sir.  
Q You lived in the Cherokee Nation until about five years ago did you? A Yes, sir, something like that, except what time I was away at school.  
Q What was the name of your father? A James C. Yeargain.  
Q Is your father living? A Yes, sir.  
Q What is the name of your mother? A Mary Jane.  
Q Is your mother living? A Yes, sir.  
Q From whom do you receive your Cherokee blood? A Mother.  
Q What district were you living in in 1880? A Delaware.  
Q Were you residing in the same district in 1896? A No, yes, I was in Delaware in 1896.  
Q Have you ever exercised the right of suffrage in Missouri? A I have lived in Missouri some.  
Q Have you voted there? A In the State election.  
Q Did you vote at the last Presidential election? A Yes, sir, I did under protest, they ruled me out and I voted any how, I do not know whether it was allowed or not.  
Q Have you voted any other time? A No, that is the only time I ever voted.

1880 Roll; page 348, #3113, Joseph D. Yeargain, Delaware.

1896 Roll; page 862, #3699, Joseph D. Yeargain, Delaware.

Commission:--The applicant applies for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation. He is identified upon the rolls of 1880 and 1896 as a native Cherokee. He swears that he has lived in the Cherokee and made it his home up until five years ago when he removed to Southwest City, Missouri, where he is at present engaged in business. He owns property in the Cherokee Nation. At the last Presidential election he lived in the State of Missouri and in 1900 he exercised the right of a citizen of the United States. His application will, therefore, be placed upon what is known as a doubtful card, and he will be listed for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen by blood. When the final decision as to his residence is rendered by the Commission he will be notified at his present post office address.

Joseph William Ferguson - 45.

J. W. Ferguson, being first duly sworn, states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he accurately recorded the testimony and proceedings in this case, and the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*J. W. Ferguson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of December, 1900.

*Wm. H. ...*

Commissioner.



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Wife's name

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Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, I. T., June 25, 1902.

In the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain, for the enrollment of himself, wife and child, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation:

Appearances:

Preston C. West, for the applicant;  
W. W. Hastings, for the Cherokee Nation:

SCOTT A. YEARGAIN, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by Preston C. West, Esq.:

Q You are the Scott A. Yeargain that made application here to the Commission on December 11, 1900, for yourself, wife and child?

A Yes sir.

Q You stated then that you are the son of James C. Yeargain?

A Yes sir.

Q And of Mary Yeargain? A Yes sir.

Q You also stated, I believe, that you were born in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Have you any brothers and sisters? A Yes sir, I have.

Q How many? A I have three brothers and two sisters.

Q How many living? A That many living.

Q They are all living? A Yes sir.

Q Among these is one named Joseph? A Yes sir.

Q Is he also an applicant for enrollment here? A He is.

Q Is Joseph Yeargain married or single? A He's single.

Q Is he older or younger than you are? A He's older.

Q How much older? A Two years.

Q Was he brought to the Indian Territory when your parents came here? A Yes sir.

Q Has he any property in the Cherokee Nation? A He has.

Q Are you interested in the same property with him? A I am.

Q Of what does that property consist? A We have a farm, and stock and a store.

Q Where is your farm, or farms, located? A We have one farm--well, there's two together though, adjoining the Arkansas line in the Delaware District.

Q What town is that nearest to? A Mayeville.

Q Mayeville, Arkansas? A Yes sir.

Q Is it near property of your father's? A It adjoins it.

Q You are jointly interested in that--you and your brother.

Joseph? A Yes sir.

Q Have you any other farm or improvement in the Delaware District?

A I have.

Q Where is that? A Within three miles of South West City, Missouri.

Q And have you property at Grove, Indian Territory? A Yes sir.

Q Is it a mercantile establishment? A Yes sir.

Q When did you and your brother acquire the first of these improvements--when did you and your brother acquire the first of these farms? A I don't know just when it was; it's been, I guess, ten years ago. Mr. Hastings there wrote the bill of sale.

Q V. W. Hastings? A Yes sir.

Q Up to that time had either you or your brother resided outside the Cherokee Nation? A No sir we had not.

Q Where were you educated? A I went to the public schools in the Delaware District, and at Tahlequah, and went to school some in Arkansas.

Q You went to the public schools in the Delaware District ?

A Yes sir.

Q That was a Cherokee school ? A Yes sir.

Q You went to the Cherokee Male Seminary at Tahlequah ?

A Yes sir.

Q Did your brother go to either or both of these schools ?

A No did.

Q Did you go to school at the Male Seminary at Tahlequah with any one here now ? A Yes sir, with Mr. Starr, and Mr. Conner.

Q Did you go to the public school with any Cherokee representative here now ? A I guess I went with Mr. Hastings when I was very small.

Q Did this farm which you say you acquired about ten years ago, have a house on it at the time you acquired it ? A Yes sir.

Q What date did you say you were married ?

A On February 2, 1896.

Q Where were you married ? A At my father's farm.

Q Within the Delaware District and Cherokee Nation ?

A Yes sir.

Q Where did you reside after you were married--first ?

A I stayed with him a short time.

Q What was your intention at that time as to where you would make your home--about the time you married ? A I expected to go on the farm at that time, but my house got burned down.

Q The house on this farm that belonged to yourself and brother ?

A Yes sir. I went to South West City then.

Q You and your wife went to South West City, Missouri, then ?

A Yes sir.

Q Was that the first time you had ever been out of the Cherokee Nation except during the time you had been to school over in Arkansas ? A Yes sir.

Q Now you stated in your former testimony that you thought you were in South West City, Missouri, June 28, 1896, I want to know now whether you are certain about that ? A After I stayed at South West City a right smart while I went back to my father's place expecting to have a house built, and go back on the farm, but I won't be positive as to time, and I don't know just when that was.

Q You don't know whether that was in 1896 or not, or whether it was in June ? A It wasn't but a short time anyway. I never thought of it when I was here before.

Q In addition to the farm that you and your brother have had in the Cherokee Nation, have you had any stock ?

A We have had stock on the farm ever since we have been out; that is during the past ten years.

Q Has there ever been a time since you and your brother got to looking after your own affairs and ceased to reside with your father and be taken care of by him, when you did not have property in the Cherokee Nation ? A No sir.

Q Where are you now living ? A My family are at South West City. I stay at Grove's from Monday to Saturday, and go back to them.

Q You have charge, then, of the mercantile establishment at Grove's ?

A Yes sir.

Q When did your brother Joseph go to South West City, Missouri ?

A It has been some six or seven years--something like that. Maybe a little longer.

Q What did he do when he went there ? A He first went to work in a hardware store, and a short time afterwards he bought a half interest in the store, and later on bought it all.

Q He bought the whole ? A Yes sir.

Q During all that time he still had his property in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.

Q You stated in your former examination that you had voted a time or two over in Missouri in State and Presidential elections ?

A Yes sir.



Q I want to ask you how about your voting in the Cherokee Nation ?

A I have voted here ever since I have been old enough.

Q At all of the Cherokee elections ? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever hold any office in the Cherokee Nation, or any public position of any kind ? A I was appointed census taker in 1896 for a part of Delaware District.

Q By whom were you appointed ? A By Sam Hayes, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

Q Has your brother Joseph ever held any office in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir, he did.

Q What office ? A He was in the Cherokee Senate.

Q From what district ? A Delaware District.

Q When was he elected to the Senate from the Delaware District ?

A It was sometime in 1895 or in 1896.

Q Did he serve for a whole term or only part of a term ?

A Part of a term.

Q Whose unexpired term was he elected to fill ?

A Mack Landrum's.

Q Was he elected to that position ? A He was, yes sir.

Q Did this election to the Senate of the Cherokee Nation from the Delaware District occur before or after he had acquired this business over there in South West City, Missouri ?

A It was at the time he had this business there.

Q He was already over at South West City, Missouri, and engaged in business at that time ? A Yes sir.

Q Is South West City, Missouri, near the line of the Cherokee Nation ? A It joins the line.

Q Mayeville, Arkansas, also adjoins the line does it not ?

A Yes sir.

Q Did you go over to South West City for the purpose of working in this establishment which your brother had acquired, after you were married ? A I did.

Q That was the first time you had ever been outside the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir, except at school.

Q During the period you had been working over there in South West City, what place have you regarded as your permanent home ?

A I regarded the Delaware District and the Cherokee Nation my home.

Q Has your citizenship in the Cherokee Nation ever questioned in any way that you ever heard of ? A No sir.

Q You have been always recognized as a citizen ? A Yes sir.

Q You are on the rolls ? A Yes sir, I guess I am on every roll since I was born.

P. C. West, Esq: I want to put into the record what the roll of 1890 discloses, that is, as to Scott A. Yeargain, and I want it also as to Joseph Yeargain; and the 1896 roll also. I want the 1883 roll for the Delaware District, page 118---

Q Was this appointment made by Chief Hayes to take the census before or after you went to South West City ? A It was after I was in South West City.

--1890 roll, page 505, # 3113, Scott A. Yeargain, Delaware District;

--1883 roll, Delaware District, # 1285, Scott A. Yeargain;

--1886 roll, Delaware District, # 2732, Scott Yeargain;

--1890 roll, Delaware District, # 4087, Scott Yeargain;

--1894 roll, page 505, # 3481, Scott A. Yeargain, Delaware District;

--1896 roll, page 505, # 3700, Scott A. Yeargain, Delaware District;

--1890 roll, page 245, # 2112, Joseph B. Yeargain, Delaware District;

--1883 roll, Delaware District, # 1580, Joseph Yeargain;

--1886 roll, Delaware District, # 2731, Joseph Yeargain;

--1890 roll, Delaware District, # 4084, Joseph Yeargain;

--1894 roll, page 808, § 2480, Joe Yeargain;  
--1896 roll, page 802, § 2480, Joseph D. Yeargain, Delaware  
District;

By the Commission:

Q Where were you living at the time of your marriage?  
A In the Delaware District with my father.  
Q Had you ever been to South West City prior to that time?  
A I never had stayed there any.  
Q Had you ever worked there any before that time? A No sir.  
Q Had you ever been employed outside the Territory prior to your  
marriage? A No sir.  
Q Was your brother living in South West City when you were married?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long had he been residing there? A When I married?  
Q Yes. A I don't know.  
Q How long after your marriage was it before you went to South  
West City? A It wasn't but a short time.  
Q As much as a year? A Oh no, a month or something like  
that--just a short time.  
Q Have you been working with your brother at South West City  
since you have been living there? A Yes sir.  
Q You stated a while ago that you have voted at all the elections  
in the Cherokee Nation; isn't it also a fact that you have voted in  
all the elections in the State of Missouri?  
A I voted in all of them until they asked me the question at  
Tahlequah, and I haven't since then.  
Q Do you vote in the municipal elections in South West City?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When was the last time you cast a vote in Missouri?  
A I guess it was in 1900.  
Q Was your vote ever challenged in the Cherokee Nation?  
A It never was.  
Q Was it ever challenged in Missouri? A No sir.  
Q Have you ever held any official position in South West City?  
A No sir.  
Q Was your brother? A No sir.  
Q How often since you moved to South West City have you been in  
the Cherokee Nation? A I guess I have been there ever week.  
Of course I may not have been there every week, either; but reg-  
ularly.  
Q Where have you spent the major portion of your time?  
A Since I was married of course the biggest portion of it I have  
spent in South West City.  
Q You were married in 1894? A Yes sir.  
Q And moved to South West City shortly after your marriage,  
and have continued to live there, and your wife has lived there  
ever since that time? A Yes sir. Only the short time I was  
speaking about when we came to my father's intending to build us a  
house, and live on the farm.  
Q Was that after you had gone to South West City? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did you stay at your father's?  
A Didn't stay there long; we concluded not to build a house.  
Q Did you stay as long as a month? A Yes sir.  
Q Then you moved back to South West City? -- A Yes sir.  
Q Do you own any property in South West City? -- Aren't you  
certain whether you do or not?  
A I owned some bunk-beds and little houses, and I traded a whole  
lot. I am satisfied I don't own anything there now. I traded along  
and bought them and sold them.  
Q When did you dispose of your property there? A I don't know;  
just when I have had any. Part of the time I looked for places  
and it would be in my brother's name.  
Q Have you done any trading lately? A I taken a house in a  
short time ago on a mortgage, but it was put in his name.

Q In your brother's name? A I know it wasn't in mine.  
Q Do you mean to say that you don't own any property of any kind outside of household effects, outside of the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir. Of course a driving horse.

Q Outside of that? A Yes sir, I know I don't.

Q Who is in possession of this farm you claim to have in the Cherokee Nation? Is it rented?

A I have got the most of it in myself, and part of it is rented.

Q Is it worked by citizens or non-citizens?

A They are all non-citizens, I think.

Q How much revenue did you derive from the farm last year?

A I can't tell you, we got a right smart of wheat off it, but we never got any corn.

Q You stated that you own a mercantile establishment at Grove?

A Yes sir.

Q Are there any non-citizens who own establishments there or any other town in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Examined by Mr. West:

Q I want to ask you about your brother Joseph Yeargain voting; I don't remember whether you stated in your direct examination whether he always voted in the Cherokee elections or not; did he?

A Yes sir.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Where is your wife at this time? A At South West City.

Q You are living together at present? A Yes sir.

Q Have you kept house in the Indian Territory at any time since your marriage? A No sir. At the time when I aimed to go to house keeping our house burned down.

Q Do you board in South West City? A No sir.

Q Have you ever boarded since your marriage, or have you kept house continuously? A We have kept house.

S. H. HAYES, called as a witness and being duly sworn, and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q What is your name, age and place of residence?

A S. H. Hayes; I live at Prior Creek; am 37 years old.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever hold any official position in the Cherokee Nation?

A Yes sir, I have held several of them. I was Chief of the Cherokee Nation for four years.

Q What four years were you Chief of the Cherokee Nation?

A I was elected in 1895.

Q And held until 1899? A Yes sir.

Q Did you know at that time the applicant in this case, Scott

A. Yeargain? A Yes sir.

Q Did you know his brother Joseph Yeargain? A Yes sir.

Q What part of the Cherokee Nation did they make their home?

A Delaware District, in the north-eastern portion of the Nation.

Q Over there where Kansas, Arkansas and the Nation all come together? A Yes sir.

Q Did you ever know of their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation being questioned? A No sir.

Q Did you ever appoint Scott Yeargain to any official position of any kind in the Cherokee Nation?

A I appointed him census taker for that district.

Q Delaware District? A Yes sir.

Q What census was that? A The one made the year 1896.

Q Did you ever know of his brother Joseph Yeargain holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir, he was one of our Senators from that district.



Q When did he hold that office ? A He was elected, I think, in 1896. He filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Landrum.

Q Do you know whether or not that was after Joseph Yeargain commenced working in South West City, Missouri ?

A No sir, I don't know anything about that.

Examined by the Commission:

Q You live at Prior Creek ? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known the applicant in this case ?

A I have known of the family all my life. I have not been very intimately acquainted with them. I saw Mr. Scott Yeargain here at the Seminary.

Q Have you resided anywhere in their vicinity during the past four years ? A No sir.

Q Do you know where they have lived for the past four years ?

A I only know from what I have heard. I never was in South West City, nor in Grove.

J. C. STARR, called as a witness, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q What is your name, age and residence ? A J. C. Starr, age 31, residence, Vinita, I. T.

Q What business are you at present engaged in ?

A I am stenographer for the Cherokee Nation.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.

Q Were you raised in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.

Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Scott A. Yeargain ?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know his brother, Joseph Yeargain ? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known him ? A I have known both of them since about 1883.

Q Did you ever go to school with either or both of them ?

A I went to school with S. A. Yeargain. We went together at the Male Seminary at Tahlequah, I. T.

Q Did you ever live in the same district with them ? A Yes sir.

Q What district was that ? A Delaware District.

Q Do you know of Joseph Yeargain holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation at any time ? A Yes sir.

Q What was that ? A He was elected Senator from Delaware District.

Q Do you know where he was at work at the time he was elected ?

A I think he was living at South West City, Missouri.

Q Did you have any part in his election ? A I voted for him.

Q Have you ever known of a question being made in the Cherokee Nation by the authorities, or anybody else, as to the citizenship of Scott A. Yeargain, or Joseph Yeargain ?

A Their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation has never been questioned that I know of.

Q Do you know where their farms are up there ?

A I don't know exactly; I know about where they are; near Bigsville.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Do you know where these people have been residing for the past four years, Mr. Starr ?

A I think they have been residing at South West City, Missouri.

Q Don't you know they have been residing there ? A Yes sir.

W. W. HASTINGS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q Your name is W. W. Hastings ? A Yes sir.  
 Q What is your age ? A Thirty five; my post office is Tablequah.  
 Q Do you know Scott A. Yeargain, the applicant herein ?  
 A Yes sir, I have known Scott A. Yeargain, and his brother Joseph ever since I can remember. My father and mother lived in Delaware District, on Badie's prairie, just across the line from Maysville, Arkansas, and I may say here that the line of Arkansas that separates Arkansas from the Indian Territory, runs right along by the porches at Maysville. My father and mother, I was going to say, lived on this side of the line about four or five miles. When I could first remember these boys and their parents lived on this side of the line perhaps about two miles from my home. They went to the public schools up there, and have been recognized as citizens, and these records show that their names have been enrolled on all the rolls of the Cherokee Nation. Their father and mother owned quite a large farm on this side of Maysville, and sometime in 1892 or '3, about eight or ten years ago, while both these boys were single and while they were making their homes with their parents, they purchased quite a large farm--I don't remember how many acres, but it was a large and valuable one, right near their father's, and I believe one side of it adjoins their father's, and it was purchased in their own name, and I remember writing the bill of sale for them. Sometime since, that house, which was large and valuable, on it, was burned down, but they own the improvements, as I understand it, since. These boys intended to reside there I suppose; Scott had up until the time he was married in 1896. Some little while before that--perhaps two years, Joe, as has been explained in the testimony, went over to South West City; and South West City is right on the line of Missouri, Indian Territory and Arkansas. It is only about eight miles distant from Maysville, Arkansas. I understood that he first went in as a clerk, and afterwards bought an interest, and afterwards bought the entire business. My testimony as to this last part is assumed from hearsay, of course. I might say that I left my father's and mother's home permanently in 1890 or '91, and came down to Tablequah, and of course have been up there on occasional visits since that time. I have seen these boys living in South West City. A brother of mine married Scott, and while I wasn't at the wedding, I heard of it over there in front of his father's gate, in a buggy, in 1896, and I suppose he has been residing up there at South West City since that time, and it has always been my understanding that his brother resided up there, as he stated, for two or three years before 1896, and lives there now. I have always understood that he retained these farms and improvements, and I understood that he had another farm up there. As to their business at Grove, I have never been there since the railroad run in there. I know of Scott's being census taker up there in 1896, and I know that Joe was elected to the Cherokee Senate there while he was residing at South West City, Missouri. His term expired on the first Monday in November, 1897. As to their voting over there and in the Cherokee Nation, it is hearsay. I have understood that they have voted on the Cherokee side. I only know about their voting in Missouri from what they state here on the stand. I believe I went to school with Joe at the Seminary. I know of both of them going to the Cherokee primary schools as well as the Hale Seminary. There were a great many boys going to school there, and I won't be positive whether I went with Scott or not, but I think I did.

I might say that this South West City was the nearest trading point at which a great number of Indians, particularly at the time



they went there, traded. On this side it was rather rough country for a number of miles, and there was no trading point other than over east at Mayville, Arkansas, for the people who lived there, for a great many years. A great many of our people have lived at Mayville, Arkansas, and I expect at South West City. I am not so well acquainted with South West City. There is no trading point except South West City, Missouri, and Mayville, Arkansas, unless they go to Prier Creek or Vinita; none of importance. None of importance, none that you could get anything from except Grove since the railroad runs in there.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Where have these applicants been residing for the past four or five years? A I have understood that they have resided in South West City. As I stated, Scott went there in 1896, and Joe prior to that time.

Q You said you know a number of Cherokee citizens residing in those towns, from the Cherokee Nation; do you know of any other families that have resided over there for the past four or five years as this family has, and engaged in business there?

A Well, I don't know that I can just now recall these people. I haven't been around up there.

Examined by F. C. West, Esq:

Q You know quite a number in Muskogee?

By the Commission:

Q I said in South West City, Missouri. Well--have you ever heard of any? A Yes sir, Percy Wiley, Dan Freeman--

Q When? Prior to this time; prior to '98?

A I don't know that I can recall that just now?

Q Do you know members of any other Cherokee families that have exercised the right of suffrage in any of the States?

A In what years?

Q Say any time prior to 1898, or within the past six years?

A I don't know that I do, because I never attended any of these elections.

Preston C. West, Esq: Joseph Yeargain, by his attorney, Preston C. West, moves that his application for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen be re-opened, and that all of the testimony taken this day, in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain, be filed with and made a part of the record in the matter of the application of Joseph Yeargain, and be considered as a part of the testimony therein.

The Commission: Do you object to re-opening the case Mr.

Hartman?

Mr. Hartman: No sir.

The Commission: The request of the attorney for the applicant will be complied with, and the testimony taken in this case, this day, in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain, will be filed with and made a part of the record in the case of Joseph D. Yeargain, whose name appears on Cherokee Roll Card Field No B 637.

The Commission: The attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted ten days in which to file a brief in behalf of applicant.

E. C. Bagwell, on oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*E. C. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this June 27, 1902.

*J. H. Hunter*  
Notary Public.

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Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this June 21, 1902.

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testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled case, and that  
conformity to the provisions of the laws of the State of New York,  
M. C. Gurnea, an oath sworn that he is a Notary Public for the

6. B-257.

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes.  
Muskogee, I. T., March 12, 1902.

**SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS** in the matter of the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

The applicant was notified by registered letter February 26, 1902, that his application for the enrollment of himself as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation would be taken up for final consideration by the Commission at its offices in Muskogee, I. T., on the 12th day of March, 1902, and thaten said date he might appear before the Commission, either in person or by attorney, when an opportunity would be given him to introduce any additional testimony affecting his application. Receipt has been acknowledged of the Commission's letter, and the applicant Yeargain, this day, to-wit: the 12th day of March, 1902, been called, and failing to respond, it is deemed that his case is completed, and same will be reported to the Commission for final decision based upon the evidence now of record.

I, Wm. Hutchinson, do hereby certify that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, I correctly recorded the proceedings in this case, and that the foregoing is a true and complete transcript of the stenographic notes thereof.

Wm. Hutchinson

Department of the Interior,  
Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Washington, D. C., June 25, 1908.

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Appearances:

Preston C. West, for the applicant;  
W. W. Hastings, for the Cherokee Nation:

SCOTT A. YARGAIN, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by Preston C. West, Esq.:

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A Yes sir.  
Q You stated then that you are the son of James C. Yeargain?  
A Yes sir.  
Q And of Mary Yeargain?  
A Yes sir.  
Q You also stated, I believe, that you were born in the Cherokee Nation?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any brothers and sisters?  
A Yes sir, I have.  
Q How many?  
A I have three brothers and two sisters.  
Q How many living?  
A That many living.  
Q They are all living?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Among these is one named Joseph?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is he also an applicant for enrollment here?  
A No he is.  
Q Is Joseph Yeargain married or single?  
A He's single.  
Q Is he older or younger than you are?  
A He's older.  
Q How much older?  
A Two years.  
Q Was he brought to the Indian Territory when your parents came here?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Has he any property in the Cherokee Nation?  
A No he has.  
Q Are you interested in the same property with him?  
A Yes.  
Q Of what does that property consist?  
A We have a farm, and stock and a store.  
Q Where is your farm, or farms, located?  
A We have one farm well, there's two together though, adjoining the Arkansas line in the Delaware District.  
Q What town is that nearest to?  
A Mayeville.  
Q Mayeville, Arkansas?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is it now property of your father's?  
A It adjains it.  
Q You are jointly interested in that--you and your brother Joseph?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Have you any other farm or improvement in the Delaware District?  
A Yes.  
Q Where is that?  
A Within three miles of South West City, Missouri.  
Q And have you property at Grove, Indian Territory?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Is it a mineral or something?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When did you and your brother acquire the first of these improvements--when did you and your brother acquire the first of these?  
A I don't know just when it was, it's been, I think, ten years ago.  
Q How many improvements there were the title of same?  
A Yes sir.  
Q As to this land, did either you or your brother receive title to it?  
A No sir he had not.  
Q When were you interested?  
A I went to the public schools in the Delaware District, and at Muskogee, and went to school and in Arkansas.



Q You went to the public schools in the Delaware District ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q That was a Cherokee school ? A Yes sir.  
Q You went to the Cherokee Male Seminary at Tahlequah ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Did your brother go to either or both of those schools ?  
A He did.  
Q Did you go to school at the Male Seminary at Tahlequah with any one here now ? A Yes sir, with Mr. Starr, and Mr. Connor.  
Q Did you go to the public school with any Cherokee representative here now ? A I guess I went with Mr. Hastings when I was very small.  
Q Did this farm which you say you acquired about ten years ago, have a house on it at the time you acquired it ? A Yes sir.  
Q What date did you say you were married ?  
A On February 2, 1896.  
Q Where were you married ? A At my father's farm.  
Q Within the Delaware District and Cherokee Nation ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Where did you reside after you were married--first ?  
A I stayed with him a short time.  
Q What was your intention at that time as to where you would make your home--about the time you married ? A I expected to go on the farm at that time, but my house got burned down.  
Q The house on this farm that belonged to yourself and brother ?  
A Yes sir. I went to South West City then.  
Q You and your wife went to South West City, Missouri, then ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q Was that the first time you had ever been out of the Cherokee Nation except during the time you had been to school over in Arkansas ? A Yes sir.  
Q Now you stated in your former testimony that you thought you were in South West City, Missouri, June 22, 1896, I want to know now whether you are certain about that ? A After I stayed at South West City a short while I went back to my father's place expecting to have a house built, and go back on the farm, but I went to be positive as to time, and I don't know just when that was.  
Q You don't know whether that was in 1896 or not, or whether it was in June ? A I don't know but a short time anyway. I never thought of it when I was here before.  
Q In addition to the farm that you and your brother have had in the Cherokee Nation, have you had any stock ?  
A We have had stock on the farm ever since we have been out; that is during the past ten years.  
Q Has there ever been a time since you and your brother got to looking after your own affairs and ceased to reside with your father and be taken care of by him, when you did not have property in the Cherokee Nation ? A No sir.  
Q Where are you now living ? A My family are at South West City. I stay at Grove's from Monday to Saturday, and go back to them.  
Q You have charge, then, of the mercantile establishment at Grove ?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When did your brother Joseph go to South West City, Missouri ?  
A It has been some six or seven years--something like that. He's a little longer.  
Q What did he do when he went there ? A He first went to work in a hardware store, and a short time afterwards he bought a half interest in the store, and later on bought it all.  
Q He bought the whole store ? A Yes sir.  
Q Now all that time he still has his property in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir.  
Q You stated in your former testimony that you had voted at times for you over in Arkansas in State and Presidential elections ?  
A Yes sir.

Q I want to ask you how about your voting in the Cherokee Nation ?  
 A I have voted here ever since I have been old enough.  
 Q At all of the Cherokee elections ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you ever hold any office in the Cherokee Nation, or any public position of any kind ? A I was appointed census taker in 1896 for a part of Delaware District.  
 Q By whom were you appointed ? A By Sam Hayes, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.  
 Q Has your brother Joseph ever held any office in the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir, he did.  
 Q What office ? A He was in the Cherokee Senate.  
 Q From what district ? A Delaware District.  
 Q When was he elected to the Senate from the Delaware District ? A It was sometime in 1895 or in 1896.  
 Q Did he serve for a whole term or only part of a term ? A Part of a term.  
 Q Whose unexpired term was he elected to fill ? A Mack Landrum's.  
 Q Was he elected to that position ? A He was, yes sir.  
 Q Did this election to the Senate of the Cherokee Nation from the Delaware District occur before or after he had acquired this business ever there in South West City, Missouri ? A It was at the time he had this business there.  
 Q He was already over at South West City, Missouri, and engaged in business at that time ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Is South West City, Missouri, near the line of the Cherokee Nation ? A It joins the line.  
 Q Mayville, Arkansas, also crosses the line does it not ? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you go over to South West City for the purpose of working in this establishment which your brother had acquired, after you were married ? A I did.  
 Q That was the first time you had ever been outside the Cherokee Nation ? A Yes sir, except at school.  
 Q During the period you had been working over there in South West City, what place have you regarded as your permanent home ? A I regarded the Delaware District and the Cherokee Nation my home.  
 Q Was your citizenship in the Cherokee Nation ever questioned in any way that you ever heard of ? A No sir.  
 Q You have been always recognized as a citizen ? A Yes sir.  
 Q You are on the rolls ? A Yes sir, I guess I am on every roll since I was born.

P. S. Vast, Esq.: I want to put into the record what the roll of 1896 disclosed, that is, as to Scott A. Yarnum, and I want it also as to Joseph Yarnum; and the 1896 roll also. I want the 1893 roll for the Delaware District, page 118---

Q Was this appointment made by Chief Hayes to take the census before or after you went to South West City ? A It was after I was in South West City.

--1890 roll, page 245, § 2412, Scott A. Yarnum, Delaware District;

--1891 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

--1892 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

--1893 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

--1894 roll, page 245, § 2412, Scott A. Yarnum, Delaware District;

--1895 roll, page 245, § 2412, Scott A. Yarnum, Delaware District;

--1896 roll, page 245, § 2412, Joseph A. Yarnum, Delaware District;

--1897 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

--1898 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

--1899 roll, Delaware District, § 1245, Scott A. Yarnum;

—1894 roll, page 545, § 3499, Joe Yurganin;  
—1895 roll, page 545, § 3499, Joseph D. Yurganin, Delaware  
District;

By the Commissioner:

Q Where were you living at the time of your marriage?  
A In the Delaware District with my father.  
Q Had you ever been to South West City prior to that time?  
A I never had stayed there any.  
Q Had you ever worked there any before that time? A No sir.  
Q Had you ever been employed outside the Territory prior to your marriage? A No sir.  
Q Was your brother living in South West City when you were married?  
A Yes sir.  
Q How long had he been residing there? A When I married?  
A Yes. A I don't know.  
Q How long after your marriage was it before you went to South West City?  
A It wasn't but a short time.  
Q As much as a year? A Oh no, a month or something like that—just a short time.  
Q Have you been working with your brother at South West City since you have been living there? A Yes sir.  
Q You stated a while ago that you have voted at all the elections in the Cherokee Nation, isn't it also a fact that you have voted in all the elections in the State of Missouri?  
A I voted in all of them until they asked me the question at Tahlequah, and I haven't since then.  
Q Do you vote in the municipal elections in South West City?  
A Yes sir.  
Q When was the last time you cast a vote in Missouri?  
A I guess it was in 1900.  
Q Was your vote ever challenged in the Cherokee Nation?  
A It never was.  
Q Was it ever challenged in Missouri? A No sir.  
Q Have you ever held any official position in South West City?  
A No sir.  
Q Has your brother? A No sir.  
Q How often since you moved to South West City have you been in the Cherokee Nation?  
A I guess I have been there every week. Of course I may not have been there every week, either, but regularly.  
Q Where have you spent the major portion of your time?  
A Since I was married of course the biggest portion of it I have spent in South West City.  
Q You were married in 1895? A Yes sir.  
Q And moved to South West City shortly after your marriage, and have continued to live there, and your wife has lived there ever since that time? A Yes sir. Only the short time I was speaking about when we went to my father's intending to build us a house, and live at the farm.  
Q Was that where you had gone to South West City? A Yes sir.  
Q How long did you stay at your father's?  
A Didn't stay there long; we commenced not to build a house.  
Q Did you stay as long as a month? A Yes sir.  
Q Then you moved back to South West City? A Yes sir.  
Q Do you own any property in South West City? A—Aren't you certain whether you do or not?  
A I owned some land and a little house, and I traded a while later. I am satisfied I don't own anything there now. I would guess and bought them and sold them.  
Q When did you dispose of your property there? A I don't know just when I have had say. But at the time I traded my place and it would be in my brother's name.  
Q Have you done any trading lately? A I want a horse to a short time ago on a mortgage, but he was put in the bank.

Q In your brother's name? A I know it wasn't in mine.  
 Q Do you mean to say that you don't own any property of any kind outside of household effects, outside of the Cherokee Nation?  
 A Yes sir. Of course a driving horse.  
 Q Outside of that? A Yes sir, I know I don't.  
 Q Who is in possession of this farm you claim to have in the Cherokee Nation? Is it rented?  
 A I have got the most of it in myself, and part of it is rented.  
 Q Is it worked by citizens or non-citizens?  
 A They are all non-citizens, I think.  
 Q How much revenue did you derive from the farm last year?  
 A I can't tell you, we got a right smart of wheat off it, but we never got any corn.  
 Q You stated that you own a mercantile establishment at Grove?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Are there any non-citizens who run establishments there or any other town in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
 Examined by Mr. West:  
 Q I want to ask you about your brother Joseph Morgan voting; I don't remember whether you stated in your direct examination whether he always voted in the Cherokee elections or not; did he?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Examined by the Commission:  
 Q Where is your wife at this time? A At South West City.  
 Q You are living together at present? A Yes sir.  
 Q Have you kept house in the Indian Territory at any time since your marriage? A No sir. At the time when I asked to go to house keeping my house burned down.  
 Q Do you live in South West City? A No sir.  
 Q Have you ever lived since your marriage, or have you kept house continuously? A We have kept house.

S. H. MORGAN, called as a witness and being duly sworn, and examined by the Commission, testified as follows:  
 Examined by F. S. West, Esq.  
 Q What is your name, age and place of residence?  
 A S. H. Morgan, I live at Pryor Creek, am 37 years old.  
 Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you ever hold any official position in the Cherokee Nation?  
 A Yes sir, I have held several of them. I was Chief of the Cherokee Nation for four years.  
 Q What four years were you Chief of the Cherokee Nation?  
 A I was elected in 1895.  
 Q How long until 1899? A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you know at that time the applicant in this case, Scott Morgan?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you know his brother Joseph Morgan? A Yes sir.  
 Q What part of the Cherokee Nation did they make their home?  
 A Muskogee District, in the north-eastern portion of the Nation.  
 Q Were there there Missouri, Arkansas and the Nation all came together?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you ever know of their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation being questioned?  
 A Yes sir.  
 Q Did you ever appoint Scott Morgan to any official position or put him in the Cherokee Nation?  
 A Yes sir, I appointed him once for that district.  
 Q Where is he now?  
 A He was here the year 1899.  
 Q Did you ever know of his brother Joseph Morgan holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation?  
 A Yes sir, he was one of our leaders over that district.



Q When did he hold that office? - A He was elected, I think, in 1896. He filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Landrum.

Q Do you know whether or not that was after Joseph Yeargain commenced working in South West City, Missouri?

A No sir, I don't know anything about that.

Examined by the Commission:

Q You live at Frier Creek? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known the applicant in this case?

A I have known of the family all my life. I have not been very intimately acquainted with them. I saw Mr. Scott Yeargain here at the Seminary.

Q Have you resided anywhere in their vicinity during the past four years? A No sir.

Q Do you know where they have lived for the past four years?

A I only know from what I have heard. I never was in South West City, nor in Grove.

J. C. STARR, called as a witness, being duly sworn, and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Mag:

Q What is your name, age and residence? A J. C. Starr, age 31, residence, Vinita, I. T.

Q What business are you at present engaged in?

A I am stenographer for the Cherokee Nation.

Q Are you a citizen of the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Were you raised in the Cherokee Nation? A Yes sir.

Q Do you know the applicant in this case, Scott A. Yeargain?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you know his brother, Joseph Yeargain? A Yes sir.

Q How long have you known him? A I have known both of them since about 1895.

Q Did you ever go to school with either or both of them?

A I went to school with S. A. Yeargain. We went together at the Male Seminary at Tahlequah, I. T.

Q Did you ever live in the same district with them? A Yes sir.

Q What district was that? A Delaware District.

Q Do you know of Joseph Yeargain holding any official position in the Cherokee Nation at any time? A Yes sir.

Q What was that? A He was elected Senator from Delaware District.

Q Do you know where he was at work at the time he was elected?

A I think he was living at South West City, Missouri.

Q Did you have any part in his election? A I voted for him.

Q Have you ever known of a question being made in the Cherokee Nation by the authorities, or anybody else, as to the citizenship of Scott A. Yeargain, or Joseph Yeargain?

A Their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation has never been questioned that I know of.

Q Do you know where their farms are up there?

A I don't know exactly; I know about where they are, near Mayville.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Do you know where these people have been residing for the past four years, Mr. Starr?

A I think they have been residing at South West City, Missouri.

Q Don't you know they have been residing there? A Yes sir.



W. W. HASTINGS, called as a witness, being duly sworn and examined, testified as follows:

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q Your name is W. W. Hastings? A Yes sir.

Q What is your age? A Thirty five; my post office is Tahlequah.

Q Do you know Scott A. Yeargain, the applicant herein?

A Yes sir, I have known Scott A. Yeargain, and his brother Joseph ever since I can remember. My father and mother lived in Delaware District, on Radie's prairie, just across the line from Maysville, Arkansas, and I may say here that the line of Arkansas that separates Arkansas from the Indian Territory, runs right along by the porches at Maysville. My father and mother, I was going to say, lived on this side of the line about four or five miles. When I could first remember these boys and their parents lived on this side of the line perhaps about two miles from my home. They went to the public schools up there, and have been recognized as citizens, and these records show that their names have been enrolled on all the rolls of the Cherokee Nation. Their father and mother owned quite a large farm on this side of Maysville, and sometime in 1892 or '3, about eight or ten years ago, while both these boys were single, and while they were making their homes with their parents, they purchased quite a large farm--I don't remember how many acres, but it was a large and valuable one, right near their father's, and I believe one side of it adjoins their father's, and it was purchased in their own name, and I remember writing the bill of sale for them. Sometime since, that house, which was large and valuable, on it, was burned down, but they own the improvements, as I understand it, since. These boys intended to reside there I suppose; Scott had up until the time he was married in 1896. Some little while before that--perhaps two years, Joe, as has been explained in the testimony went over to South West City, and South West City is right on the line of Missouri, Indian Territory and Arkansas. It is only about eight miles distant from Maysville, Arkansas. I understood that he first went in as a clerk, and afterwards bought an interest, and afterwards bought the entire business. My testimony as to this last part is assumed from hearsay, of course. I might say that I left my father's and mother's home permanently in 1890 or '91, and came down to Tahlequah, and of course have been up there on occasional visits since that time. I have seen these boys living in South West City. A brother of mine married Scott, and while I wasn't at the wedding, I heard of it over there in front of his father's gate, in a buggy, in 1896, and I suppose he has been residing up there at South West City since that time, and it has always been my understanding that his brother resided up there, as he stated, for two or three years before 1896, and lives there now. I have always understood that he retained these farm and improvements, and I understood that he had another farm up there. As to their business at Grove, I have never been there since the railroad ran in there. I know of Scott's being census taken up there in 1896, and I know that Joe was elected to the Cherokee Senate there while he was residing at South West City, Missouri. His term expired on the first Monday in November, 1897. As to their voting over there and in the Cherokee Nation, it is hearsay. I have understood that they have voted on the Cherokee side. I only know about their voting in Missouri from what they state here on the stand. I believe I went to school with Joe at the Seminary. I know of both of them going to the Cherokee primary schools as well as the Mile Seminary. There were a great many boys going to school there, and I won't be positive whether I went with Scott or not, but I think I did.

I might say that this South West City was the nearest trading point at which a great number of Indians, particularly at the time

they went there, traded. On this side it was rather rough country for a number of miles, and there was no trading point other than ever east at Mayville, Arkansas, for the people who lived there, for a great many years. A great many of our people have lived at Mayville, Arkansas, and I don't at South West City. I am not so well acquainted with South West City. There is no trading point except South West City, Missouri, and Mayville, Arkansas, where they go to Prior Creek or Vienna, none of importance. None of importance, none that you could get anything from except Creek since the railroad came in there.

Examined by the Commission:

Q Where have these applicants been residing for the past four or five years? A I have understood that they have resided in South West City. As I stated, Scott went there in 1896, and Joe prior to that time.

Q You said you knew a number of Cherokee citizens residing in these towns, from the Cherokee Nation; do you know of any other families that have resided over there for the past four or five years as this family has, and engaged in business there?

A Well, I don't know that I can just now recall these people. I haven't been around up there.

Examined by P. C. West, Esq:

Q You know quite a number in Muskogee?

By the Commission:

Q I said in South West City, Missouri. Well--have you ever heard of any? A Yes sir, Perry Wiley, Ben Freeman--

Q When? Prior to this time, prior to '98?

A I don't know that I can recall that just now.

Q Do you know members of any other Cherokee families that have maintained the right of suffrage in any of the States?

A In what years?

Q Any time prior to 1890, or within the past six years?

A I don't know that I do, because I never attended any of those elections.

Preston C. West, Esq: Joseph Yeargain, by his attorney, Preston C. West, moves that his application for enrollment as a Cherokee citizen be re-opened, and that all of the testimony taken this day, in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain, be filed with and made a part of the record in the matter of the application of Joseph Yeargain, and be considered as a part of the testimony therein.

The Commission: Do you object to re-opening the case Mr. Yeargain?

Mr. Yeargain: No sir.

The Commission: The request of the attorney for the applicant will be complied with, and the testimony taken in this case, this day, in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain, will be filed with and made a part of the record in the case of Joseph B. Yeargain, whose name appears on Cherokee Roll Book No. 3 287.

The Commission: The attorney for the applicant requests and will be granted the day in which to file a brief in behalf of applicant.

H. G. Bagwell, do oath states that as stenographer to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, he correctly recorded the testimony and proceedings had in the above entitled cause, and that the foregoing is an accurate transcript of his stenographic notes thereof.

*H. G. Bagwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this June 27, 1902.

*J. H. Renter*  
Notary Public.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

In the matter of the application for the enrollment of Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation, consolidating the applications of

Scott A. Yeargain, et al., --- -----Cherokee 6426

Joseph D. Yeargain-----Cherokee D - 937.

D E C I S I O N .

The record in these cases shows that the following named applicants appeared before the Commission at the places hereinafter designated and made personal application for the enrollment of the following persons as citizens, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation:

On December 11, 1900, at Tahlequah, Indian Territory, Joseph D. Yeargain made application for himself;

On the same date and at the same place Scott A. Yeargain made application for himself and his minor daughter, Marjorie C. Yeargain; the application also included his wife Ida C. Yeargain, but she is differently classified and is not embraced in this decision.

Further proceedings in the matter of said applications were had at Muskogee, Indian Territory, June 26, 1902.

The evidence shows that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and are identified as such on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee Nation. They are also identified on the following rolls of said Nation: the 1883 roll; the 1886 pay roll; the 1890 census roll; the 1894 strip payment roll; and the 1896 census roll. The said Ida C. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 census roll as the wife of Scott A. Yeargain. Marjorie C. Yeargain is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls but is identified by a birth affidavit on file with the Commission.

The evidence further shows that on February 2, 1896, said Scott A. Yeargain was lawfully married to Ida C. Tinnin, a white woman, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is the issue of such marriage.

The evidence further shows that the said Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1896 and that Joseph D. Yeargain resided in said Nation for about 26 years immediately preceding the year 1896. The said Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1896 and 1896 respectively, up to and including the date of the application herein; and Marjorie C. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father.

Paragraph nine of section 21 of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1893, (30 Stats., 495), provides:

"No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship."

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Commission that the application for the enrollment of Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens, by blood, of the Cherokee Nation should be denied under the provisions of section 21 of said



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Dated at Muskogee, Indian Territory,  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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ADDRESS ONLY THE  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

February 28,

1902.

Mr. Joseph D. Yeargain,

Southwest City, Missouri,

Sir:-

You are hereby notified that the application of yourself

for enrollment as citizen of the Cherokee Nation will be taken up for final consideration by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, at its office in Muskogee, Indian Territory, on the 13 day of March, 1902.

On said date, you may, if you desire, appear before the Commission, in person or by attorney, when an opportunity will be given you to introduce any additional testimony affecting your application.

You are further notified that the Representatives of the Cherokee Nation will also, at the same time, be afforded an opportunity to introduce testimony tending to disprove your right to enrollment, but said Representatives will be required to notify you of their intention to introduce such testimony before they will be permitted to do so.

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Yours truly,

Commissioner in Charge.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

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ACTING CHAIRMAN

Cherokee D 537.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

Joseph D. Yeargain,

Southwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 1, 1902, in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 5426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee D 537, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

There has heretofore been furnished your attorney, Preston C. West, Muskogee, Indian Territory, a copy of the record of proceedings, and there has this day been forwarded to him a copy of the Commission's decision.

The decision, with the record of proceedings had in this case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision.

The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as

the Commission is in error of the same.

respectfully,

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Cherokee 6426,  
D 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

Preston C. West,

Attorney for Scott A. Yeargain, et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

There is herewith enclosed a copy of the decision of the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, dated October 1, 1902, in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee D 937, rejecting the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Marjorie G. Yeargain, and the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

You have heretofore been furnished with a copy of the record of proceedings.

The decision, with the record of proceedings had in the case, has this day been transmitted to the Secretary of the Interior for his review and decision.

The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as

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such as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

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Cherokee 6426,  
D 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1902.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is herewith transmitted the record of proceedings had in the consolidated cases of Scott A. Yeargain, et al., Cherokee No. 6426, and Joseph D. Yeargain, Cherokee No. D 937, embracing the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Marjorie C. Yeargain, and the application of Joseph D. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, including the decision of the Commission, dated October 1, 1902, rejecting said applications.

Respectfully,

James Kirby  
Acting Chairman.

Through the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Enc. C. No. 5.

Cherokee 6426,  
D 937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, October 3, 1908.

W. V. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

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The action of the Secretary will be made known to you as soon as the Commission is informed of the same.

Respectfully,

Enc. C. No. 4.

Acting Chairman.



Refer in reply  
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( C O P Y )

Department of the Interior,  
Office of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, October 23, 1902.

The Honorable

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

There is transmitted, herewith, the record and proceedings had before the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes in the matter of the application of Joseph Daniel Yeargain for enrollment as a citizen of the Cherokee Nation; also in the matter of the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, wife and one child as Cherokee citizens.

Both of these applications were first heard on December 11, 1900 and at that time the name of Joseph Daniel Yeargain was placed on what is termed a "doubtful card" for the reason that it was clear under his testimony that he was not a bona fide resident of the Cherokee Nation; that the said Scott A. Yeargain and child were listed by the commission for enrollment as Cherokee citizens by blood, while Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, was not enrolled on the ground that her marriage in February 1896 was too late for her to acquire property rights as an intermarried citizen under the Cherokee law of 1895.

On December 11, 1900, the said Scott A. Yeargain again ap-



peared before the commission and testified that he had been exercising the right of franchise in Southwest City, Missouri, sometime prior to and since 1898.

On June 25, 1902, the matter of the application of said Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself, wife and child as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation was again heard before the commission and considered <sup>all</sup> testimony submitted relative thereto by the applicant and others.

The applicant's attorney also requested leave to file a brief within ten days which was granted and the same filed. The testimony and evidence submitted in behalf of the claim of Scott A. Yeargain was, by consent, made a part of the evidence in the case of Joseph Daniel Yeargain and on October 1st, 1902, the commission rendered a decision in which both cases were reviewed and decided. In said decision the commission sums up the facts in part as follows: that the evidence shows that Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees; that they are identified as such on the 1880 authenticated roll of the

the 1886 pay roll, the 1890 census roll, the 1894 scrip payment roll and the 1896 census roll; that the said Ida C. Yeargain, wife of Scott A. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 roll; that Marjorie C. Yeargain, daughter of Scott A. Yeargain, and Ida C. Yeargain, is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls, but is identified by birth affidavit on file with the commission; that the evidence further shows that on February 2, 1896, said

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Scott A. Yeargain was <sup>legally</sup> married to Ida C. Timmin, a white woman, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is the issue of such marriage that the evidence further shows that said Scott A. Yeargain was a resident of the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1896 and that Joseph Daniel Yeargain resided in said nation for about 26 years immediately preceding the year 1896; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1895 and 1896, respectively, up to and including the date of the application herein, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father; that under paragraph 9 of section 21 of the Act of Congress approved June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), providing that "no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship" is applicable to these cases, and that in the opinion of the Commission their applications should be denied.

The office is not satisfied that the decision of the commission in these two cases is correct. The record evidence shows that ~~Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain~~ were native Cherokees and that they resided all their lives in the Cherokee Nation up to 1895 and 1896, as is set forth in the decision of the commission; that the said Joseph Daniel Yeargain was elected a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was residing at Southwest City, Missouri, where he went in 1895 and that his term of office expired on the first Monday in November, 1897;

that said Scott A. Yeargain was appointed census taker for a part of Delaware district in 1896 by Sam Mayes, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation; that both of the applicants have voted at all the Cherokee elections up to the date of filing their applications for enrollment; that both own goods and chattels in the Cherokee Nation and purchased valuable improvements therein and claim the land upon which those improvements are located as their reservations.

The evidence also shows that Joseph Daniel Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain have resided at Southwest City, Missouri, from 1895 and 1896, respectively, up to and including the date of their applications herein; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain owns a business there and that said Scott A. Yeargain is clerking for him; that both of the applicants have voted at diverse times in the State of Missouri; that said Joseph Daniel Yeargain is a single man and the said Scott A. Yeargain a married man.

Under these facts the office cannot see wherein the evidence shows that these applicants have lost their residence in the Cherokee Nation. The office has heretofore called the attention of the Department to that provision of section 21 of the Act of June 28, 1898, providing that no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship. This provision does not attempt to fix the time prior to 1898 at which said good faith settlement must be made in the nation, and the office is of the opinion that the word "removal" is applicable only to those Indians who

have never in good faith settled in their respective nations. These applicants resided in the Cherokee Nation all their lives up to 1895 and 1896. They both held office under the tribal laws of the nation and Joseph Daniel Yeargain, at least, was elected and served as a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was a resident of Southwest City, Missouri, and both have always exercised the right of franchise in said nation and both owned personal property and did business in said nation in 1898 and have continued to so own and transact business up to the date of their applications. The office believes that said provision of article 9 of section 21 of the act of 1898 is not applicable to these cases and that unless these applicants have lost their right of citizenship by reason of some Cherokee law, they are entitled to enrollment.

Section two of article one of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation provides, in part, as follows:

"That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of this nation and becomes a citizen of any other nation, his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease, provided, nevertheless, that the national council shall have the power to readmit by law to all the rights of citizenship any such person or persons who may at any time desire to return to the nation on memorializing the national council for such readmission."

It appears from the testimony that these applicants both voted in the State of Missouri and if there were no other facts

of record this would be conclusive evidence that they have become "citizens of another government" but on the other hand the record evidence shows conclusively that they still have effects within the limits of the Cherokee Nation and that they still exercise the right of suffrage therein. While they have voted in Missouri thereby becoming non-citizens of the Cherokee Nation under one clause of the constitution, they have not lost their citizenship in the Cherokee Nation under that clause which provides that in order to do so they must remove with their effects out of the limits of the nation. The fact that they voted in Missouri only leads to a presumption of their residence therein and is not conclusive proof that they are actual bona fide residents of the State of Missouri, and if this presumption is removed by other and more potent facts it cannot prevail.

The office is of the opinion that because these applicants never removed their effects from said nation and because they still continued to vote in said nation and one, at least, of the applicants was even elected to the Senate while a resident of Missouri and served in said body during his term of office which did not expire until 1897, these applicants never lost their right of citizenship in said nation and that all that can be said of their voting in the State of Missouri is that it was illegal which illegal act does not in any way affect the question to be determined herein.

In addition to the above the office desires to call attention to the fact that the names of the applicants, Joseph Daniel



Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain, appear upon the 1880 roll, and section 21 of the Act of June 28, 1898, (30 Stats., 495), provides, in part, as follows:

"That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes, "as required by law, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes "is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens "of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the "only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding Acts "of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names "are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date "of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon."

This provision of the act of 1898 as applied to the enrollment of Cherokees was in full force and effect when the applications herein were filed and also on the date that the decision herein was rendered by the commission. The commission's duty under this provision is to enroll all Cherokee citizens whose names appear upon the 1880 roll and this law supersedes that provision of the constitution of the Cherokee Nation cited above. Under this provision of section 21 it is mandatory upon the com-

mission to enroll those persons whose names appear upon the roll together with their descendants, and the office knows of no bar to the enrollment of such persons. There are no exceptions noted in the law itself and none have been created by any subsequent legislation. This law would be applicable in this case to said Joseph Daniel Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain, daughter and descendant of said Scott A. Yeargain.

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The office, therefore, by reason of the premises considers that the decision of the commission in this case should be set aside as to the said Joseph Daniel Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain, the daughter of said Scott A. Yeargain, and recommends that the commission be instructed to enroll them as citizens of the Cherokee Nation with all the rights that citizenship therein guarantees, and it is further recommended that the decision of the commission as to Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, denying her right to enrollment on the ground that her marriage was too late to invest her with property rights in the Cherokee Nation, be affirmed by the Department.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. C. Tonner,

Acting Commissioner.

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D. C. No. 20766-1902.

Department of the Interior,

I. T. D. 6561-1902.

Washington.

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October 30, 1902.

Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

The Department has considered the case involving the applications for enrollment of Joseph D. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie C. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

It was found by you that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are identified on the 1880 authenticated Cherokee Roll, the 1883 roll, the 1896 roll, the 1890 census roll, the 1894 scrip payment roll, and the 1896 census roll. Marjorie C. Yeargain is too young to appear on any of the tribal rolls, but was identified by a birth affidavit; that ~~it was shown that Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation until 1896, and that Joseph D. Yeargain resided in~~ said nation for about 26 years prior to 1896; that both of the latter applicants have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, which is just across the line from the Cherokee Nation, since 1896 and 1898, respectively, and that Marjorie C. Yeargain is presumed to have resided with her father.

Referring to that portion of the act of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), which provides that

"No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship,"

you rejected the application as to these parties October 1, 1902.

Reporting in the matter October 23, 1902, the Acting Commissioner of Indian Affairs states that, as the evidence shows that Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and that they resided all their lives in the Cherokee Nation up to 1895 and 1896, that the said Joseph D. Yeargain was elected a member of the Cherokee Senate while he was residing at Southwest City, Missouri, where he went in 1895, and that his term of office expired on the first Monday in November, 1897, that said Scott A. Yeargain was appointed census taker for a part of the Delaware District in 1896 by the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, that both of the applicants have voted at all the Cherokee elections up to the date of their filing their applications for enrollment, that both own goods and chattels in the Cherokee Nation and purchased valuable improvements therein and claim the land upon which are these improvements, that said Joseph D. Yeargain owns a business in Southwest City, Missouri, and that said Scott A. Yeargain is clerking for him, that both the applicants have voted at diverse times in the State of Missouri, that said Joseph D. Yeargain is a single man and that said Scott A. Yeargain is a married man, he cannot see where these applicants have lost

their residence in the Cherokee Nation. He goes into a discussion as to the interpretation that should be placed upon that portion of the law upon which your decision is based. As to this the Department has time and again acted upon cases, following the recommendations of the Indian Office, in accordance with your views. The Acting Commissioner concludes that the parties should be enrolled unless they have lost their right to citizenship by reason of some Cherokee law. He quotes from Section 2, Article 1, of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation, which provides

"That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of this nation and becomes a citizen of any other government, all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease, provided, nevertheless, that the national council shall have the power to readmit by law to all the rights of citizenship any such person or persons who may at any time desire to return to the nation on memorializing the national council for such readmission,"

and states, however, that as these applicants have voted in the State of Missouri, if there were no other facts of record this would be conclusive evidence that they have become "citizens of another government," but as the record shows conclusively that they still have effects within the limits of the Cherokee Nation, and that they still exercise their right of suffrage therein, they have not forfeited their Cherokee citizenship; that the fact that they voted in Missouri only leads to a presumption of their residence therein, and is not conclusive proof that they are actual bona fide residents of the State of Missouri, and if this



presumption is removed by other and more potent facts, it cannot prevail; that all that can be said of their voting in Missouri is that it was illegal, which illegal act does not in any way affect the question to be determined in this case. He also calls attention to Section 21 of the act of June 28, 1898 (30 Stat., 495), which provides

"That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes, as required by law, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding Acts of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon,"

and says the Commission's duty under this provision is to enroll all citizens whose names appear on the 1880 roll; that this law supercedes the provision of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation cited above; that this provision of Section 21 is mandatory upon the Commission to enroll those persons whose names appear on the 1880 roll, together with their descendants, and he knows no bar to the enrollment of such persons; that there are no exceptions noted in the law itself; and none have been created by any subsequent legislation.

The Department has placed its interpretation upon this provision of the act of June 28, 1898 in a number of cases, not in accordance with the views of the Acting Commissioner expressed in the present case, of which you are well aware, and which the Indian Office has overlooked. See particularly Department decision of August 6, 1902, in

the case of Philip T. Johnson. The Department finds no reason to disturb your decision. The principal applicants saw fit to leave the Indian Territory and establish residences in Missouri. They have exercised the right to vote in that State, and under the plain interpretation of the Act of June 28, 1898, quoted above, you were warranted in rejecting their application, as also the application for the enrollment of Marjorie C. Yeargain, as her residence was with her father. Your decision is affirmed.

The Acting Commissioner also recommends that-

"The decision of the commission as to Ida C. Yeargain, the wife of said Scott A. Yeargain, denying her right to enrollment on the ground that her marriage was too late to invest her with property rights in the Cherokee Nation,"

be affirmed by the Department.

Your decision distinctly stated that the rights of Ida C. Yeargain were not passed upon; that she was "differently classified."

A copy of the Acting Commissioner's letter is inclosed.

Respectfully,

E. A. Hitchcock.

Secretary.

E.M.D.

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Commissioner of  
Indian Affairs

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 11, 1902.

Hutchings, Vest & Parker,  
Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, of  
date October 1, 1902, rejecting the application of Joseph D. Year-  
gain for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the  
application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and  
his minor child, Margerie G. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the  
Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior on  
October 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

Tamie Darby  
Acting Chairman.

Mustagee, Indian Territory, November 9, 1902.

Joseph D. Yeargain,

Northwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision of date October 1, 1902, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior on December 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

J. D. Freckinridge

Commissioner in Charge

COPY.

Cherokee Nation

Muskogee, Indian Territory, November 8, 1902.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, of date October 1, 1902, rejecting the application of Joseph B. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself as a citizen by blood, and the application of Scott A. Yeargain for the enrollment of himself and his minor child, Marjorie G. Yeargain, as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, was affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

C. C. Brantley



Cherokee D-21

Cherokee Territory, December 23, 1902.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior,

Sir:

There is transmitted herewith, for Departmental consideration, a notice made on behalf of the applicant, for re-hearing before the Department of the application of Joseph D. Yeargen for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

The decision of the Commission, rejecting the application for the enrollment of this person, was approved by the Department, on October 30, 1902.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. M2176

Through the

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, December 22, 1904.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,

Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:-

There is transmitted herewith a copy of a motion made on behalf of the applicant, for a re-hearing before the Secretary of the Interior of the application of Joseph D. Yeargin for enrollment as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

Enc. H-3174

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J.P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

WASHINGTON.

I.T.D. 6361-1902.  
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January 9, 1903.

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Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes,  
Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

The motions for review in the matter of the applications of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott Yeargain, et al. for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, received with your letters of December 23, 1902, are returned herewith to be returned to the attorneys making such motions, as they bear no evidence of service upon the attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

You will advise the attorneys for the applicants that should the motions be returned to the Department with evidence of service they will receive due consideration. You will also advise the attorney for the Nation that he will be allowed fifteen days from service of copies of such motions within which to file any argument he may desire.

Respectfully,

(signed) Theo Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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Cherokee 6426  
A D-937.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 22, 1908.

Hutchings, West and Parker,

Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al.,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There are enclosed you herewith your motions for review in the matter of the application of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain et al., for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, same having been returned by the Department, for the reason that they bear no evidence of service upon the attorney for the Cherokee Nation.

The Commission is instructed to advise you that, should the motions be returned to the Department with evidence of service, they will receive due consideration; also that you will be allowed fifteen days from service of said motion, within which to file any argument you may desire.

Respectfully,

*Fatne B. B. B.*  
Acting Chairman.

Enc. 2-07

Office of Assistant Attorney General.

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1169-403.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
WASHINGTON.

J.H.W.  
S.V.P.  
W.C.P.

March 16, 1903.

of the interior.

Sir:

With his letter on February 3, 1903, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs submitted a motion by Joseph B. Yeargain, Scott A. Yeargain and Marjorie Yeargain, infant child of Scott A. Yeargain, for rehearing and review of Departmental decision of October 30, 1902, rejecting their application for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee nation, which with the accompanying papers, you referred to me February 12, 1903, with request for an early opinion in the matter.

The applications were sent to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes which found and states the ultimate facts to be that:

.....Joseph B. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain are native Cherokees and are identified as such on the 1880 authenticated roll of the Cherokee nation. They are also identified on the following rolls of said nation: the 1883 roll; the 1886 pay roll; the 1890 census roll; the 1894 strip payment roll and the 1896 census roll. as The said Ida C. Yeargain is identified on the 1896 census roll as the wife of Scott A. Yeargain. Marjorie C. Yeargain is too young to appear upon any of the tribal rolls, but is identified by a birth affidavit on file with the Commission.

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The evidence further shows that the said Scott A. Yeargain resided in the Cherokee Nation all his life up to 1896 and that Joseph B. Yeargain resided in said nation for about 16 years immediately preceding the year 1895. The said Joseph B. Yeargain and



Scott A. Yeargain have been permanent residents of Southwest City, Missouri, from 1896 and 1896 respectively up to and including the date of the application herein; and Marjorie O. Yeargain, being a minor, is presumed to have resided with her father.

The evidence submitted as part of the proceedings of the Commission shows further that Joseph D. Yeargain owns a mill and two stores in Southwest City, Missouri, close to the line of Indian Territory, and the brothers own a store and two farms in the Territory, which they actively conduct and where they keep considerable stock and personal property; that Joseph D. Yeargain voted in Missouri at the last Presidential election, but not at any other election; that he has also voted in the Territory at all Territorial and tribal elections and was elected in 1896 to the Senate of the Indian nation and served in that body from the Delaware District, and is unmarried and without a family.

Scott A. Yeargain was married to a white woman February 2, 1896, at his father's in the Territory, by an Indian Nation official, clerk of the Delaware District. At that time he intended to take up residence on the farm owned by himself and brother near their father, but the house burned and after intending to rebuild, he abandoned that intent and went, a few weeks later, with his wife, to Southwest City to clerk in his brother's store and has since kept house there where their child Marjorie was born. He has voted there at city elections as well as at the last presidential election. He owns with his brother a store at Grove, Indian Territory, which he conducts personally, returning to Southwest City Saturdays and remaining to Monday morning. He was appointed by the Principal Chief, Hayes, of the Cherokee Nation as census taker of the Delaware District in 1896 and performed the duties of that office. He is

interested with his brother in the property on the farm in the Territory.

Both the brothers were educated in the primary and seminary Indian schools in the Delaware District and at Tablequah. The Indian Nation did not object to the enrollment of the applicants and the legal council for the Nation testified as a witness to many of the foregoing facts.

In my view these facts do not justify the finding of ultimate facts made by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes as to the severance to the tribal relations nor warrant the rejection of the applications for enrollment. The applicants were native-born citizens of the Cherokee Nation and were borne on the roll of Cherokee citizens of 1860. Section XI of the act of June 24, 1898, (30 Stat., 498, §2-3), provides.

That in making rolls of citizenship of the several tribes as required by law the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes is authorized and directed to take the roll of Cherokee citizens of eighteen hundred and eighty (not including freedmen) as the only roll intended to be confirmed by this and preceding acts of Congress, and to enroll all persons now living whose names are found on said roll, and all descendants born since the date of said roll to persons whose names are found thereon; and all persons who have been admitted by the tribal authorities who have heretofore made permanent settlement in the Cherokee Nation whose parents, by reason of their Cherokee blood, have been lawfully admitted to citizenship by the tribal authorities, and who were minors when their parents were so admitted; and they shall investigate the right of all other persons whose names are found on any other rolls and omit all such as may have been placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, and their descendants born since such rolls were made, with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to citizenship under Cherokee laws.

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Said Commission is authorized and directed to make correct rolls of the citizens by blood of all the other tribes eliminating from the tribal rolls such names as may have been placed thereon by

fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, and their descendants born since such rolls were made with such intermarried white persons as may be entitled to Choctaw and Chickasaw citizenship under the treaties and laws of said tribes.

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No person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship. . . . .

This act clearly confirmed the Cherokee roll of 1880, as authentic, subject, however, to correction by exclusion of those who had not heretofore "removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship." As to rolls of other tribes, the Commission was authorized to make correct rolls of citizens, "eliminating from the tribal rolls such names as may have been placed thereon by fraud or without authority of law, enrolling only such as may have lawful right thereto, "but such scrutiny of the 1880 Cherokee roll is clearly excluded by its being expressly confirmed and by this provision being limited to the rolls of the "other tribes." The applicants being native born citizens, born on the Cherokee roll of 1880, are therefore entitled to enrollment, unless they have forfeited their citizenship or are within the third provision that "no person shall be enrolled who has not heretofore removed to and in good faith settled in the nation in which he claims citizenship."

The purpose of this provision is clearly seen when read in the light of the history of the Cherokee Nation. The Cherokee Nation has divided. One part remained in their old seats and one removed to new homes in the west. The government and the Western Cherokees, or Cherokee Nation, has continually held out the invitation to the Eastern band to join their Western brethren. The Eastern

band had not done so and yet claimed all the benefits of membership in the nation to whose strength and development they contributed no active co-operation. On this subject the Supreme Court, in Eastern Band of Cherokee, v. United States (117 U. S. 223, 231), said of the Eastern band:

~~They cannot live out of its territory, evade the obligations and burdens of citizenship, and at the same time, enjoy the benefits of the funds and common property of the nation.~~

It was therefore against those who had never identified themselves with the nation and those who had withdrawn themselves from the Indian people that this provision of the statute was aimed. It was for the protection of the Cherokee people and in harmony with the provisions of the Cherokee constitution. That instrument defines how Cherokee nationality shall be lost or forfeited, viz:

That whenever any citizen shall remove with his effects out of the limits of the nation and become a citizen of any other government all his rights and privileges as a citizen of this nation shall cease.

There are three elements clearly defined which must concur to effect forfeiture of nationality or complete expatriation - viz: Removal of the person, coupled with removal of all effects and property, and acquisition of another nationality by assuming the obligations of citizenship there. To these texts and for their construction there is also another implied but not mentioned - viz: the intent with which such acts be done, for if all property and the person were for some temporary purpose removed from the nation, and if acts were done which might bear the construction of assuming obligations of citizenship in another community - as being there for



instance - yet if the removal of person and property were for some temporary purpose and with intent to return, and the act denoting an assumption of duties of citizenship elsewhere had no such purpose, then the change of citizenship would not follow.

Applying such tests to the facts in the present case, it is clear that the Yeargains had not lost their Cherokee nationality. They each retained considerable of their personal property in the Cherokee Nation, contributing to and co-operating in its material development. They each retained their possession and use of improvements upon that part of the national lands that they had before going into business in Missouri. They each continued actively to take part in the governmental organization of the Cherokee Nation by participating in all the Cherokee elections. They had not withdrawn from active participation in the national affairs. Scott A. Yeargain for six of every seven days is habitually present in the Cherokee Nation at his store at Grove. While the act of voting in Southwest City, Missouri, is a fact tending to show an intent to abandon Cherokee nationality, it is not conclusive proof of such intent, and taken in consideration with other facts only shows a violation of the laws of Missouri, not a loss or voluntary disavowal of Cherokee nationality.

I am therefore of opinion that the application of Joseph D. Yeargain and Scott A. Yeargain were erroneously denied, and that they are entitled to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation. I am also of the opinion that Marjorie, infant child of Scott A.



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Yeargain, is entitled to be enrolled as a descendant of Scott A.  
Yeargain.

Very respectfully,

Willis Van Deventer,

Assistant Attorney General

Approved March 16, 1905.

W. A. Hitchcock, Secretary.

D. C. 2044-1903

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J. P.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

I.T.D. 2900-1903

WASHINGTON.

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LRS

March 19, 1903.

The Commission

to the Five Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

There is inclosed herewith a copy of the opinion of the Assistant Attorney General, of March 16, 1903, in the matter of the application of Joseph B. Yeorgins et al., for enrollment as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, which opinion was approved by the Department the same day.

In accordance with said opinion, your decision in the case of October 1, 1902, is hereby reversed, and you will enroll the applicants in accordance with said opinion.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Theo Ryan

Acting Secretary.

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COPY.

Cherokee Case

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

Joseph D. Yeargain,  
Southwest City, Missouri.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting, among others, your application for the enrollment of yourself as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which decision was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll you as a citizen by blood of the Cherokee Nation.

Respectfully,

Tame Kirby

Chairman.

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Cherokee  
6424 & 2-527

Waskages, Indian Territory, March 21, 1903.

Hutchings, Parker and West,

Attorneys for Joseph D. Yeargain et al.,

Waskages, Indian Territory.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Joseph D., Scott A. and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll these applicants.

Respectfully,

*James Hixoy*

Chairman.



COPY.

Cherokee  
6426 & 2-987

Muskogee, Indian Territory, March 31, 1903.

W. W. Hastings,

Attorney for the Cherokee Nation,  
Vinita, Indian Territory.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby advised that the Commission's decision, rejecting the application for the enrollment of Joseph D., Scott A. and Marjorie C. Yeargain as citizens by blood of the Cherokee Nation, which was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on October 30, 1902, has been reconsidered by the Department and the Commission was, on March 19, 1903, ordered to enroll these applicants.

Respectfully,

JAMES BIXBY  
Chairman.



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